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HOOVER SIGNS MEASURE FOR WIDER CREDIT

Again Praises Congress for Nonpartisanship in Relief Work.

LAW WILL RELEASE BIG GOLD RESERVES

"Frozen Assets" Eliminated by Bill Strengthening Banking System.

By LAWRENCE SULLIVAN.

The Glass-Steagall banking bill, fifth measure in President Hoover's emergency program for economic rehabilitation, was signed at the White House yesterday afternoon. It becomes effective at once.

Designed to end the era of excessive credit deflation which distressed both bankers and business men during the last half of 1931, and to start the wheels of industry moving once more on the high road to normal production, the measure is hailed generally as the most important of the reconstruction bills passed in the present Congress.

In affixing his signature, President Hoover again expressed his sincere appreciation of "the fine spirit of patriotic nonpartisanship" displayed by leaders of both parties in the House and Senate in hastening enactment of the measure.

Says U. S. Is Thankful.

The formal White House statement also expressed the President's conviction that this spirit of legislative cooperation is "appreciated by the whole country."

The bill bears the name of Senator Carter Glass (Democrat), of Virginia, one of the Senate's foremost authorities on banking, and of Representative Henry B. Steagall (Democrat), of Alabama, chairman of the House committee on banking and currency. To Senator Frederic C. Walcott (Republican), of Connecticut, fell the honor of cooperating with Senator Glass in steering the bill through the Senate and smoothing out the points of disagreement in conference.

For a period of one year only, the new law establishes a broader and more flexible rediscount base in the Federal Reserve System, which will release some $750,000,000 in excessive gold reserves now held against currency circulation.

Removes Frozen Assets.

As a permanent measure, it provides extremely elastic liquidation facilities for national banks whenever five or more members in a given district join in a loan from the Federal Reserve Bank. Through these two provisions, one temporary and one permanent, the bill places the whole national banking system in a state

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Workman Injured In 40-Foot Plunge

Man in Hospital After Fire Escape Falls on Wrecking Job.

Fred Ruth, 27-year-old workman, of 430 Shepherd street northwest, was seriously injured yesterday when a fire escape on which he was working at 823 Eleventh street northwest collapsed and sent him hurtling 40 feet to the ground.

At Emergency Hospital, where he was taken in a passing automobile, Ruth was found to be suffering from serious head injuries and cuts and bruises to his body. According to witnesses and police, Ruth was dismantling the fire escape when it broke loose from the front wall of the Eleventh street address. Witnesses said it required half a dozen fellow workmen to extricate Ruth from the wreckage of the fire escape.

Ruth is employed by the American Wrecking Co., which is engaged in razing several houses in the block. The buildings have been unoccupied for several years, police said.

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Dry Law Paramount Issue, Smith Insists

Borah Convinced That G. O. P. Will Support Prohibition.

Moves to Stop Economics as Democratic War Cry This Year.

(Associated Press.)

By EDWARD T. FOLLIARD.

Confidence that the Republican national convention would adhere to previous dry pledges was voiced yesterday by Sen. Borah (Republican), Idaho, in the face of Eastern demands for a repeal plank at the Chicago meeting in June.

The action of New Jersey Republicans in recommending that its delegation work for a repeal declaration drew no comment from the Idahoan, but he recalled that a similar effort failed in 1928.

Sen. Borah was a member of the resolutions committee at the Kansas City convention four years ago and was largely responsible for the dry plank adopted then. If he attends the Chicago convention it is expected he will have a lot to say about the prohibition resolution.

New Jersey and other Eastern Republicans appear determined to fight for a repeal or modification plank.

Those Democrats who would subordinate prohibition and emphasize economic questions in the forthcoming presidential campaign are reckoning without Alfred E. Smith.

In a speech in New York yesterday the "Happy Warrior" made it clear that, so far as he is concerned, prohibition not only will be an issue, but a paramount issue.

Moreover, he emphasized that, if he has his way, the Democratic party will claim a monopoly on the wet side of the question.

Obviously referring to Chairman John J. Raskob's statement of Thursday night that he had apparently authentic information that President Hoover would run on a prohibition referendum platform, the 1928 Democratic nominee said:

"When President Hoover turned down the plan recommended by the Wickersham Commission, I claim he

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BEAR INVESTIGATION IS URGED IN SENATE

Hoover Leaders Tell Group to Find Culprits Guilty of Depressing Stocks.

(Associated Press.)

Administration leaders yesterday called on the Senate banking committee "to find the culprits" who, the Government is convinced, have been driving down stock prices for personal gains.

Senator Walcott (Republican), of Connecticut, who conferred Friday with President Hoover, sent a statement to the committee yesterday, blaming bear raiders for "knocking in the head every attempt to give courage and hope" to the country.

"The first duty of Congress clearly is to find the culprits, and determine the extent of their operations, and it is proposed to do this at once by holding open hearings before the committee commencing early next week," he said.

Senator Watson, of Indiana, the Republican leader, joined in the demand for an investigation. There was no expression of opposition to investigating the personal activities of those who have been selling stocks short and reaping profits off declines in prices, but Senators Blaine, of Wisconsin, and Brookhart, of Iowa, both Republicans, wanted to go into all phases of stock market activity.

Senator Bulkley (Democrat), Ohio, asked on what ground it was contended that stock prices are below value, and that bear raiders are responsible. Senator Watson replied

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Hoover-Curtis Delegates Are Chosen in Kansas

Ottawa, Kans., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Two Hoover-Curtis delegates to the Republican national convention were chosen from the Second Kansas Congressional District today. They are Sidney P. Harris, editor of the Ottawa Herald, and A. C. Cooke, of Kansas City, Kans.

The district convention, the first to name delegates in Kansas, indorsed President Hoover and Vice President Curtis for reelection. The delegates were not instructed.

HOUSE PASSES ROAD BILL TO AID JOBLESS

Democrats Force Through $132,500,000 Emergency Relief Measure.

(Associated Press.)

After a prolonged struggle, the Democrats yesterday forced through the House their $132,500,000 emergency road construction bill designed to relieve unemployment and to aid the States in their highway construction programs.

The vote was 205 to 109, with party lines broken.

It came after nearly five hours of bitter debate in which it was predicted by a Republican leader that the measure would meet a Presidential veto. The Democrats maintained it was the first direct unemployment relief legislation approved this session.

Sponsored by the Democratic leadership, the bill provides $120,000,000 be made available immediately for apportionment to the States to be matched with regular Federal highway aid allotments. It also sets aside $12,500,000 for highways, roads and trails in national parks, forests, Indian reservations and on public lands.

Before passage the House inserted five principal amendments. Two, by Representative LaGuardia, Republican, New York, provided that the prevailing local wage rates shall be paid, and that none of the money be allotted to any State where convict labor is employed directly or indirectly on Federal-State projects, respectively.

Representative Warren (Democrat), North Carolina, who led the fight for the legislation, told the House the

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Pershing's Condition Called Much Improved

(Associated Press.)

Gen. John J. Pershing was described last night as "considerably improved" by Army physicians at Walter Reed General Hospital.

The general entered the institution Friday with a cold and slight attack of laryngitis. He is being attended by Maj. O. H. Quade, Medical Corps.

Mrs. Norton Would Shelve Howell Home Raid Measure

Capital's Woman Mayor Promises to Seek Pigeonhole for Liquor Search Bill If It Reaches District Committee; Again Assails Prohibition.

If the Howell "home raid" bill or its counterpart ever comes before the House District committee, Mrs. Mary T. Norton (Democrat), New Jersey, chairman, will do her best to sink it in a nice roomy pigeonhole.

Washington's woman mayor is either a wet who believes in temperance or a dry who doesn't believe in prohibition. And she's one member of Congress who doesn't think Washington is a "bootlegger's sanctuary."

After three-week's illness, Mrs. Norton returned to the House yesterday. The first thing she did was to sign a petition to force House consideration of a referendum on the eighteenth amendment. The next thing she did was to air her disapproval of any stricter prohibition enforcement in the Capital.

"If Washington is a bootleggers' paradise, then so is every metropolitan center in the United States," she said.

"I think conditions here are better as a general rule. Certainly I don't approve of Senator Howell's plan to endow police with powers of revenue officers, and sanction entry of private homes. If it ever comes before my committee I will do everything in my power to defeat it."

Meanwhile, members of the Senate District committee were getting ready to ballot on the Howell dry measure. Printed copies of recent hearings were distributed to committee members yesterday. Senator Arthur Capper, chairman, announced that a vote probably will be taken Friday.

Mrs. Norton, House District committee chairman, is no new convert to the wet cause. In 1926 she introduced a resolution of her own for repeal of the eighteenth amendment. At the last session of Congress she introduced another.

Yesterday found the House wet block lacking eighteen of the 145 indorsements required for a House vote

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36 MEN CAUGHT BY MINE BLAST BELIEVED DEAD

Rescuers Give Up Hope of Finding Any Virginia Victims Alive.

EFFORTS HAMPERED BY STIFLING GASES

Kin and Friends Crowd Adit, Awaiting News; Explosion Cause Not Known.

Pocahontas, Va., Feb. 27 (U.P.).—Rescuers struggling to reach more than a score of miners entombed deep in the Boissevain Mine near here by explosion which choked passages with slate, tonight announced they had abandoned hope that the men were alive.

Thomas Stockdale, of Bramwell, W. Va., a district mine inspector, said a careful check revealed 36 men were locked in the shattered shaft, which slopes into an Alleghany foothill.

"We have abandoned hope of any life down there," he said.

Rescue crews were forced to withdraw to the surface for two hours at one time. Artificial means were used, in an attempt to clear the stifling gases from the hole.

Coffee was served for the mine company by three women. The men ate sandwiches, holding them in grimy fingers.

Blast Occurred Near Daybreak.

The explosion ocurred shortly before daybreak when 50 men were working in the mine.

Rescuers in gas masks, bearing electric torches to pierce the heavy smoke, repeatedly were driven back by gas poisoned air. Crews from Coal Wood, Gary, Pocahontas and Jenkins Jones, Va., vied with each other at the dangerous task.

Stockdale said the cause of the explosion was not known. One theory held that powder was ignited.

Two men from the basin main level escaped. Smoke drove them out, they said, shortly before an explosion shook the earth.

Distress and curiosity was written on faces of the throngs of persons from surrounding towns who came to the mine in hundreds of automobiles. Some were relatives of the victims. The crowd was barricaded from the entrance. An officer disciplined them.

The mine is almost on the line between Virginia and West Virginia.

Seek to Drill Through.

The air at the deeper levels was heavy. Rescuers who returned to the surface were blackened from the smoke and dust in which they had tried to drill through to learn if the victims lived.

Their faces were streaked with perspiration which left livid lines.

The mine is the largest working of the Pocahontas Fuel Co. It is four miles from Pocahontas.

Members of the night shift who crept from the hole after the explosion were working at a higher level, about a mile and a half from the mouth of the mine.

2 Enter Senate Race In Alabama as Wets

Montgomery, Ala., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Prohibition was thrust to the front today as an issue in the Alabama Democratic primary on May 3 by two candidates who announced for the nomination for United States senator with planks in their platforms calling for a change in national dry laws. J. Morgan Burns, Selma, attorney, qualified as a candidate today and issued a statement advocating repeal of the eighteenth amendment. Charlie McCall, of Montgomery, assistant attorney general of Alabama, declared for a referendum on prohibition and for "home control" in such States as express a desire for it.

Burns and McCall are seeking the post now held by Senator Hugo Black, of Birmingham, who is a candidate to succeed himself.

$140,000 LOAN IS AUTHORIZED FOR ARLINGTON

$40,000 Will Be Used to Assure Continuance of School Work.

THREAT OF CLOSING STRESSED TO BOARD.

Audit Is Speeded to Check on Alleged Shortage in Treasurer's Funds.

An emergency loan of $140,000 to pull Arlington County through its period of financial stress was authorized last night by members of the county board, who gathered at the courthouse in a special ways and means session.

Of this sum, $40,000 will be devoted to the exclusive purpose of keeping the children of Arlington County in school. The larger amount will go toward meeting the current expenses of the county until March 15.

The money will be borrowed under a special bill unanimously passed by the Virginia State Legislature, and signed by Gov. Pollard yesterday, which allows the county to borrow money up to three-fourths of its levy.

Audit Is Speeded.

As members of the county board turned their attention toward laying their hands on sufficient funds to carry on the necessary work of the community and to paying outstanding and pressing debts, the corps of auditors sent by Gov. Pollard to check the reputed $275,000 shortage in the office of former County Treasurer E. Wade Ball moved ahead with its task, laboring over the books until late at night.

The first of the independent audits, requested by County Manager Roy S. Braden when the alleged shortage in the county treasurer's office was first discovered, was started yesterday. Another State accountant, the fifth sent to Arlington County, arrived yesterday and began work on the books of the Arlington County school fund. This fund is dispersed by the school board through warrants issued by the treasurer's office.

The $40,000 for the schools was decided upon at a special meeting of the county school board, called immediately before the county board gathered in special session. Commonwealth's Attorney Lawrence W. Douglas was called into this session to advise the board on the best methods of procedure in keeping the schools in session.

School Fund Budgeted.

The meeting lasted but a few minutes. The school board budgeted

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Iowa Straw Vote Goes to Roosevelt

Democrats Lead G. O. P., 2 to 1, in President's Native State.

Des Moines, Iowa, Feb. 27 (U.P.).—Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt received more votes than President Hoover in Hoover's native State of Iowa in a newspaper straw vote made public today. Final results of the straw ballot tabulated in a copyrighted story in the Des Moines Sunday Register gave Roosevelt 18,817 votes to 18,764 for Hoover.

The Democratic victory was far more decisive than the slim margin between the two leading candidates in each party. While Hoover polled a big majority of the 22,360 Republican ballots, Roosevelt's votes were only a comparatively small part of the 53,073 Democratic ballots.

Charles G. Dawes was second to Hoover in the Republican party, with 1,498, and no other candidate polled more than 1,000. Gov. W. H. (Alfalfa Bill) Murray counted 16,508 in the Democratic column, and other candidates had: Alfred E. Smith, 7,693; Newton D. Baker, 4,201; Albert C. Ritchie, 3,670, and Owen D. Young, 1,145.

La Fontaine Is Released From Jail; Health Held Poor

James La Fontaine was released from jail yesterday after serving less than two months of a nine-month sentence when it was contended that further imprisonment would menace his life.

La Fontaine was a Federal prisoner in the jail at Ellicott City, Md., having pleaded guilty to filing faulty income tax returns. His release was ordered by Judge Calvin Chestnut in the United States District Court in Baltimore, who sentenced him late last year. After being sentenced several weeks before Christmas, he was released on bond to spend the holidays with his nieces, and did not start to serve his term until about the first of this year.

The order which liberated La Fontaine, who is 63, was issued after Dr. Hugh H. Young and Dr. Warren H. Hoak, physicians attached to the Federal courts, had examined him and reported on his physical condition.

Dr. Hoak said he confirmed Dr Young's report that the prisoner was in need of a specialist's treatment for

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JAPAN AND CHINA RUSH FRESH MEN TO FRONT; DECISIVE FIGHT NEARS

Japanese Offer Plan For Peace in Shanghai

Withdrawal of Chinese Troops Five to Twenty Kilometers and Neutral Control of Area Believed Points in Notes to Powers.

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Geneva, Feb. 27 (U.P.).—Japan offered to make peace in Shanghai in identic notes delivered today to individual nations represented on the League of Nations council.

The contents of the note was not made public, but was understood to intimate Japan's willingness to make peace in Shanghai on certain conditions. The note reiterated, however, Japan's contention that she can not relinquish any of her rights in Manchuria.

The Japanese note, it was understood, indicated that Japan was ready to cease hostilities if the Chinese withdrew a certain distance from Shanghai and the foreign powers assume civil and military control.

The note was not sent to the secretariat or to the league council, presumably because Japan still maintains that a council of only twelve members is not fully competent to represent the full council. It was sent, therefore, to the members of the council individually, except China.

Informal reports have been circulating in diplomatic circles during the last few days that Japan might listen to a proposal looking toward a liquidation of the Shanghai "situation," based on the neutralization of the city and its control by an international commission. Although it is not known whether the following points are the exact ones given in today's note, such a course of agreement, according to the reports, would contemplate:

1. Retirement of the Chinese military to from 5 to 20 kilometers (about 3 to 12½ miles) from the city.) Thereby the Japanese would

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COBLENTZ INDICTED IN BANK'S FAILURE

True Bills Also Returned in Howard County Against Page and 4 Others.

Ellicott City, Md., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—State Senator Emory Coblentz and State Banking Commissioner George W. Page were among six persons indicted by the Howard County grand jury today on charges growing out of the failure of the Central Trust Co. of Maryland and its eleven branches last September.

The indictments were returned in connection with absorption of the Washington Trust Co. of Ellicott City by the Central Trust Co. Judge Francis Neal Park issued bench warrants for the six indicted men and turned them over to the sheriff for service.

In addition to Page and Coblentz, the indictments named Charles McMathia, Grover L. Michael and C. Thomas Summers, vice presidents, and S. Elmer Brown, treasurer of the Central. Coblentz was its president.

Charges of malfeasance, misfeas-

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Weather Delays Rescue Of Crippled Ship's Crew

Aboard Steamship American Importer, Feb. 27 (U.P.).—The British steamer Vardulia was standing by the crippled Danish steamer Aggersund tonight, waiting for the weather to moderate to take off the crew.

The Aggersund was badly damaged. High seas made an immediate rescue impossible. The Swedish motorship Blankaholm also was on the way to assist in the rescue. The crippled vessel's position was 52.40 north, 41.30 west, several hundred miles east of Newfoundland, on the northern route to Europe.

CURB PUT ON FRANCE BY ARMS DELEGATES

Henderson Elected Head of Political Commission as Blow to Dominance.

Geneva, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Organization today of the constituent commissions of the world disarmament conference greatly magnified the importance of the role of Arthur Henderson and thereby placed a curb on the dominance of France.

Mr. Henderson was elected president of the political commission, which was formed on the insistence of Premier Andre Tardieu, of France, for the purpose of considering the French security proposals and other political questions. The former British foreign secretary won out over France's candidate, Nicholas Titulescu, of Roumania.

The American delegates took a leading part in this choice and the Americans had a hand in electing delegates of four "neutral" states to head the military, naval and air commissions.

Mr. Henderson, who always has been a severe critic of the French

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Hurley Is Urged as Head Of Oklahoma Delegates

Oklahoma City, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—A move to name Secretary of War Patrick J. Hurley as head of the Oklahoma delegation to the Republican national convention was started today by U. S. Stone, former representative in Congress. The Republican central committee meets here Monday.

Stone, a candidate for the United States Senate, said, "The party should stand for sound Government leadership, as exemplified by President Hoover."

Stubborn Defenders Hold to Positions, Despite Planes' Attack.

INVADERS SCATTER BOMBS OVER CHAPEI

Food and Ammunition Sent From Miaochungchen to Chinese Soldiers.

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Shanghai (Sunday), Feb. 28.—Japanese airplanes bombed the Chinese positions on the Chapei-Kiangwan battlefront today as deadlocked armies rushed reinforcements toward Kiangwan, center point of the line from Shanghai to Woosung, in preparation for a decisive fight.

A small but stubborn Chinese garrison still held out in the ruins of Kiangwan, neither Japanese shells nor claims of victory having dislodged the defenders.

As the fogs lifted over Kiangwan today, the Japanese resumed their attack. Fifteen airplanes from the emergency flying field behind the lines scattered explosives over the Chinese positions, setting new fires aflaming over Miaochungchen, source of the beleaguered garrison's supplies.

The fliers divided themselves into two groups. A majority struck around Miaochungchen. The others went on to Chapei, pouring bombs again upon that native section of Shanghai stricken in the first days of the long battle here.

Occasional Shelling of Lines.

Japanese artillery tossed occasional shells into Chinese lines strafed by the bombardment of airplanes and big guns for days of indecisive conflict, but otherwise the Kiangwan sector was comparatively calm.

Thousands of Japanese troops, expected to come to reinforce the continually repulsed assailants, were reported to be near Shanghai, but apparently had not yet arrived at 9:45 a. m. Inspection of the Whangpoo River as far as Woosung, at the mouth sixteen miles away, revealed no sign of incoming transports. The waterfront was quiet and deserted.

Aided by air and artillery bombardment, the Japanese have made numberless assaults on Kiangwan and have issued numerous claims of victory, but neither shells nor communiques dislodged the defenders.

The Japanese announced that during yesterday's fighting they finally had succeeded in surrounding the village. Their infantrymen already were in the western end, they said, and were proceeding to mop up the rest of it.

Still Hold Kiangwan.

But at 11:30 o'clock last night it was learned that the Chinese still held Kiangwan and that the garrison was being supplied with food and ammunition.

These supplies were brought in from Miaochungchen, to the northwest.

The communication line with the beleaguered garrison was very narrow, and the soldiers bearing food and

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Japan Places Its Dead At 204; Wounded, 1,475

Shanghai, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The Japanese today put their total casualties in the Shanghai operations to date at 204 dead and 1,475 wounded. Army casualties were 104 dead and 975 wounded and the losses suffered by bluejackets sent ashore from warships were estimated at 100 dead and 500 wounded.

Every one of the 1,200 officers and men of the Thirty-first U. S. Infantry was ordered vaccinated today. Numerous cases of smallpox in Shanghai caused Army physicians to take this measure as a safeguard against the danger of an epidemic.

March 20 Date Is Forecast For First Cherry Blossoms

Will Appear Five Days Earlier Than Ever Before, Says Charles Henlock, Former Horticultural Bureau Chief; Successor Thinks Prediction Optimistic.

The cherry blossoms will be out by March 20, a week before Easter and five days earlier than ever before, in the opinion of Charles Henlock, retired chief of the Horticultural Division of the office of Public Buildings and Public Parks.

This is an unofficial estimate, and no official statement was forthcoming from Frank Gartside, present chief of the division. "It is too early—I wouldn't venture to predict," he said yesterday. "People come here from out of town, and then if the blossoms aren't on schedule they seem to hold us responsible."

Mr. Henlock says the buds are well advanced because of the warm weather, and had no doubt they would appear on his schedule unless there is a decided change in the weather. The double blossoms will appear about 10 to 15 days after the single ones, he said.

When the buds begin to swell cuttings are taken and kept in a warm temperature until they bloom, to give an estimate of the time before the pink and white blossoms begin to line the Tidal Basin. No cuttings have been taken yet, however.

Unofficially, Mr. Gartside thinks Mr. Henlock's estimate is too optimistic. The cold nights have been retarding the development of the buds, but hot weather and warm rains might bring them out on this schedule, he said.

Mr. Gartside explained his reluctance to say anything about dates this early. Last year, he related, a woman came here from Florida to see the buds, which were later in developing than had been expected. She called up the horticultural division and berated them for their failure to forecast accurately, pointing out that her hotel bills and other expenses were piling up while she waited for the blossoms to come out. "I don't know what she expected us to

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BOYCOTT OF JAPAN REGARDED UNLIKELY

League of Nations Action Would Be Unjustified, Observers Declare.

By HAROLD J. T. HORAN.

Invocation of an economic boycott by the Assembly of the League of Nations in the forthcoming meeting next Thursday was discounted here yesterday in responsible circles.

Pressure for the drastic step, which such a move would involve, has been supplied in the main by the smaller nations, while the great powers, England and France, have been content either to await developments in Shanghai, or abide by their representations to the Japanese government in Tokyo directly.

International legal figures here expressed considerable doubt as to the fundamental authority derived from the league covenant itself for such a drastic move. The express provision of the league's famous Article 16 provides that where any member of the league resorts to war "in disregard of its covenants, under Article 12, 13 or 15" the famous economic blockade can be applied.

Japan's Defense Seen.

However, it was significantly indicated that Japan can satisfactorily point to a faithful observance of these articles upon which the economic boycott would have to be predicated. Furthermore, the League of Nations advisory committee, composed of members of the consular corps at Shanghai, in their study of the situation there implied that a state of war was existing around the International Settlement, but failed to announce the responsible party.

So many points of legal insufficiency and nebulous phraseology exist in the text of the league covenant itself, that Japan or any other nation so situated, would be able to work out a sound and substantial argument in rebuttal.

The succinct and precise language of the Stimson letter to Senator Borah on the Japanese position, admits of no such liberal interpretation, it was pointed out. The Secretary stated the American position in such a definite tone that there will be no further necessity for any clarifying or corrolary statements from this Government as long as the impasse in China exists.

British Statement Expected.

Indications were received informally here last night that Great Britain had under consideration a statement of the British position with regard to China and Japan, which would be corroborative of the Stimson letter. The immediate reaction of the unequivocal attitude of the Department of State was reflected in numerous editorials and public expressions of confidence and approval from all sections in British public life. Ramsay MacDonald, suffering from a severe throat illness, has been forced to curtail his official activities and the affairs of the foreign office have, as a result, been out of his personal direction. The first indication from London was that Great Britain would not take any more definite position on the Sino-Japanese affair than had already been announced. This was the informal government announcement in Parliament in response to a question from an interpellating member.

The Stimson letter, however, mobilized British public opinion behind the American initiative, in such a way that a change of policy was almost immediately decided upon in the foreign office. With the British foreign minister, Sir John Simon, in Geneva, and with the prime minister himself in a state of convalescence, it is not expected that the British pronouncement will be made before next Thursday when Sir John Simon will speak at Geneva.

Miss Woolley Stricken At Geneva With Cold

Geneva, Feb. 27 (U.P.).—Miss Mary Woolley, member of the United States delegation to the world arms conference, was ill with a severe bronchial cold today. She will be unable to carry out a scheduled radio broadcast to America tomorrow.

Miss Woolley was expected to recover in a few days.

Driver Is Badly Hurt When Truck Overturns

Serious injuries were received yesterday by Dave Ashe, colored, 36, of 4714 Clay street northeast, when a truck which he was operating struck the curb and overturned at Sixteenth street and the District line. He was pinned beneath the vehicle.

Passing motorists freed him and removed him to Walter Reed Hospital. He was later taken to Emergency Hospital. His injuries were said to be a fractured skull and lacerations. Police were told that the truck ran into the curb when Ashe attempted to adjust the carburetor while the truck was in motion.

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thesis, now is president of the conference and of its three major organs.

After he had been chosen president of the conference, the French delegates sought to place great authority in the conference bureau, and then the Briton was chosen to head this organization. Subsequently, the French delegates, over the protest of the Americans, succeeded in depriving the bureau of what had been expected would be its dominant role by referring the determination of procedure to a general commission.

Thereupon, Mr. Henderson was elected president of the general commission and Mr. Tardieu moved to create a new commission to deal with political questions. Now the British delegate heads it.

Refuting reports that his health was about to force his retirement, Mr. Henders in asserted today that he was growing stronger daily. If it became necessary for him to retire, Nicholas Politis, of Greece—an ally of France—would be left as chairman of both the general and the political commissions.

Preparations were going forward at the League of Nations secretariat for the impending extraordinary session of the league assembly.

The belief was expressed that the United States and other nonleague members would not be invited, although they may have observers present at assembly committee sessions.

JAPANESE OFFER PLAN FOR PEACE IN SHANGHAI

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not be sticklers for the 20 kilometers, as originally demanded and refused by the Chinese, but would like to have the Chinese retire to that distance at one point at least, which would permit them to defend their prestige against attacks from diehards at home.)

2. Policing of the entire city of Shanghai by the existing police force of the International Settlement, supported by limited military forces from the United States, Great Britain, France and Japan. Japanese diplomats point out that the United States normally has about 1,200 marines in the Shanghai area; the British and French about the same, whereas the Japanese indicate they would expect to retain about 5,000 soldiers "because of their larger population and greater material interests in Shanghai."

3. The balance of the Japanese army would be sent back to Japan.

4. The Japanese would desire that the existing remnants of the Woosung forts at the mouth of the Yangtse should be "demilitarized," but in view of the Chinese opposition to that point, Japan might be agreeable to compromising on international control.

5. While no definite period for such form of international control has been hinted, it was believed the Japanese desire that the city would remain under an international commission "until Sino-Japanese relations are stabilized," or, if a definite term were insisted on, at least five years.

The change in the Japanese attitude was reported to the league to be based on the following developments:

1. The stubborn and unexpected resistance of the Chinese in Shanghai.

2. The colossal costs of the major military operations, which have assumed the shape of an undeclared war.

3. The growing opposition of the Japanese people to the militarist enterprise.

4. The unequivocal assertion by Washington that the United States will not recognize any change in the status quo in China which may result from violations of treaties.

5. The persistent attention paid by the league to the Chinese situation.

Early Settlement Desired.

If the fighting could be stopped before the new contingents en route from Japan were brought into the affair, it is felt here that the problem would be that much easier to solve and that there would be less "face" to preserve. The Japanese, moreover, are anxious not to permit, if they can help it, an intermingling of the Shanghai and Manchurian questions.

Manchuria, they hold, is quite apart from Shanghai, and they feel that their position in Manchuria is diplomatically and militarily much stronger than in Shanghai. They would not wish a continuance of the Shanghai campaign to endanger their winnings in Manchuria.

This feeling is based on what has come to be a Japanese saying: "Manchuria is a fact. Shanghai is an accident."

TOKYO IS SURPRISED AT SOVIET PROTESTS

Japan Will Not Court New International Crisis, Spokesmen Say.

Tokyo, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—There is no likelihood that Japan will court another international crisis with Russia, government spokesmen said today in commenting on the questions addressed by Russia to Japan in regard to Japanese military operations in northern Manchuria.

War office and foreign office spokesmen said that Russia's "nervousness" over Japan's intentions in north Manchuria were based on distorted interpretations of the situation and raised to unwarranted dimensions a "purely local problem."

Official Tokyo was surprised by the Russian inquiries, which were presented by L. M. Karakhan, acting commissar for foreign affairs, to the Japanese Ambassador in Moscow. It was pointed out that the Soviet government has been complacent toward Japanese military operations within the Harbin district.

The war office spokesman emphatically denied that the Japanese military authorities in Manchuria were lending any encouragement to "white" (anti-Soviet) Russians and he suggested that reports of such activities emanated from the anti-Soviet Russians themselves, who hoped perhaps to raise funds in that manner.

A foreign office spokesman indicated that Japan might be preparing to hold Russia responsible for damages suffered by Japanese nationals in northern Manchuria unless the Moscow government permitted troop movements over the Chinese Eastern Railway, which is jointly owned by Russia and China.

The Japanese Manchurian military command wants to use the road to transport troops to the vicinity of Imienpo, where 13,000 followers of Gen. Ting Chao, Chinese leader, are reported to have occupied several towns and to have looted the property of Japanese and Koreans.

JAPAN ACTS TO STOP ENEMY REINFORCING

Ready to Use Air Force and Navy in Interior to Check Fresh Arrivals.

Tokyo, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Japan is ready to use her air force and her navy in interior China to prevent the Chinese from reinforcing their line at Shanghai, it was learned today on high authority.

The navy will be ordered to stop troop movements down the Yangtze River and air raids will be employed to discourage the Chinese from bringing up reinforcements by land.

The policy already has been put into effect on a small scale. The recent raids by naval planes on the Chinese air bases at Soochow and Hangchow were cited as examples of the method in which the air force will be used.

A government spokesman asserted that three factors have contributed in making the Shanghai conflict almost war on a national scale. He said these factors were the storm of censure against Japan from neutral powers, the attitude of the League of Nations, and fabricated reports of Chinese victories which have convinced the masses of China that the time is ripe to crush Japan.

Japanese military authorities at Shanghai are known to have expressed alarm over the possibility of numerous and early reinforcements for the Chinese forces there.

It was understood that Japanese destroyers will attempt to break up any additional Chinese troop movements across the Yangtze at Nanking. Thousands of men are reported to have crossed the river there en route to Shanghai.

Other warships will be ordered to intercept troop movements down the river from Kiukiang and Hankow. Information that Gen. Chiang Fah-Kewi's fourth army, known as "the ironsides," had left Yoochow for Shanghai, was believed to be partly responsible for this decision. According to these reports, the general had 30,000 men.

BOTH SIDES RUSH FRESH MEN AS DECISIVE BATTLE NEARS

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ammunition ran a gauntlet of machine-gun fire from Japanese positions on both sides, but the neck of the bottle still was open.

The early morning communique from Gen. Atsai Ting-Kai, Chinese commander, said that the Kiangwan garrison still was intact and that help was on the way.

"The government at Nanking has sent me two more divisions to reinforce the Nineteenth Route Army, the communique said "and this additional force will go into action when the Japanese offensive is renewed."

Heavy Guns in Action.

Just as the hands of the big clock on the customs house tower at Shanghai marked midnight the heavy guns of both forces went into action in Chapei and Hongkew.

The cannonading continued until after 1 o'clock this morning. To noncombatants in the International Settlement it sometimes seems that the artillerymen time their gunning by the big clock, which is plainly visible from both sides of the battle line.

Inspection of the front line last night showed that the opposing lines extended in a gentle curve from Woosung to a point nearly a mile east of Miaochungchen, thence south to Kiangwan and eastward around the village to its southern limits, and thence south to Chapei.

Swarming With Soldiers.

The whole area between the Kiangwan front and the Chinese support positions in the vicinity of Tazang, four miles to the west, was honeycombed with artillery pits and machine gun nests. Northward toward the Liuhang hinterland the territory also was heavily fortified and swarming with soldiers.

Although the Japanese have claimed for days that they control the village of Miaochungchen, 3,000 Chinese soldiers were entrenched there and they seemed prepared to hold out indefinitely.

Well-built trenches criss-crossed the entire town and barbed wire entanglements were everywhere. Food and munition supplies were adequate. The Japanese front line was three quarters of a mile to the east.

Koreans in Manchuria Planning to Help China

(United Press.)

Headquarters of the Korean independence movement here announced plans last night to recruit an entire division from among the 1,000,000 Koreans in Manchuria to help China fight Japan.

The headquarters said hundreds of Koreans already are participating under Chinese colors.

"All possible aid is being given the Chinese defenders of Shanghai by Korean nationals, according to dispatches from Korean headquarters in Shanghai," is was said.

Representatives of the movement said an attempt by Japanese plain clothes police to raid their headquarters in the French concession at Shanghai failed when Korean officials removed their offices secretly to another place.

War Will Strain Japan's Finances, Butts Declares

(Associated Press.)

Prediction that the operations in China will seriously aggravate Japan's "already strained financial situation" was received yesterday from Halleck A. Butts, commercial attache at Tokyo.

Butts informed the Commerce Department that domestic loans probably would be necessary.

The principal commodity markets of Japan, particularly silk, as well as the stock market, were adversely affected upon receipt of word of new foreign reactions to the Shanghai situation.

Textile spinners have agreed, Butts said, to continue their present production curtailment until July. Activities in the cement, iron and steel industries continue because of the military and Manchurian demand.

15 Police in Alexandria Take First-Aid Course

Police Sergt. George Everly, of Alexandria, announced yesterday that fifteen members of the Alexandria police force are now enrolled in a first-aid class, the lessons given by Lieut. Stroble, of the Potomac Fire Department Rescue Squad.

The course consists of ten lessons and classes are held Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights, from 7 to 10 o'clock, at police headquarters.

Flynn Bankruptcy Referee.

Frederick L. Flynn, an attorney of Alexandria, has been named by Judge Luther B. Way, in the United States Court for the Eastern District of Virginia, referee in bankruptcy for District No. 1. The district includes Alexandria City, Arlington, Fairfax, Prince William, Loudoun, Fauquier and Culpeper Counties. The appointment becomes effective on March 14.

TWO NEW GAS RATES IN EFFECT TUESDAY

Details of Schedules Are Announced by Public Utilities Body.

Two new schedules of gas service are available to Washington consumers under the new rates which become effective on Tuesday under order of the Public Utilities Commission. Details of these schedules were revealed yesterday when the commission made public the complete text of its order.

The first of these schedules, both of which were proposed by the Washington Gas Light Co., is known as Schedule E, or the "seasonal off peak rate," and is available to any customer for water heating service, space cooling service or for the generation of power by the use of gas. It is limited, however, to customers whose demands during the winter months are limited or none at all for this type of service.

The second, Schedule F, is designed primarily for the use of apartment houses which wish to furnish their tenants with gas for cooking or refrigeration service as part of the rental consideration. This gas is provided through a single meter for each apartment house.

With both of these schedules, as well as Schedule B, the Washington Gas Light Co. is bidding for more of the heating and refrigeration business of the Potomac Electric Power Co. and the various fuel companies.

Schedule E rates consist of two elements: 65 cents per 1,000 cubic feet for the first 25,000 feet used in any month and 40 cents for each 1,000 feet in excess of 25,000.

The net rates of Schedule F are 90 cents per 1,000 cubic feet for the first 5,000 feet used a month; 80 cents for next 20,000 feet, and 75 cents for each 1,000 feet in excess of 25,000.

The new rates of Schedule B, the house heating service, are $2 per 100 cubic feet per month of maximum hourly rate of use, payable only during the seven heating months, October to April, inclusive, plus a consumption charge of 60 cents per 1,000 cubic feet for all gas used. The minimum bill shall be $4 a month for these seven months.

The rules and regulations require not only that all meters shall be periodically tested, but that the gas company shall make adjustments in consumers' bills for a period not in excess of three months whenever a meter test shows a fast registration in excess of 2 per cent. The adjustment will be made upon the basis of the preceding three months' bills.

BORAH IS CONVINCED G. O. P. STILL IS DRY

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Some have attempted to obtain President Hoover's sanction for a new declaration on prohibition, but so far as is known, the Executive has made no promises and is not expected to make any.

Republican leaders on the dry side are convinced Mr. Hoover is not going to take a wet or even a moist stand, thus leaving the issue to be thrashed out on the convention floor.

Four years ago it was Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler and former Senator Wentworth, of the New York delegation, who championed the wet cause at the convention, but a dry plank was adopted, saying:

"The people, through the method provided by the Constitution, have written the eighteenth amendment into the Constitution. The Republican party pledges itself and its nominees to the observance and vigorous enforcement of this provision of the Constitution."

Borah expressed the view that this year's prohibition plank would be similar to that of 1928.

The Democrats are not without their troubles on prohibition, with Chairman Raskob's home-rule plank looming as a possible squabble producer.

No delegates are to be chosen this week, but next week the first presidential primary will be held—in New Hampshire—where a contest is on between Gov. Roosevelt and former Gov. Smith.

Thus far Roosevelt has sixteen delegates from Washington State lined up for him. Six in Alaska have been instructed for him, but they must be ratified at an April primary and other slates may be formed before then.

Gov. Murray, of Oklahoma, who carried his sweeping campaign for the Democratic presidential nomination into Indiana last week with seven speeches, has Oklahoma's 22 delegates instructed for him, but that is as far as the Democratic delegate picking has gone.

Representative Rayburn issued a statement yesterday denying he was campaign manager for his Texas friend and saying he was not authorized to speak for him. He explained he was merely the national representative of the Texas committee set up last week at San Antonio at a Garner rally.

Gov. Ritchie of Maryland, another Democratic presidential possibility, carried his speech-making to Michigan and next Thursday plans to address a joint session of the South Carolina Legislature.

Republicans' Dry Plank As Suggested by Borah

(United Press.)

The law enforcement plank of the 1928 Republican platform, advocated by Senator Borah (Republican), Idaho, read as follows:

"We reaffirm the American constitutional doctrine as announced by George Washington in his 'farewell address,' to wit:

"'The Constitution, which at any time exists until changed by the explicit and authentic act by the whole people, is sacredly obligatory upon all.'

"We also reaffirm the attitude of the American people toward the Federal Constitution as declared by Abraham Lincoln:

"'We are by both duty and inclination bound to stick by that Constitution in all its letter and spirit from beginning to end. I am for the honest enforcement of the Constitution. Our safety, our liberty, depends upon preserving the Constitution of the United States as our forefathers made it inviolate.'

"The people through the method provided by the Constitution have written the eighteenth amendment into the Constitution. The Republican party pledges itself and its nominees to the observance and vigorous enforcement of this provision of the Constitution."

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PROGRAM OF HOME ECONOMICS IS SET

Expert to Address Fairfax Clubs on Dressmaking and Similar Topics.

The schedule arranged by Miss Sarah E. Thomas, Fairfax County home demonstration agent, for this week includes many activities. She will be assisted by the club leaders at the majority of the meetings.

Tomorrow morning Miss Thomas will meet with the Vienna 4-H Club to plan a program for the year and in the afternoon she will visit the McLean Club for the ame purpose. Tuesday morning the Burke 4-H Club will hear talks by Mrs. J. B. Davis and Mrs. A. F. Moon, club leaders, on the selection of materials, patterns and colors for wash dresses. The same morning the Forestville Home Demonstration Club will meet, and the officers will arrange a plan of work for the year, while the market committee will arrange plans for the opening of the women's stand in the Alexandria Market next month. Tuesday morning a demonstration on cake-making as a source of income will be given by the club leaders at Forestville by Miss Thomas, assisted by Mrs. Speight and Mrs. Tavener. At the meeting of the Forestville 4-H Club Tuesday afternoon the club leaders, Mrs. O. K. Miller and Mrs. Mark Turner, will discuss with the girls the selection of materials, patterns and colors for wash dresses. At Herndon Tuesday afternoon Miss Thomas will demonstrate before the home demonstration club finishes for undergarments. Miss Thomas will be assisted by Mrs. George Bready, club leader.

Wednesday at Fairfax a program will be given by the Pender section of the Fairfax 4-H Club, and that afternoon the Fairview 4-H Club will be given a demonstration on the making of wash dresses by club leaders, Mrs. J. B. Jones and Miss Carrie Davis. Thursday morning at the meetings of the Cameron 4-H Club and of the Pohick Club the demonstration will be on vegetables as a diet. Thursday afternoon the 4-H Club at Baileys Cross Roads will hear Miss Thomas, assisted by Mrs. J. Alward, talk on materials, patterns and colors for house dresses. The same afternoon the Annandale Home Demonstration Club will witness a demonstration on cake making by the club leaders. Mrs. D. H. Hannah, Mrs. Mabel Crandell, and Miss Charlotte Creel.

Friday morning at Groveton and Colchester the 4-H clubs will have demonstrations on vegetables as a diet, and Saturday afternoon Miss Thomas and Mrs. E. E. Neff, club leader, will talk before the 4-H club at Pender on materials, patterns, and colors for house dresses.

The March meeting of the Franconia Community League will be held Tuesday evening in the auditorium of the new Franconia School. Representatives from the State and District Councils of the Daughters of America will be present and outline requirements for the organization of a council in the Franconia neighborhood. The principal speaker of the evening will be Crockett C. Carr, of Five Oaks. Following the regular business session a program of entertainment will be presented by the pupils of the school.

The board of supervisors of Fairfax County will hold a special meeting Tuesday morning, beginning at 10 o'clock, in the courthouse at Fairfax. A public hearing will be held on the proposed county budget for the next fiscal year. All citizens of the county will be given an opportunity to speak for or against any of the items which have been included in the tentative budget outlined by the supervisors. The regular meeting of the board will be held on the following day.

The honor roll of the Oakton School which includes the names of the pupils who have neither been absent nor tardy and have made an average of at least 90 in all their studies during the past month has been announced by Miss Mary M. Snead as follows:

Elementary school—First grade, Bobbie Adams; second grade, Virginia Bowman, Edna Taylor, Ralph Thomas, Mary Craig, Mary Alice Payne; third grade, Ronald Blake, Dorothy Dennison, Betty Adams, Gladys Taylor and Anna Miller; fourth grade, Bert Adams and Catherine Watkins; fifth grade, Marion Miller; sixth grade, Mary Frances Rice, Edythe Follin, Margaret Follin and Margaret Thompson; seventh grade, Virginia Wilcox and Louise Miller.

High school — Freshmen, Jean Thompson, Ethel Compton, Franklin Gooding, Mildred Dyer, Marie Randolph and Earl Brunk; sophomores, Margaret Moore and Rebecca Rice; juniors, Lydia Driver, Irene Manville and Lucile Rice; seniors, Stella Fox, Frances Myers and Eileen Pearson.

Bids for the furnishing of wood for fuel in the public schools of Fairfax County next fall and winter will be received at the office of Superintendent W. T. Woodson, in Fairfax until March 3. A list of the schools where such fuel is used and the amount needed at each has been posted in the various sections of the county.

PROHIBITION IS MAIN ISSUE IN CAMPAIGN, SMITH HOLDS

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made himself the dry leader of the United States.

"The American people won't tolerate any eleventh hour, or death-bed conversion on this question. For twelve years the Republican party has been ducking and dodging, and straddling and side-stepping on prohibition, until it has presented the world with the worst example of political hypocrisy in all history.

"Relief can come only through the Democratic party."

Smith lauded Raskob's "home rule" plan, a plan whereby wet States could have liquor and dry States could depend on the Federal Government for enforcement, and his enthusiastic remarks evidently heralded a determined Smith crusade at the Chicago convention.

Those Democrats who are in favor of soft-pedaling prohibition and stressing the business slump are chiefly Southerners and Westerners, and they are to be found lined up, for the most part, behind Speaker John N. Garner and Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt.

When Representative John Schafer (Republican), of Wisconsin, the biggest, noisiest and most vehement of the House wets, asks where Speaker Garner stands on prohibition, Representative Tom Blanton (Democrat), of Texas, replies that it doesn't make any difference; that it is not prohibition, but economic questions that count.

Paying his respects to Southern drys yesterday, Gov. Smith said:

"To say that prohibition is not an issue is stupid. Men that say that don't believe it themselves. They are simply afraid of it."

Gov. Roosevelt had been pussyfooting on prohibition until, warned by those who know what the temper of the Chicago convention is going to be, he set out to make himself out a militant wet.

If the Southern Democratic drys are afraid of a wet plank in the Democratic platform, the Eastern Republican wets are nothing less than terrified by the thought of a dry one in the Republican platform. Hence their determination to get some kind of a referendum plank adopted in June.

After President Hoover vetoed the Anderson liquor plan in the Wickersham report, he was described by political observers as a "bone dry." Senator Pess, of Ohio, and other administration spokesmen, were quick to point out, however, that the President had not entirely closed the door to a change; that he was simply opposed to that particular plan. The President himself, however, has not revealed his own mind since then.

Hoover Plans Hit By NormanThomas

Socialist Holds Corporations Favored in Relief Legislation.

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Norman Thomas, Socialist candidate for President in 1928, termed President Hoover's financial program "unsound" and "shortsighted" today, speaking at a luncheon of the League for Industrial Democracy. He also called the rejection by the Senate of direct Federal aid for the unemployed "a crime of the first magnitude" and said the Senate was "doubtless following Hoover's wishes."

"The Federal Reconstruction Finance Corporation was not introduced until wages had been forced down and labor thoroughly defaulted both by wage cuts and unemployment," he said. "Then, help was provided for railroads, banks and industrial enterprises.

"But no stipulations were made that the corporations aided should wring water out of their capitalization or hold up wage levels, or give the public a voice in the management of enterprises the public was forced to save."

HERNDON PROBLEM ON SCHOOL FADING

Senate Weighs Bill to Give Town Right to Obtain State Financing.

With the passing of the bill now before the Virginia State Legislature making the town of Herndon a separate school district the worries of the Herndon School Board for the financing of the new home economics building and new gymnasium will be over. The two buildings were completed last winter at a cost of more than $15,000, of which about $7,000 remains unpaid. The initial payment was raised by private subscription among the citizens of the town.

Prior to last year the town was considered as a separate school district, but when the official census figures were announced it was discovered that the town did not have a population of 1,000 persons as required by State law, for the maintenance of a separate district. The title to the school building was in the name of the town council and when the local school board, composed of Frederick W. Robinson, chairman; Allen H. Kirk, clerk, and Benjamin F. McGuire, applied to the State school authorities for a loan from the State literary fund to pay the balance owed on the two buildings the application was denied. Unless the town was made a separate school district by legislative action the school property of the town would have to be deeded to Fairfax County in order to obtain a loan from that source.

The present fireproof brick school center of the town was started in 1913, when the grounds of approximately 7 acres were purchased and the main building, containing 13 classrooms and an auditorium with a seating capacity of 500, was erected. Since that time an agricultural building, home economics building and gymnasium have been completed, at a cost of more than $100,000, the major portion of which has been borne by the citizens of the town. The school is one of the largest school centers in northern Virginia, serving both high and elementary students of the northern section of Fairfax County as well as the town. It is the only school in the county offering agriculture, commercial and domestic science courses, in addition to the regular high school subjects.

Members of the county school board have stated that this school is typical of the five school centers which they are endeavoring to establish in the county, in accordance with the survey made by the State Board of Education. The citizens of the town of Herndon are reluctant to surrender to the county what they claim is their most valued possession. The bill making the town a separate school district, which would allow them to borrow State funds, has been passed by the House of Delegates and is now before the State Senate.

The new home economics building was furnished at a cost of $1,600 by Mrs. Ora Hart Avery, State supervisor of home economics. It contains five model rooms as would be found in the modern home. The students are instructed in all phases of housekeeping and cooking by Miss Francenia Abell.

The regular monthly meeting of the Fairfax County school board will be held next Saturday in the board room of the Fairfax County courthouse. Divisional Superintendent W. T. Woodson has mailed forms to all the teachers in the county in regard to reappointment for next year. These forms must be returned prior to the board meeting Saturday, which will consider placements for the 1932-1933 session, although the teacher appointments will not be completed or made public until the close of the current session in May.

ALEXANDRIA DANCING PUPILS GIVE RECITAL

Callaway Classes Present Program at Lyceum as Home Benefit.

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Mary Cabell Callaway presented her pupils in a final dance recital last night in the Lyceum, under the auspices of the junior board of the Anne Lee Memorial Home. Mrs. D. C. Book was accompanist.

The presentation was an Oriental fantasy in one act, written and staged by Mrs. Callaway, and also a miniature review called "Broadway Bound," arranged by her.

The first half of the program was as follows:

The Mandarin Wu Fu, Eleanor Wallace; his son, Li Chang, Albert Thomas; the Mandarin Hu Shan, Anne Monroe; his daughter, Harriet Hulfish. Bearers of the bridal chair, Jimmie Wallace, Jack Dienelt, Jack Lynch and Vernon Turner. Attendants, Polly Stephenson, Lucy Lennox Ashton and Wheat Thomas.

Amah, Margaret Cockrell; Coolie, Howell Thomas.

One of the most attractive of the dancing groups was the dance of the tea pots, by tiny tots, Betty Baney, Betty Dyson, Jennie Lingenfelter and Betty Thomas.

Lantern ballet, Jean Jeffries, Anne Duvall, Iona Newton, Virginia Gillum and Emily MacMorland.

Balloon Dance Group.

Balloon dance, Anne Powell, Martha Reed, Dorothy Blondheim and Margaret Anne Carlson.

Duet, Virginia and Elizabeth Rasbach.

Dance with a little bird, Harriet Hulfish.

Fan dance, Barbara Williamson, Harriet Hulfish, Jane Hulfish, Viola Gompf, Anne Daniel, Mary Ellen Fannon, Patty Hall, Mary Clair Hall, Wheat Thomas, Dorothy Ayres and Ellen Rammel.

Waltz Oriental, Betty Angermann.

Ming Toy, Emily MacMorland.

Golden hoops, Alberta Thomas, Joyce Sullivan, Rebecca Miller, Marjorie Mankin, Virginia Gillum and Emily MacMorland.

In the Broadway review Miss Betty Angermann was mistress of ceremonies and announced the numbers. They were:

Broadway bound, entire ensemble.

Future stars of the Great White Way, three tiny tots.

Gypsy dance, advanced class.

A bell hop, Evelyn Dillard.

Leap year lament, Mary Lee Carter.

St. Angnes' Class Dances.

Answer to a maiden's prayer, Julia Anne Patch, Grace Richards, Betty King, Gladys Prosise, Dolly Hiden and Evelyn Dillard (class from St. Angnes' School).

Tapping trio, Anna MacDonald, Virginia Walton and Barbara Crewe.

Ballet in blue, toe-dancing class

Check and double check, Harriet and Jane Hulfish.

Sis Hopkins, Evelyn Dillard.

Tip toes, Betty Angermann.

Down on the farm, Dorothy Blondheim, Margaret Anne Carlson, Martha Reed, Bruce McLeod, Anne Powell and Bobby Powell.

Specialty dance, Alberta Thomas.

A French baby, Mary Ellen Fannon.

Espanita, class from St. Angnes'.

Senor-senorita, Harriet and Jane Hulfish.

On parade, Margaret Ann Carlson, Martha Reed, Dorothy Blondheim, Bruce McLeod, Anne Powell, Bobby Powell.

Tulip time, Virginia and Elizabeth Rasbach.

Exhibition ballroom dance, Anne Monroe, Eleanor Wallace, Lucy Lennox Ashton, Polly Stephenson, Jimmie Wallace, Jack Lynch, Jack Dienelt, Howell Thomas, Billy Coontz, Vernon Turner, Joe Allen Jones.

Washington Portrait Is Copied by Woman

Miss Hattie E. Burdette, of Washington, has just completed painting a copy of the portrait of Gen. Washington standing beside a horse, following the battle at Yorktown, which was hung in the Alexandria City Hall as far back as the oldest inhabitant can remember.

The reproduction will be hung in Arlington Mansion, where it is claimed the original was at one time, but no records have been found to substantiate the claim. The painting was by George Washington Park Custis.

Woman Awarded Balm From Parents of Mate

A verdict of $5,000 was given Mrs. Bessie Vozeolos, of Washington, by a jury in the corporation court of Alexandria.

The suit was to recover damages of $50,000 from Dionialos Vozeolos and his wife, Polichonia Vozeolos, parents of Constantine Vozeolos, husband of the plaintiff, for alienation of his affections. A motion to set aside the verdict will be heard before Judge W. P. Woolls on Tuesday.

Reception Planned For New Citizens

Americanization Groups to Be Hosts at Party on Tuesday Night.

A reception for new citizens will be given in the auditorium of the United States Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night at 8 o'clock by the Americanization committee of the D. A. R., the Twentieth Century Club, the Federated Women's Clubs and the Americanization School Association of the District, it was announced last night.

A Washington Bicentennial pageant will be given by the naturalization classes of the Americanization School, portraying the settlement of the colonies and leading events of the life of Washington, with appropriate musical numbers. Miss Maude E. Aiton is administrative principal of the school, Judge Walter I. McCoy is president of the association, and S. H. Hanessian, vice president and manager.

The program is arranged and directed by Mrs. G. M. S. McClintock, teacher in charge of naturalization classes, assisted by the faculty and the following committees: Mrs. William H. McGuffey, stage; Mrs. Elmer Trueman, Miss Olga Weiman, Miss Vanderkooy, costumes; Mr. Romeo, music, A. S. A. band; Vladimir Vasa, A. S. A. chorus; Mrs. H. K. Vasa, foreign music.

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F. M. Wilcox was reelected president of the Review and Herald Publishing Association of the Seventh Day Adventists at Takoma Park.

Other directors and officers reelected at the annual meeting were E. L. Richmond, vice president and general manager; L. W. Graham, secretary-treasurer; J. W. Mace, assistant manager and manager of the book department; R. W. Conrad, superintendent, and Clarence Lawry, manager of the periodical department.

The following, who have given ten years of continuous service to the institution were voted members of the constituency: T. S. Dunham, Mrs. W. C. Wood, Mae Boyd, Amy Woodruff, Printha Stilwell and Nancy Brewer. Addresses were made by Prof. W. W. Prescott, a former president of the association, and editor of the Review and Herald, and E. L. Richmond, vice president, who presided as chairman of the annual meeting.

Annual reports were presented by Mr. Graham, treasurer; Mr. Lawry, manager of the periodical department, and W. F. Phillips, auditor. The book department report was presented in four divisions: J. D. Snider, for the Lake Union branch office; D. A. Bailey, for the Atlantic Union; C. E. Palmer, for the Columbia Union, and Mr. Mace, for the entire department. D. W. Reavis reported for the present Truth department, which, with the exception of two years, had the best year from a circulation standpoint in the history of the publication.

The following were elected members of the board of directors of the Washington Sanitarium at the biennial election: J. L. Shaw, chairman; C. C. Pulver, secretary-treasurer; F. M. Wilcox, O. Montgomery, F. H. Robbins, H. H. Hamilton, W. P. Elliott, Dr. D. H. Kress, Dr. W. A. Truman and Dr. D. E. Davenport.

At the annual meeting of the Washington Missionary College the following were elected members of the board of trustees: Mr. Robbins, R. L. Walin, H. H. Hamilton, Mr. Shaw, W. C. Hannah, A. W. Werline, H. J. Detweiller, A. J. Olson, C. V. Leach, C. S. Longacre, S. J. Ruskjer, J. L. McElhaney, B. G. Wilkinson, Dr. Truman, J. P. Neff, W. M. Robbins, C. W. Irwin, W. I. Smith, Mr. Wilcox, E. J. Stipeck, W. F. Swartz, W. A. Nelson, D. A. Rees, H. J. Klooster and Mr. Elliott.

Fred A. Goswell's Rites to Be Today

Former South Carolinian Will Be Taken There for Burial.

Funeral services for Jesse H. Gosnell, 74 years old, who died at the home of his son, Fred A. Gosnell, Country Club Hills, Arlington County, yesterday, will be conducted from C. J. Ives' funeral parlors this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial will be at his old home, Spartanburg, S. C.

Mr. Gosnell, who for the last eleven years has made his home with his son in Arlington County, was for a number of years a member of the central Democratic committee of his native State.

He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. G. C. Mannhum, of Gainesville, Ga.; Mrs. S. F. Hutchinson, of Herndon, Va., and Mrs. Harold Altmire, of this city, and two sons, Dr. C. B. Gosnell, professor of political economy at Emory University, Atlanta, Ga., and Fred A. Gosnell, of Arlington County.

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NEW SLAYING MARKS GANG 'TRUCE' IN OHIO

Cleveland Victim Held Member of Faction Sought for Triple Murder.

Cleveland, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Gangland's reported "truce" was broked again today by the fourth slaying in two days.

The body of Charles Gentile, 26, described by police as a beer baron, was found in a ditch near the Cleveland airport, his body pierced by eight steel-jacketed bullets and a half-smoked cigar still fast in his hand.

His mother said he left home last night in response to a telephone call from someone saying he was "in trouble." That was all that was learned about his movements until his body was discovered early today. Police said it was evident he had been "taken for a ride" by someone he thought was a friend.

Gentile, according to detectives, was a member of the Lonardo faction, three of whose members are sought for the triple execution Thursday of Raymond and Rosario Porello, brothers, and their henchman, Domenico Guell. For years the Porello and Lonardo factions have engaged in a bloody strife for control of the corn sugar business.

Officers, however, said there was no apparent connection between the slayings of Gentile and the Porellos. Rumors from the underworld grapevine were that Gentile was trying to gain control of the beer racket.

Since Gentile's hat was purchased in Detroit, officers also investigated the possibility he might have some connection there.

Frank Brancanto, believed by police to be the fourth victim of Thursday's gunfire, was still reported in a dying condition tonight, but refused to tell how he was shot.

Lumbermen Confident Of Business Comeback

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Officers of the Southwestern Lumbermen's Association are confident building activities will pick up throughout the country and the lumber industry is due for a "comeback."

DIED

ATWELL—On Thursday, February 25, 1932, at the residence of her daughter, Catherine Humphrey, 1205 I street southeast, SARAH EMMA, beloved widow of Joseph K. Atwell.
Funeral from the above residence on Monday, February 29, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Peter's Church, where mass will be offered at 9 a. m. for the repose of her soul. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery. Services by W. W. Chambers Co.

BURGER—Suddenly, on Saturday, February 27, 1932, at her residence, MARY A., daughter of the late John C. S. and Frances A. Burger.
Funeral from the home of her brother, Frank A. Burger, 1319 Delafield place northwest, on Monday, February 29, at 3:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment at Glenwood Cemetery.

CODY—On Saturday, February 27, 1932, at 5:30 p. m., at Emergency Hospital, JOHN W. CODY, aged seventy-four years.
Remains resting at the chapel of John R. Wright. Notice of funeral later. (New York papers please copy.)

COXEN—On Friday, February 26, 1932, at his residence, 762 Eleventh street southeast, GEORGE W., beloved husband of the late Elizabeth F. Coxen.
Funeral from above residence on Tuesday, March 1, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Peters Church where mass will be said at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

CREECY—On Friday, February 26, 1932, at his residence, the Fairfax, 2100 Massachusetts avenue northwest, EDWARD W., husband of Ienatia M. Creecy.
Funeral services at the chapel of Joseph Gawler's Sons, 1754 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, on Monday, February 29, at 2 p. m. Interment at Arlington National Cemetery.

CROSS—On Saturday, February 27, 1932, at the residence of her brother, Henry M. Cross, 729 Sixth street southeast, NELLIE DEBORAH, daughter of the late Jeremiah B. and Martha M. Cross.
Remains resting at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin street northwest. Funeral services in Congressional Cemetery Chapel on Tuesday, March 1, at 2 p. m. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

DOWLAN—On Saturday, February 27, 1932, at 12:40 p. m., MAZIE HELENA, beloved daughter of George W. Dowlan and the late Mary Josephine Dowlan and the beloved niece of Mrs. Clara L. Bryan, of 201 Ellerslie street, Capitol Heights, Md., aged twenty years.
Notice of funeral later.

FORD—On Saturday, February 27, 1932, at George Washington University Hospital, RAYMOND H., beloved husband of Nellie Fay Ford and son of George Ford and the late Jessie Ford, and brother of Lee Ford, of Boston, Mass.
Funeral from his late residence, 5805 Fourth street northwest, on Tuesday, March 1, at 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment at Fairfax, Va. Services by the W. W. Chambers Co.

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Post Gallery of Notables

ADMIRAL WILLIAM V. PRATT

WILLIAM VEAZIE PRATT was born with the roar of the ocean for a lullaby. In the little town of Belfast, Me., the lobster fishermen were hurriedly scudding in to port before the storm broke, but it sounded like music to the future Chief of Naval Operations.

With Mare Nostrum for a marraine, the path of the Pratt baby was clear—he was bound for Annapolis. He completed the course in four years and was graduated with enough honors to make his sponsor, the Hon. S. L. Milliken beam and say: "I told you so."

Ensign Pratt then began the slow climb through the hierarchical stages of the Fleet—lieutenant (j. g.), Lieutenant Commander and so on and as he passed through each succeeding stage, his record neatly folded in an official Navy Department dossier was his most eloquent proponent for the next grade.

When the war broke out, he was on duty at Panama and like every other naval officer his first thought was to get as near the fighting as a keel could go. His superiors, however, sent him back to Washington to the Army War College and after fretting there for some time he was ordered to the bureau of Naval Operations where he remained until November, 1918, when he accompanied President Wilson to Europe.

His counsel is highly prized for its absolute frankness and freedom from all predilection. He looks like a movie director's conception of modern sea fighter and smokes a pipe.

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HOOVER SIGNS BANKING BILL TO RELEASE CREDIT

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of sound and stable liquidity unparalleled in United States history.

It removes at one stroke from the entire banking picture the ugly specter of "frozen assets," and thus leaves bankers in all parts of the country free once more to carry on normal operations.

Even more important, perhaps, than the direct domestic benefits, is the fact that the release of the excessive gold reserves so reinforces America's gold position as to place the country forever beyond the reach of those recurrent drives on the dollar which have from time to time disturbed domestic finance during the past year. In the words of President Hoover, the new arrangement places the resources of the Federal Reserve System in such shape as "to enable them beyond question to meet any conceivable demands that might be made on them from abroad."

Antihoarding Appeal.

President Hoover, President Dawes of the Reconstruction Corporation, Governor Meyer of the Federal Reserve Board, and Senator Robinson, Democratic floor leader, plan an appeal to the people by radio the night of March 6 to end money hoarding.

Each will speak ten minutes. The broadcast will begin at 10:30.

The following day the Treasury will place on sale in small denominations an undetermined amount of Government securities to be offered directly to the public as part of the antihoarding campaign.

Statement by Hoover On Signing Credit Bill

The text of the President's statement yesterday on signing the Glass-Steagall bank bill follows:

In signing this bill, which comprises an essential part of the reconstruction program, I desire to express my appreciation to the leaders and members of both Senate and House of both parties who have cooperated in its enactment. The fine spirit of patriotic nonpartisanship shown in carrying out the emergency program is, I know, appreciated by the whole country.

The bill should accomplish two major purposes: First, in a sense this bill is a national defense measure. By freeing the vast amounts of gold in our Federal Reserve System (in excess of the gold reserve required by law), it so increases the already large available resources of the Federal Reserve Banks as to enable them beyond question to meet any conceivable demands that might be made on them at home or from abroad.

Second, it liberalizes existing provisions with regard to eligibility of collateral, and thereby enables the Federal Reserve Banks to furnish accommodations to many banks on sound assets heretofore unavailable for rediscount purposes.

The gradual credit contraction during the past eight months, arising indirectly from causes originating in foreign countries and continued domestic deflation, but more directly from hoarding, has been unquestionably the major factor in depressing prices and delaying business recovery.

This measure I am signing today, together with the additional capital provided for the Federal Land Banks and the creation of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, will so strengthen our whole credit structure and open the channels of credit as now to permit our banks more adequately to serve the needs of agriculture, industry and commerce.

I trust that our banks, with the assurances and facilities now provided, will reach out to aid business and industry in such fashion as to increase employment and aid agriculture.

I am confident that the further nonpartisan measures of reconstruction to assist the earlier payment of depositors in closed banks, to apply rigid economy in Government expenditures, to balance the budget, to reform railway regulation, &c., will be dealt with by the Congress in the same spirit of cooperation that these great questions have already received.

Early Filing Requested For U. S. Tax Returns

(Associated Press.)

Prompt filing of income tax returns to prevent a last minute rush on March 15 was urged yesterday by David Burnet, Commissioner of Internal Revenue. He said many persons had not filed because of the uncertainty as to what changes Congress might make and that if they continued to refrain from filing it would cause a great jam on March 15.

The commissioner also urged that taxpayers turn in accurately figured returns to save the Government the expense of having to correct them, return over payments or make assessments for under payments.

NOVICE BANDIT DIES, SIX SHOT IN HOLDUP

T. Philip Perkins, Golfer, Is Among Wounded at Florida Casino.

Miami, Fla., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—A one-armed grocer who turned bandit leader was killed and T. Philip Perkins, former British amateur golf champion, and five others were wounded early today in an attempt by a robber band to hold up the gambling casino of the fashionable Embassy Night Club.

Perkins, a guest of the club, was wounded in the thigh by one of the bandits, who used the husky, 6-foot Englishman as a shield in a gun battle with two policemen and casino watchmen.

The gunfire frustrated the holdup and no money was taken. The policemen were eating in the kitchen as the robbers entered. They were lined up with patrons but they caught the bandits off their guard and opened fire.

Loses Golf Final by Default.

Perkins was to have played in the final match of the Dixie amateur golf tournament here today but officials gave the title to Tommy Goodwin, Monroe, N. Y., by default after the Englishman's physician said his wound would prevent play for at least a month.

The slain man, who had strapped a home-made wooden forearm to his maimed elbow as a disguise, was identified as A. Y. Yarborough, formerly a grocer of Lakeland, Fla.

He was killed by a bullet from the pistol of Bert Muth, a watchman, as he fled from the gun battle between his followers and two policemen, Mack Oakford and G. J. Smith. He had been struck by bullets in the night club before Muth shot him four times in the head at a distance of about 40 feet as he emerged from the crowd of panic-stricken patrons pouring out doors of the club.

Were "Flustered Palookas."

The wounded, besides the British golfer, included three members of Yarborough's band, George Meyers, 40, Tulsa, Okla., critically wounded in the mouth; Eugene Eckman, 50, Miami, critically wounded near the heart, and an unidentified member of the gang who made his escape with two uninjured members.

In addition, George Fratten, 30, and John B. Runs, also known as Frank Woods, employes of the club, were wounded on the legs.

Perkins was taken to a hospital shortly after the shooting for an operation to remove the bullet from his thigh. He described the bandits as a "bunch of flustered palookas."

The golfer, lying on his hospital bed, related that members of the gang entered the gambling casino and ordered approximately 50 patrons to hold up their hands. Then, he said, shooting started in the dining room and one of the bandits, a small man, seized him and used his body for a shield until he shot him. Police said this man was Meyers, who was shot a few minutes later.

Eckman and Meyers were felled in the casino and were captured. Eckman's gun was jammed when it was hit with a bullet.

Physician Asserts Radio Soothes Insane Patients

London, Feb. 27 (U.P.).—Dr. P. M. Turnbull, superintendent of a sanitarium here, believes that insane asylums should furnish each inmate with a radio set.

After some experimentation Dr. Turnbull found, he said, that the radio soothes mentally unbalanced patients and makes them easy to handle.

$140,000 EMERGENCY LOAN IS AUTHORIZED IN ARLINGTON

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$20,000 for salaries for March. They decided that $9,870 must be paid for the interest on defaulted school bonds due February 1, and $6,850 for interest due on bonds tomorrow. The residue will be needed for supplies and current expenses.

The school board then adjourned to present their needs at the extraordinary meeting of the county board. Thomas J. DeLashmutt, chairman of the county school board, outlined the school needs to the county board immediately after the meeting was called to order.

Harry A. Fellows, chairman of the county board, suggested that since the school board needed such a large sum, the easiest method of procedure would be to borrow $140,000 in a lump sum, on one note, and then let the county turn the $40,000 over to the school board.

Stresses Emergency.

Mr. Douglas pointed out that this method of borrowing the money would be illegal since the school board has its own separate fund, and while it is all dispersed out of the county treasury, the county could not divert its own funds to the school board.

During the lengthy discussion Fletcher Kemp, superintendent of schools, brought matters back to earth with a single comment.

"Gentlemen," he said, "If money is not immediately forthcoming, the schools will close March 1."

There was little more discussion and the county board quickly adopted a resolution authorizing the sum of $40,000 to be borrowed for the school fund from the Citizens National Bank of Alexandria. The loan will probably be arranged tomotrrow. The money will be borrowed at 6 per cent interest for a term of 30 days.

Bank Not Yet Picked.

If for any reason the county's funds are still tied up a new loan will be arranged then.

After disposing of the school funds, the county board turned the floor over to County Manager Braden for his recommendations. He said that the pressing needs of the county were approximately $20,000 for existing watrrants, cash for the March and April pay rolls, and current bills for supplies and existing contracts. He said the entire amount would be about $100,000.

The board became involved in a discussion over which bank to turn to for the $100,000, but in the end it was agreed to leave the bank to the discretion of Chairman Fellows when he starts out tomorrow to seek the loan. The name of the bank was left blank in the resolution, which must be affixed to the note.

Note for the $100,000 will run for 60 days at 6 per cent interest.

Audit Is Expensive.

Regardless of the outcome of the audit of Ball's books, the reputed shortage is an expensive proposition for the county. While the Fidelity & Deposit Co., of Baltimore, yesterday assured Harry A. Fellows, chairman of the county board, that the firm was prepared to make immediate payment of any shortage proved, the county must pay a legal rate of interest on any money borrowed, and, in addition, must bear the expense of the audit by State officers. The expense of the audit can not be estimated at this time.

It is believed it will will take the five accountants from a month to six weeks to complete their audit.

Adoption of a new system of bookkeeping and issuance of warrants is being considered by County Manager Braden as a result of the investigation of the reputed $275.00 shortage. These changes have been suggested by the State auditors, he said. The plan involves a change in the forms for warrants and several radical departures in the entry system.

Gives Outline of Plan.

Mr. Braden gave an outline of the plan as he has worked it out to R. B. Jordan, chief auditor on the Arlington County work, who will study it for further recommendation while at his home in Richmond over the week-end.

Mr. Braden said he would present the plan to the county board at an early meeting.

While the county board was busy arranging funds to carry on the county's business, Charles T. Jesse, county political and business leader, who was appointed Friday as county treasurer, was busy straightening out his personal affairs and getting ready for his new job.

Mr. Jesse announced on taking the post that he would devote all of his time to it, and said that he might make some sweeping changes.

He might take the oath of office tomorrow. His bond was set by the Circuit Court at $400,000 and he did not take steps to obtain it from a Massachusetts firm until late Friday afternoon. Approval of the bond necessarily takes some time.

London Council Will Use Automatic Writer

London, Feb. 27 (U.P.).—In the future the London County Council, local government of the metropolis, will use a mechanical check signer for the 800,000 warrants and checks which pass through its hands every year.

In order to indemnify the bank against loss arising out of the honoring of checks signed mechanically, the machine, when not in use, will be kept in a special safe.

DAY IN CONGRESS

Saturday, February 27, 1932.

HOUSE.

Met at noon and recessed at 5:35 p. m. until noon Monday.

Passed $135,500,000 road construction bill to relieve unemployment.

Special economy committee called on all Cabinet members to present suggestions on how to cut expenses.

House expenditures committee failed to vote out Army-Navy consolidation bill.

Norris constitutional amendment abolishing "lame duck" session of Congress received unanimous approval of House and Senate conferees.

Leaders debated possibility of suspending session during political conventions.

Wet bloc lacked only 18 votes of 145 indorsements required for House vote on consideration of State prohibition control.

Representative Rayburn (Democrat), Texas, announced he is not campaign manager for Speaker Garner.

SENATE.

Not in session.

Senator Walcott (Republican), Connecticut, proposed open hearings before Senate banking committee "to find the culprits" who are driving down security prices on the stock exchange.

Senator Borah (Republican), Idaho, expressed confidence Republican platform will contain prohibition plank little different from 1928 rigid enforcement declaration.

CAPONE'S SENTENCE TO PRISON IS UPHELD

Only Two Faint Hopes of Evading Leavenworth Cell Remain.

Chicago, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Scarface Al Capone's eleven-year sentence for income tax evasion was sustained today by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals.

Thus the world's most notorious gangster was brought nearer a prison sentence, although it was on a bookkeeping charge of tax violation rather than for any of the higher crimes charged to his regime of violence and murder.

The decision in favor of the Government left the gang leader with but two faint rays of hope—A rehearing by the appellate court and a review by the United States Supreme Court. None of his underlings had succeeded in these final appeals.

Capone, when the news reached him in his county jail cell, turned without a word and flung himself on a cot, his face out of view.

The burly gangster had been in the county jail since October 24, when Federal Judge James H. Wilkerson gave him the stiffest penalty ever recorded in an income tax case, eleven years' imprisonment and $50,000 fine. For four months he had been awaiting the outcome of the appeal and getting no credit on his sentence.

The appellate court, working rapidly, found no basis for Capone's contention that the indictments against him were insufficient, and that he had been deprived of his constitutional rights. On the contrary, the court found that the language of the indictments "follows explicitly the language of the statute" and that Judge Wilkerson made no error when he overruled the demurrer and motion in arrest of judgment filed by Capone's counsel.

Even if a slight mistake had been made in the wording of the indictments, the court held, the defect would be of a technical nature not affecting the substantial rights of the appellant.

DEATH TO KINDAPERS URGED BY SUMNERS

House Member Heeds Plea of Midwest Goup on U. S. Aid to Halt Terror.

(Associated Press.)

The gangster's fear of "whiskers," as he calls "Uncle Sam," will be intensified by a death penalty for the kidnaper if Chairman Sumners of the House judiciary committee has his way.

Sumners' forecast yesterday that the Cochran bill forbidding transportation of abduction victims across State lines as a Federal weapon against the "kidnaping racket," had a very good chance for a favorable report from his group. He added that he would work to keep the death penalty provision in the measure.

"It's war," Chairman Sumners said of the Midwest kidnaping terrorism described before his committee in sessions, partly secret, by Chicago and St. Louis police and vigilantes.

Little Children Tortured.

The grisly narrative had included instances of tortures of little children, third degree methods of the most nerve-shattering sort applied to prominent business men, and taunting and terrifying letters to mothers to intensify anxiety and extort large sums.

Ransoms as high as $150,000 were cited. Leading Midwest citizens were pictured as living in dread and going about in automobiles locked and fortified against attack with sawed-off shotguns and pistols ready to fire.

A police chief told of a "kidnaping circuit" run by a "kidnaping syndicate," principally bank robbers turning to human victims as easier and bigger money.

"Buster" Brown, of St. Louis, alleged "brains" of a Nation-wide kidnaping system, now under arrest in New York, was mentioned.

Profound Impression.

On Chairman Sumners, a Texas Democrat, strongly in favor of States rights, the tale made such a profound impression that he said with regard to the proposed Federal control:

"I would like to see it worked out without increasing Federal responsibility. But I recognize there is a very solid basis, entirely consistent with our theory of government, on which this claim could rest.

"If I could feel sure we could work out a Federal assistance plan, without loss of that fine spirit of citizenry to combat the evil—a spirit shown here by these men of St. Louis and Chicago—I would heartily favor the law."

Chairman Sumners referred to: Robert Isham Randolph, head of Chicago's "secret six," and Sergt. Leroy Steffens, Chicago, and a St. Louis group, including Walter Weisenburger, Chamber of Commerce president; Police Chief Gerk and former member of Congress Cleveland A. Newton, head of the St. Louis Citizens Anti-gangster group.

Mitchell Opposes Bill.

Usually very calm of manner, the Texan spoke with strong feeling on the cruelties of the kidnapers.

"The test of a system is whether it will work, and in the countries where the death penalty applies to such crimes as abduction for ransom and murder, the citizenry go about without fear," he said.

Asked what could be done about States where there is no death penalty Chairman Sumners said:

"I believe they could find a way to work things out under this bill."

The Cochran bill provides that the person convicted of transporting from State to State anyone abducted and held for ransom shall be "punished by death or imprisonment for such a term of years as the court in its discretion shall determine."

Attorney General Mitchell advised against the measure on economy grounds as necessitating a larger appropriation for Federal law enforcement officers.

Third Palace at Kish Found by Excavators

Chicago, Feb. 27 (U.P.).—The uncovering of the third palace on the site of the ancient city of Kish, by the excavators of the Field Museum-Oxford University joint expedition to Mesopotamia has disclosed a large reservoir from which water was piped, according to Stephen C. Simms, director of the Field Museum of Natural History.

Two of the palaces were uncovered last year. All three are of the Sasanian dynasty of Persian kings dating from A. D. 226 to 637. Kish is believed to have been the site of the world's earliest civilization, materials found there dating back as far as 5,500 years ago.

COBLENTZ INDICTED IN BANK'S FAILURE

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ance and nonfeasance were returned against Page, based on allegations he gave false information to the directors of the Washington Trust Co. as to the financial position of the Central, on which the merger was approved.

The other indictments charged Coblentz with having accepted deposits when he knew the Central Trust Co. was unsound, and when he knew it was to close the day after the deposits were made. Others charged conspiracy to defraud depositors against Coblentz and the other officials of the bank.

State's Attorney James Clark said the investigation of the bank here had not been completed with the return of the indictments and that it would be carried on by the incoming jury.

The Central Trust Co. was closed last September 3 and its eleven branches in Frederick, Washington, Montgomery, Howard and Carroll counties were closed with it. The grand juries of the other counties have been investigating, but none have acted as yet.

After the closing Coblentz attributed the collapse to shrinkage of values of the bank's investments, coupled with "unfavorable publicity" received by him in connection with the failure of the F. H. Smith Co., Washington building concern.

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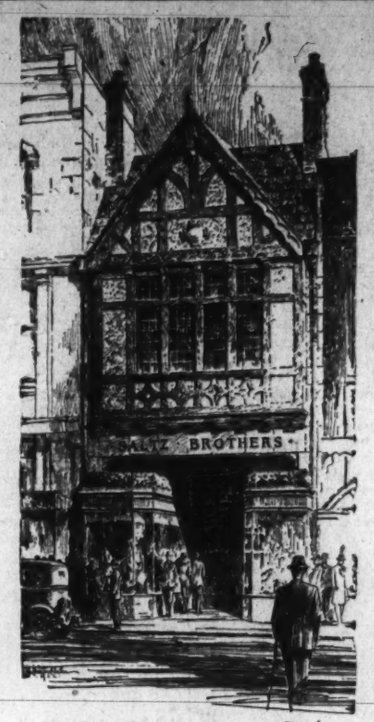

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183 Fine Broadcloth Oxford and Madras Shirts, collar attached; all sizes 95c
7 Gabardine Trench Coats; were $15.00; full cut; light tan shade $8.95
64 Men's Athletic Union Suits, sleeveless; knee length; madras; were up to $2.00 ..... 99c
107 Prs. Finest Quality Madras Pajamas; were $3.50; all styles and sizes $1.49
17 Flannel and Silk Robes; these sold from $10.95 to $18.50 ..... $6.95
38 Prs. Pigskin, Mocha and Wool-lined Gloves; were mostly $5.00 quality $1.95
302 Fine Shirts, imported madras, oxfords, chambrays; collar-attached and collar to match; were priced up to $5.00 ..... $1.85
191 Fine Silk Neckties, from our own regular stocks; were $2.00 and $2.50 ..... $1.15
178 Prs. Pure Silk Fancy Pattern Silk Half Hose; sold regularly for $1.00 ..... 39c
101 Prs. English Twill and Madras Shorts; were $1.50 ..... 79c
117 White Swiss Rib Pull-over Undershirts; regularly $1.00 ..... 49c
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FORD PLANS TO SELL 1,800,000 CARS IN '32

Sees Return of Prosperity in Marketing Vast Production of 8-Cylinder Models.

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Detroit, Feb. 27 (U.P.).—Henry Ford believes his new eight-cylinder automobile will deliver a body blow to depression. He believes it so firmly that he is staking millions on the premise that during 1932 he can manufacture and sell 1,800,000 four and eight cylinder automobiles.

Already the Ford millions necessary to manufacture the new cars are stimulating the economic life of Dearborn and the surrounding territory. There is now no unemployment in Dearborn, with 70,000 men working for Mr. Ford and 25,000 expected to be added to the pay roll by June 1. He has and will spend millions with 6,200 firms for parts and accessories. If he reaches his goal of 1,800,000 cars he will have met pay rolls totaling $198,000,000 before the year is out.

"Nothing will bring money out of hiding more quickly than the opportunity to spend it on good values," Mr. Ford declared. "The country was flooded with false values and a state of mind was created in the people which only the return of extra-good values can change."

In a screened-off corner in the Dearborn laboratories, were six new cars. There was not a thing beyond the familiar trade mark to identify them with the old Ford cars. The bodies were streamlined. They had slanting windshields, V-shaped radiators with rounded crown and were in the same color as the bodies. The bodies were longer, wider, lower. Free wheeling was one of the features. Gasoline tanks had been moved to the rear, ignition key to the steering post. Wheels were larger, tires were heavier, hub caps larger.

Mr. Ford explained that he had been driving the new cars over country roads for weeks, undetected because they had been disguised with old truck radiators.

"They will get up to 80 miles and are built to run at 65 and 70, which is fast enough for any car," Mr. Ford said. "The gas consumption of the eight is approximately that for the four." The four cylinder motor will fit in the same chassis as the eight.

Mr. Ford revealed that 83,560 advance orders all with deposits had been received. Three-fourths were for the eight cylinder models.

Mr. Ford said that he would not devise a new method of financing to make it easier to buy a car.

"We plan no new method of financing," he said. "I don't see that the standard instalment plan which we use needs to be modified because of the business situation. If you produce a real value people will buy. That's what they're waiting for.

"We expect to start shipping final parts in four or five days. The new models should be available for display very soon after that. We have already 50,000 bodies made up. Our immediate objective will be 6,000 cars a day."

Florida Town to Pay Workers in 'Baby Bonds'

Lake Worth, Fla., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The city commission today took action to accept Government "baby bonds" in payment of any city obligations and announced that all employes of the city next month will accept pay in these bonds. Lake Worth claims the honor of being the first city in the Nation to take this action.

Bonds will be accepted in payment of delinquent taxes and assessments or current taxes. Municipal light and water bills also may be paid with "baby bonds."

Transport License Given Negro Pilot

Awarding of Permit for Pennsylvanian Due to Elks' Efforts.

C. Alfred Anderson, of Bryn Mawr, Pa., according to announcement made here last night by the office of the grand exalted ruler of colored Elks, has been awarded his transport pilot license from the Department of Commerce, being the only American Negro qualified as a transport air pilot. Private air licenses have been held by a considerable number of colored men and women.

While Anderson's qualification was due chiefly to activity of Quaker City Lodge, headed by Dr. John M. Marquess, it was actively abetted by a committee of the grand lodge, which held a conference with Secretary Hurley following discharge of colored men from the United States Cavalry in order that the air forces might be augmented.

The Philadelphia lodge purchased a plane and secured instruction so that Anderson might complete 200 solo flying hours as well as the other incidental tests. It will continue to train colored men for the air-mail pilot service and as instructors in a new field of employment for them. Negro air corporations have been put in operation in Baltimore and Wichita, Kans., and a chain is expected to develop throughout the East and Middle West.

More Government Moving Is Ahead

Civil Service Commission New Quarter to Be in Old Patent Office.

Exodus of Government branches from old quarters into new will continue tomorrow when the Civil Service Commission will start moving into the former Patent Office Building, at Ninth and F streets, Karl J. Hardy, secretary of the Public Buildings Commission announced yesterday.

The migration, which will take from four to six days, will be effected in the late afternoon and night so as to interfere as little as possible with the work of the commission and traffic. The vacated quarters of the commission will be occupied by units of the Labor Department, probably the Bureau of Labor Statistics and the Immigration Bureau.

Another move scheduled is that of the Women's and Children's Bureaus of the Labor Department which will leave the building at Twentieth street and Constitution avenue and take residence in the Winder Building, at Seventeenth and F streets. This structure was formerly the home of the Bureau of Mines which is now in the new Commerce Building.

OBSEQUIES SET

EDWARD W. CREECY.

FLOODS AND SLIDES CAUSE DEATHS OF 14

Railroad and Motor Traffic Blocked by Snow and High Waters in West.

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Fourteen persons were dead, railroad and motor traffic blocked at many points and numerous towns isolated tonight because rains and record warm weather for February followed close upon a record snowfall in Washington and north Idaho.

No confirmation could be obtained of a report that six persons drowned in an automobile near Cedar Falls. It was believed to be a false rumor which spread in almost panic-stricken towns in the Cascades.

Fresh snow and earth slides threatened mountain and hill communities while the flood danger in lowlands was reported by the State Highway Department the worst in years. At least a score of rivers flowed over their banks, washing away houses and bridges and drowning live stock.

Another man was believed dying as a result of the avalanche in the cascades, which carried away four homes at Edgewick, killing seven persons. Skagit River Canyon, above New Halem, still held the bodies of four Seattle City light workmen, while six others rescued from the tomb were recovering from injuries.

A boy was drowned in Cottonwood Creek, near Davenport. Two were killed in yesterday's flood at high Point, near Issaquah.

All transcontinental trains on lines between Seattle and Spokane have been routed through Vancouver, Wash., because of washouts. Other lines along the coast were washed out at different points and a freight train was wrecked at Gray's Harbor.

Hundreds of residents of flooded areas abandoned their homes.

The Red Cross opened its purse strings with the first emergency expenditures in Washington. Authorized field representatives have been asked to stand by to give assistance.

BEAR INVESTIGATION IS URGED IN SENATE

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that "hundreds of men who are on the inside tell me the evil is short-selling." He added that persistent drops in the market were hindering the restoration of business confidence.

Senator Hastings (Republican), Delaware, in urging his resolution of inquiry, insisted that responsible persons had informed him that 111 stocks on the exchange were selling at about half of their book value, based on liquid assets alone.

Senator Blaine asked that the names of the bear raiders mentioned by Walcott be produced. However, the Connecticut senator was unable to be present, and these were not forthcoming. Chairman Norbeck adjourned the committee until tomorrow or Tuesday, to consider the Walcott proposal for calling in the professional short-sellers.

Senator Capper (Republican), Kansas, author of a bill to restrict short-selling, produced hundreds of letters from all parts of the country demanding an inquiry. Senator Thomas (Democrat), Oklahoma, also has pending before the committee a resolution for a short-selling investigation.

Senator Couzens (Republican), Michigan, challenged the contention of Senator Watson that everyone was interested in the stock market, and that its operations governed business.

Senator Wagner (Democrat), New York, complained that no attempt was made to check the orgy of speculation in 1928 and 1929, preceding the collapse of prices, which gave the bears their opportunity to work.

The Walcott statement read to the committee said:

"Congress has waited patiently for a year for some action to be taken by the New York Stock Exchange to curb excessive short sales made for speculative purposes, but to date no effective regulations have been adopted, although the president of the New York Stock Exchange has been repeatedly urged to act.

"If bear raids occurred to check over-speculation in a high market, or to offset the pyramiding of stocks, they would serve some useful purpose but the bears wait until the market is depressed by uncertainty and fear and then as it approaches the bottom they put on their pressure, through false rumors and depressing statements.

"It has been urged that Congress should not interfere with the natural flow of business on the Stock Exchange to curb either short or long sales, and Congress has been patient, but Congress and the country are tired of seeing every attempt to help our financial institutions correct the economic depression, every attempt on the part of the administration to give courage and hope knocked in the head by the bear raiders as soon as the security market has had a few days in the right direction, and these raids must be stopped; if not by strict Stock Exchange regulations, then by congressional action, that the orderly return to better conditions may be unimpeded by artificial depression ruthlessly indulged in by speculators and gamblers who are willing at this critical time to take advantage of the general depression and unemployment to make matters still worse, and profit by their iniquitous dealings.

"The first duty of Congress clearly is to find the culprits and determine the extent of their operations and it is proposed to do this at once by holding open hearings before the committee on banking and currency, commencing early next week."

EDWARD W. CREECY FUNERAL TOMORROW

Burial Will Be in Arlington Cemetery With Full Military Honors.

Edward W. Creecy, known to his many friends as "Col. Creecy," died Friday at the Fairfax Hotel, 2100 Massachusetts avenue northwest, where he made his home. He was 86 years old.

Born in New Orleans, Mr. Creecy came to Washington after resigning from the Naval Academy. He entered the Academy in 1863, and was trained aboard the frigate Constitution when it was a school ship. Mr. Creecy was aboard the frigate when it made a trip to Newport, R. I., where the Academy was temporarily moved during the Civil War.

Mr. Creecy had been in poor health since last year when he was injured in an autobomile accident. The accident interfered with his plan to apply to the Navy Department for a place as a member of the crew of the Constitution when the ship was making a tour.

Mr. Creecy was a member of the National Press Club, the G. A. R., and the Order of the Loyal Legion. He was the father of Col. R. B. Creecy, who killed his wife and then ended his own life in a Washington hotel in October, 1930.

An expression of deep regret was made at the death of Mr. Creecy yesterday by Bascom N. Timmons, president of the National Press Club. Mr. Timmons appointed the following committee to attend the funeral: Charles A. Hamilton, John Boyle, Dr. Albert W. Harned, C. S. McNeir, Frank P. Morgan, Mayo Dudley, John J. Walsh, Donald A. Craig, John O. Williams, Robert E. King, Ralph E. Collins, Edward B. Martin, Benjamin Neiman, Hunt Clement, jr., and Leland S. Conness.

The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the chapel of Joseph Gawler's Sons, 1754 Pennsylvania avenue northwest. Burial will be in Arlington National Cemetery with full military honors.

Nina McNary, 74, Sister Of Oregon Senator, Dies

Portland, Oreg., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Miss Nina McNary, 74, sister of Senator Charles L. McNary, of Oregon, and of Federal Judge John H. McNary, died here today. She had been ill for four months.

Charles and John were small boys when their parents died and Nina McNary took over the task of rearing the children. The family was in straightened circumstances, but Miss McNary saw to it that the boys were educated and she lived to see each gain distinction in legal and political fields. Funeral services will be held here next Monday.

RITES FOR MRS. STEVENSON

Deceased Was Widow of Minister; Funeral This Afternoon.

Mrs. Eliza A. Stevenson, 85 years old, of 6912 Sixth street northwest, a native of Birmingham, Ala., and a resident of Washington since 1887, died Friday at Garfield Hospital after an illness of two weeks, it was announced yesterday. Coming to this country in early childhood, from England, Mrs. Stevenson was married to the Rev. David K. Stevenson, Methodist minister of Pittsburgh, who died in 1883. She was a member of the Brightwood Park Methodist Episcopal Church of this city.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Samuel Scrivener, and three sons, Faber Stevenson and Morton W. Stevenson, of Washington, and the Rev. Ezra R. Stevenson, of Midland, Mich.; also by a sister, Mrs. George A. Hay, of Long Beach, Calif. Funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock this afternoon from the residence. Burial will be in Steubenville, Ohio.

Tinkham Attacked By Church Board

Charges Against Cannon Described as "Bluff and Bluster."

(Associated Press.)

The Methodist Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals yesterday termed the latest attack of Representative Tinkham, of Massachusetts, on Bishop James Cannon, jr., "bluster and bluff evidently based upon the presumption that the American people are utter fools."

In its weekly clipsheet the board reviewed the Tinkham-Cannon controversy over the churchman's anti-Smith activities in 1928 and applauded a District of Columbia court for sustaining Cannon's demurrer and throwing out his indictment under the Federal corrupt practices act. After Tinkham accused Cannon of violating the law, the clipsheet recalled, Cannon challenged him to waive congressional immunity, and sued for libel. The representative recently "dared Bishop Cannon to proceed with his action for damages," the clipsheet added.

"And yet only a short time before," it said, "Mr. Tinkham, through his attorneys, had appeared in court and humbly pleaded that the atrocious allegations * * * were protected under the privilege of congressional immunity, and this plea was made despite the fact that Mr. Tinkham, in the most spectacular way, had definitely laid aside his congressional immunity."

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MRS. ALAN WINSLOW BURIED IN OAK HILL

Hoover Attends Rites for Daughter of Castle in Bethlehem Chapel.

President Hoover attended the funeral services in Bethlehem Chapel of Washington Cathedral yesterday afternoon for Mrs. Alan Winslow, 27-year-old daughter of Undersecretary of State and Mrs. William R. Castle, jr., who died of pneumonia in New York Friday.

The office for the burial of the dead was read by the Very Rev. G. C. F. Bratenahl, dean of Washington, assisted by Canon Edward S. Dunlap and the Right Rev. James E. Freeman, Bishop of Washington, pronounced the benediction.

Many members of the Diplomatic Corps attended the service as well as friends of the family and representatives of official Washington generally. President Hoover was accompanied by his secretary, Theodore Joslin. Among the members of the Cabinet present were the Secretary of State and Mrs. Henry L. Stimson, the Secretary of the Treasury and Mrs. Ogden Mills, the Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Charles Francis Adams. The Ambassador of France, M. Claudel, and the Ambassador of Japan, Mr. Debuchi, were among the diplomats present.

The ushers were eight junior members of the Department of State staff under the direction of Warren Delano Robbins, chief of the Division of Protocol.

The Cathedral Chapter, of which Undersecretary of State Castle is a member, was represented by Bishop Freeman, Dean Bratenahl, the Right Rev. Philip M. Rhinelander, warden of the College of Preachers, and Corcoran Thom.

The relatives present included the Undersecretary of State and Mrs. Castle, Alan Winslow, husband of the deceased, and Alfred S. Castle.

Interment was in Oak Hill Cemetery.

ILLNESS FATAL

MRS. MARY E. ROVER

Mrs. Rover Dies In Her 83d Year

Mother of District Attorney Succumbs to Pneumonia; Funeral Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary E. Rover, mother of United States Attorney Leo A. Rover, died yesterday morning at her home at 2901 Courtland place, after a four-day illness of pneumonia. Mrs. Rover had celebrated her eighty-third birthday three weeks ago.

Mrs. Rover, a native of Washington, had been active in church and social life, having been in good health until stricken with a cold last Wednesday. She had been a widow about twenty years.

Besides her son she is survived by four daughters, Mrs. J. Frank Ferry, Mary A. Rover, Katherine T. Rover and Mrs. Adelaide I. Cavanagh, and another son, Bernardin F. Rover. All are residents of Washington.

Funeral services will be held at St. Aloysius Church Tuesday morning, with burial at the Mount Olivet Cemetery.

MRS. T. F. WALSH FUNERAL IS HELD

President and Mrs. Hoover and Curtis Among Those Sending Wreaths.

Funeral services for Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh, widow of the mining capitalist and for 35 years prominent in social and philanthropic circles in Washington, were held yesterday morning at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Evalyn Walsh McLean, at 2020 Massachusetts avenue northwest.

The office for the burial of the dead was read by the Right Rev. James E. Freeman, Bishop of Washington, and interment was in Rock Creek Cemetery. The funeral services were private and attended only by members of the family and close friends of Mrs. Walsh and Mrs. McLean.

The floral tributes were of unusual beauty, and among them were wreaths from President and Mrs. Hoover, Vice President Curtis and other social and and national notables of Washington and elsewhere.

Mrs. McLean was accompanied by her son, John R. McLean 2nd, who came from St. Paul's School, Concord, N. H., to attend the funeral of his grandmother.

Mrs. Walsh is survived by her daughter, Mrs. McLean; three grandchildren, John R. McLean 2nd, Edward Beale McLean, jr., and Miss Emily Beale McLean, and a nephew, Monroe Lee, of California. A native of Wisconsin, Mrs. Walsh came to Washington with her husband about 35 years ago from Colorado.

Sinclair Merger Parley Enjoinment Is Refused

Topeka, Kas., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Judge Orie L. Phillips refused in United States District Court tonight to enjoin the holding of the annual meeting of Prairie Pipe Line Company stockholders in Independence, Kas., next Tuesday, at which the proposed consolidation of the concern with the Prairie Oil & Gas Company and Sinclair Consolidated Oil Corporation will be up for approval.

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ARMY-NAVY MERGER IS DELAYED IN HOUSE

Democrats Continue Attack on Cabinet Members for "Blocking" Plan.

(Associated Press.)

House Democrats trying to cut expenses by consolidating Government activities met a setback yesterday but stuck to their plans for a thorough study of superfluous executive machinery and renewed a charge that the Cabinet was not cooperating.

Before the expenditures committee adjourned without approving the Democratic-sponsored bill to merge the War and Navy Departments, Chairman Byrns, of the special economy committee, said he had asked all members of the Cabinet for suggestions as to what activities could be eliminated.

Then, Secretary Mills made public a letter to Chairman Cochran, of the expenditures committee, insisting that "any failure to cooperate will not be due to any action or attitude on our part."

Cochran retorted: "The President has suggested an administrator of public works and a personnel administrator. If Mr. Mills or any other member of the Cabinet will let me know what Government agencies the President desires in these set-ups I will then certainly announce that the Government departments are cooperating with the Congress."

Answer to Mills.

Cochran granted that in two letters he had received from Mills, the Treasury Secretary had said that insofar as proposed consolidation legislation "conforms to the President's recommendation, it has the approval of this department."

"Mr. Mills tells the committee he wants it to do exactly as the President requests," Cochran asserted. "The Congress has a responsibility as well as the President, and an agency of the Congress is trying to get the executive department's assistance to bring about proper legislation to consolidate and coordinate Government activities."

The difficulty, the Missouri Democrat explained, is that no Cabinet member has explained what portions of proposed measures do not conform to the recommendations Mr. Hoover made in a special message to Congress February 17.

Again Predicts Approval.

Cochran disagreed with the view of some members of the expenditures committee that yesterday's refusal to approve the War-Navy bill meant the legislation had been indefinitely delayed.

Although the committee did not set a date for further consideration, he reiterated the belief that the measure would be approved and presented to the House.

Opposition to the legislation centered around a phrase that would give the President authority to consolidate, eliminate or redistribute the functions of agencies "by rules and regulations not inconsistent with law."

They held the belief this would permit the President, among other things, to transfer rivers and harbors work, which has been done by Army engineers for many years.

Cochran and Democrats who sponsor the consolidation contend the Chief Executive would be compelled to ask congressional authority to change any organization specifically authorized by law.

Lone Robber Imprisons Bankers; Gets $3,500

Tampa, Fla., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—A bandit locked the cashier, the president, and the latter's son in the vault of the Bank of Port Tampa today and escaped with about $3,500.

LA FONTAINE FREED AFTER 2 MONTHS

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heart trouble and other ailments, such treatment being unavailable to him while he was in jail.

Judge Chestnut's order took the form of a modification of sentence which reduced the jail term from nine months to fifty-six days. It did not, however, affect a $1,000 fine, which was paid at the time of imposition.

Upon being released from jail yesterday, La Fontaine went at once to Baltimore on business. Later, however, he returned to Ellicott City and spent the night with Warden Edward W. Day, at the latter's invitation. It was reported that La Fontaine would take a trip for his health, but that he might stay at the home of the warden, near the jail, for several days.

La Fontaine was charged with evasion of an income tax payment in 1926 of $11,633.62. When arraigned on the charge La Fontaine informed the court that he had settled the Government's civil claim against him by a payment of more than $200,000.

When he pleaded guilty to the charge, La Fontaine admitted that he operated a gambling establishment on the Bladensburg road just outside of Washington.

CHERRY BLOSSOMS RECORD PREDICTED

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do about it," Mr. Gartside finished plaintively.

Early in March last year the blossoming date was tentatively set for March 28. A snowstorm on St. Patrick's day, March 17, delayed the blooming, although it did not hurt the buds, and they were not at their best until April 9. This is the sort of thing that happens to fragile flowerlets when authorities say definite things about dates and blooms.

Yesterday was not the sort of day which advances the blooming date, compared with Friday. Friday the temperature reached 78 degrees at 3 o'clock, while yesterday's high was 71 at 1 o'clock. Both temperatures were considerably higher than on Thursday, however, when the mercury reached its highest point of 57 at 4 o'clock.

Colder and cloudy weather is in prospect for today, and last night's minimum temperature was supposed to be about 37, the Weather Bureau said in its forecast. The barometer reading indicated that some change in weather conditions is on its way.

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2 Rival Teams of Different Systems Reach Bridge Finals

Mrs. Culbertson and Von Zedtwitz Forge Ahead to Last Round, While Ambitious Entries of Women's Whist Club Are Forced to Retire.

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Two brilliant teams, each espousing a rival "system" of contract bridge, will meet in the final play for the Curt H. Reisinger Team of Four Trophy at the Hotel Roosevelt tomorrow.

Mrs. Ely Culbertson, whose husband's "approach-forcing" system was the bone of contention in their recent marathon with Sidney Lenz, and her veteran bridge world team, won their way to the final late today by setting back a skilled and ambitious team from the Women's Whist Club.

Meanwhile, down in Deal, N. J., the famous "Four Horsemen" of bridge—P. Hal Sims, Oswald Jacoby, Willard S. Karn, and David Burnstine—were fighting out the other bracket with an astute outfit from the Cavendish Club, the same team, incidentally, which met them in the Vanderbilt Cup finals.

The "horsemen" play their own "one-over-one" system, in which any bid of one over an original one is absolutely forcing. The Cavendish team sponsors the same style of play, with certain original, and highly technical variations of their own.

Curiously enough, the similarity of methods was in evidence at the semifinals here, since the Women's Whist Club team plays "Culbertson," in which an original two-bid is forcing.

This team, incidentally, is composed entirely of beginners in championship play, and the fact that they reached the semifinals, defeating many shrewd veterans, was one of the upsets of the week's play.

Two of their members, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Raffel, also reached the finals last night in the Julian Goldman pair competition, an event won by Lenz and Commander Winfield Liggett, jr.

Mr. Lenz and Mr. Liggett were on hand when Reisinger play began at the Deschapelles Club, the latter lugging along the huge Goldman Cup because he had a date with a photographer. Mr. Lenz was referee of the semifinals, but took time out for the cameraman.

Mrs. Culbertson and her partner, Baron Waldemar von Zedtwitz, opposed Mr. and Mrs. Raffel in one match, while Theodore A. Lightner and Martin Gottlieb opposed Mrs. Herman N. Liberman and Miss Elsie Holtzman in another room.

Mr. Lightner and Mr. Gottlieb were in the north and south seats, toward which the strong hands ran. They piled up a commanding lead, while Mrs. Culbertson and Von Zedtwitz, defending the same deals at east and west, used shrewd bidding to keep the Raffels from possible games and slams.

"Sometimes we took small sets when left in an impossible contract," said Mrs. Culbertson, "but in every case it was offset by the fact that Lightner and Gottlieb bid and made game or slam. That is the reason we won."

While the Culbertson policy was successful enough to insure the comfortable plus of 1,730, there were some hands in which the swing was in the other direction. The following was one of the most interesting of the play:

NORTH
S—5 4 2
H—K 10 7 2
D—A J 4 5
C—K Q

WEST	EAST
S—J 10 7 3	S—8 6
H—A J 9 8 5	H—Q 6 3
D—Q 10	D—9 6 3 2
C—3 2	C—9 8 7 5

SOUTH
S—A K Q 9
H—4
D—K 8 4
C—A J 10 6 4

A small slam is possible on this hand either at clubs or no-trump, but Mr. Lightner and Mr. Gottlieb reached a contract of 6 spades, which was set one, doubled and vulnerable. In the other room, Mr. and Mrs. Raffel bid three no-trump and made six.

BICENTENNIAL FETE SET FOR TOMORROW

Prominent Guests to Attend School Program Planned by Citizens' Groups.

A George Washington Bicentennial program, with many national figures participating, will be held tomorrow night in the auditorium of McKinley Technical High School.

This will be the first celebration arranged by the organized citizens of the city. It has been planned by the North Capitol Citizens' Association, but all the groups of the District Federation have been invited to participate.

Officers of the Bicentennial commissions, both national and District, with many members of the Senate and House of Representatives, will take part.

Large groups from various civic organizations throughout the city and nearby Maryland and Virginia have given notice that they will be in attendance.

One of Washington's favorite prayers, preserved in his own handwriting, will be the invocation. It will be read by Canon G. Freland Peter, of St. Alban's Cathedral, who is a direct descendent of Mrs. Washington.

The associate director of the Bicentennial, Representative Sol Bloom, will explain the features of the nine-months' celebration. Dr. George Havenner, executive officer of the District Commission, will outline its plan and tell how the citizens' associations are to aid.

A musical program will supplement the addresses. Under the leadership of Henry Gilligan, legislative representative of the Board of Education, a union choir will sing the "Pro Patria" hymn. Other musical features will complete the program.

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Mrs. Hoover Leaves Savannah on Dixie Trip

Savannah, Ga., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—After spending the night on board the motorship Sequoia, Mrs. Herbert Hoover continued her southern tour today, leaving Savannah by automobile. Shortly after she left, presumably for Brunswick, the Sequoia sailed out of the harbor.

Plans for Mrs. Hoover to spend tonight at the Howard E. Coffin home, on Sapelo Island, were cancelled yesterday when she was notified of the sudden death of Mrs. Coffin. The President's wife is making a journey down the Atlantic coast to Miami.

Carroll's 'Alice' in Films To Be Seen in Bethesda

A moving picture benefit performance of "Alice in Wonderland" will be presented Wednesday afternoon at the State Theater in Bethesda, Md. The performance will be given at 2:45 and at 4 o'clock for the benefit of the Newcomb Club Public Library. Tickets are being sold through school children and at the theater.

The centenary of the birth of Lewis Carroll, author of this delightful bit of nonsense which still thrills children of all ages, recently was celebrated.

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Lack of Reports Advances Belief 1,000,000 Will Be Given Work.

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Well started on its second hundred thousand, the united action campaign for a million jobs for unemployed Americans continued to gather momentum like a snowball. More than 500 communities throughout the Nation have contributed to the total of 107,507 reached today, twelve days after the "war on depression" started.

The united action group, however, issues a call to the 5,000 communities which so far have reported no jobs found for unemployed citizens.

The American Legion, American Federation of Labor, Association of National Advertisers and Legion Auxiliary, which sponsored the campaign in which hundreds of other organizations have since enlisted, pointed to this lack of reports from about 4,500 communities as indication that the million jobs could be obtained if all cooperated fully.

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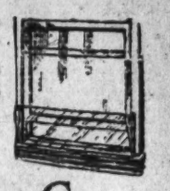

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THE HOOVER DOCTRINE.

The covenant of the League of Nations stipulates that the assembly may take jurisdiction of a dispute, provided that the question is submitted to it within fourteen days from the time the dispute is submitted to the league council. The council has had the Chinese-Japanese dispute before it for many months, and now, notwithstanding the time limitation of fourteen days, it is proposed that the assembly shall take jurisdiction, at a meeting called for March 3.

If Japan should accept the jurisdiction of the assembly in disregard of the time limitation the world will witness the spectacle of a large number of big and little nations struggling with the question of identifying the aggressor in the Asiatic controversy, and deciding whether it is time to apply the penalty of a universal boycott. This penalty, if applied in all its rigor, would completely isolate the covenant-breaking state by cutting off commercial, financial and personal relations and communications. The covenant provides that all nations, whether members of the league or not, shall be compelled to break off all relations with the offender. If necessary, league members are required to furnish military and naval forces to establish a blockade and crush the culprit nation. League members pledge themselves to allow such forces to pass through their territory to the scene of action.

The smaller nations are much disturbed by Japan's aggression in China. They are preparing to make the demand at Geneva that the league shall invoke the sanctions of Article 16 against Japan, in order to establish a precedent that will forever deter strong powers from attacking the weak. These smaller nations hold the majority vote in the assembly, but the league council retains authority to determine whether, and to what extent, the members shall contribute forces with which to cut off communications.

The powers actually controlling the league council are Great Britain and France. If Japan is to be blockaded and boycotted Great Britain and France must do the major part of the work. They are determined to evade this responsibility. They know that they would be at war with Japan if they should adopt the measures in question. But they are under pledge to take this action if the league should vote to apply the sanctions. How are they to evade their duty, and yet escape the charge that they have violated their obligations under the covenant? Naturally, they will assert that a blockade of Japan would be ineffectual without the cooperation of the United States. Since it is a foregone conclusion that the United States will refuse to join in a blockade and boycott against Japan, Great Britain and France doubtless expect to demonstrate that responsibility for the failure of the league to blockade Japan rests with the United States.

But what about the provision which authorizes the league to compel the United States to blockade Japan? Are the powers controlling the league afraid to compel the United States to cooperate? Can it be that they are not only afraid of Japan, but afraid of the United States, and prefer to smash to pieces the League of Nations rather than go to war?

The League of Nations is apparently to undergo a supreme test under the stress of conditions that cry out for a demonstration of the power of the league to enforce the covenant. That the league will fail under this test is evident in advance.

The League of Nations, in short, is a futile arrangement which compels nations to violate their pledge in order to escape disastrous wars.

Still the Asiatic problem remains. What are the nations to do, admitting that the league is impotent?

What the nations signatory to the nine-power treaty and the Kellogg pact should do is to adopt the Hoover doctrine as outlined in his addresses and specifically applied in the notification dated January 7 last, when the United States notified China and Japan that no situation, treaty or agreement arising from violation of treaties would be recognized as valid if affecting the rights of the United States or its citizens. If all parties to these treaties should give a similar notification to China and Japan all of Japan's gains by aggression would prove to be dust and ashes. China's right to govern its own territory would remain unimpaired and fully recognized by the world. Japan's bogus republic of Manchuria would be a futile move, and Japan would find it very advantageous to slink out of any part of China which she has occupied.

Neither Japan nor any other nation can stand against the verdict of nations refusing to recognize any situation arising from the violation of treaties involving the rights of all nations.

An attempt by Japan to compel the nations to accept the results of treaty violations would make that nation a mere bandit. If it should attack the United States under such conditions it would suffer the consequences.

President Hoover's notification to China and Japan marks a new departure in international relations. It points the way whereby the nations adhering to the Kellogg pact—and this includes practically all nations—can make it unprofitable and ruinous for any nation to engage upon a war of aggression.

If the assembly of the League of Nations wishes to set up a method of protecting weak nations against aggression, while avoiding war, all it needs to do is to require its membership, all of whom are signatories of the Kellogg pact, to give China and Japan the same notification that has been given by the United States.

JACK GARNER'S SILENCE.

The paramount question of the age, which The Post propounded last week, remains unanswered. It is hereby propounded again:

Is Speaker Garner wet or dry?

Upon the answer to that question may depend the course of world events. Future historians may ascertain that from the moment Speaker Garner with uncanny foresight gave the right answer, and thereby won the Presidency, the United States entered upon changes of policy which altered the map of the world. Or, the chronicles may contain a brief inglorious paragraph stating that Speaker Garner gave the wrong answer and thus made no ripple in the current of events.

What are the right and wrong answers to this momentous question?

Speaker Garner is extolled by some drys and some wets, but not by all wets or all drys. A solemn hush, as of the dread stillness that ushers in a hurricane, hangs over the land. All eyes are fixed upon Jack Garner. All ears bend anxiously in his direction. Rival armies of wets and drys await the signal for combat and combustion, but they are motionless while Speaker Garner holds in his bosom the fateful signal for the onslaught.

Can it be that the Texas statesman has discovered the secret of perpetual peace in this country? Has he found that silence on his part will hold fretful armies in awe, rapt in powerless enchantment, unable to stir without the magic word?

If silence on Jack Garner's part can avert the threatened war of wets and drys, by all means let him keep silence, though he burst. It is well worth while to throw away hope of the Presidency if by so doing he can permanently suspend prohibition hostilities. In averting this war he would be eternally right; and it is better to be right than President.

THE "INDEPENDENCE" BILL.

A hodgepodge measure providing for semi-independence for the Philippine Islands in about nineteen years has been approved by the Senate committee on Territories and insular affairs. For 15 years the Filipinos would be on probation. During this time graduated duties would be levied by the Filipino Legislature on exports to the United States. At the end of the period a plebiscite would be taken. If the Filipinos should desire independence under the terms of this act and should adopt a constitution agreeable to the President of the United States, they would be permitted to make an international debut as the Commonwealth of the Philippine Islands.

The most amazing feature of the bill is a provision allowing the United States to retain all the fortifications, navy yards and other military property after the islands had obtained their "independence." This Government also would retain the right to acquire additional property for military purposes through condemnation. What is still more astonishing, the bill would reserve for the United States control over the Philippine army.

In other words, this Senate committee proposes to hand over to the Filipinos their "independence" with Uncle Sam retaining military power over them. This foolish scheme is designed to answer the argument that the United States must not weaken its military and naval strength in the Orient at this time.

So far as the interests of the United States are concerned, the proposal is outrageous. Sponsors of the measure point out that retention of military bases by the United States would protect the Philippines from foreign attack. They would have the United States resign all civil control over the Philippine government and yet stand ready to fight its battles. The "independent" government could get itself into any kind of predicament, knowing that an attack upon it would be an attack upon the United States. It is astounding that a supposedly intelligent Senate committee could sponsor such nonsense.

HELP FOR CLOSED BANKS.

President Hoover has signed the credit extension bill, which is perhaps the most powerful factor that has yet been brought into play to rout the forces of depression. This measure will allow the United States for the first time to make use of its enormous gold supply. It will broaden the credit facilities of banks belonging to the Federal Reserve system, so that billions of dollars now held in liquid form to meet the demands of the public may be released in the form of credit. In engineering this measure through Congress with a minimum of delay the administration has performed an incalculabble service to the country.

The banking situation has been notably improved in recent weeks due to encouragement given by this measure and the actual help extended through the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. In January 334 banks failed, and in December 358. The number of failures in February will be much smaller. J. W. Pole, Comptroller of the Currency, reports that not one national bank failed last week, which is the best record established for many months. Failures among other banks have been substantially reduced. The new credit extension law should put an end to bank failures and bring credit conditions back to normal.

The problem of banks that have already been forced to close their doors remains to be solved. During the last two years nearly 4,000 banks, with deposits amounting to about $2,000,000,000 have had to suspend business. Most of their assets remain unliquidated. Some communities are left without banking facilities, and an enormous amount of money belonging to the people is tied up.

Legislation to relieve this situation is now one of the most urgent issues before Congress. The Reconstruction Finance Corporation is authorized to use $200,000,000 of its resources to assist failed banks. But further aid is necessary. President Hoover has asked Congress for specific legislation to loosen the large volume of sound assets that is held behind closed bank doors.

Several measures for this purpose are before Congress. The Thomas-Beedy bill would set up a special corporation through which funds could be advanced to receivers of closed banks. A total of $750,000,000 would be made available for that purpose. Senator Glass' bill, which was sidetracked to make way for the credit expansion measure, contains a provision for the outright purchase of closed bank assets by a Federal liquidating corporation. The capital of this corporation would be subscribed by members of the Federal Reserve system.

It is for Congress to decide which of these proposed remedies is most applicable to existing conditions. Hundreds of banks would doubtless be able to reopen and conduct business on a normal scale if they were given temporary relief. Where banks are actually insolvent they should be liquidated with a minimum of delay. Legislation to release the funds now tied up in closed banks would be a potent stimulus to business and economic recovery.

How House Democrats Would "Reorganize" the Machine.

GENIUS IN LARGE FAMILIES

By JAMES WALDO FAWCETT.

Genius is more likely to appear among the children of large families than among those of small ones. Such is the conclusion of Dr. August J. App, professor of English in the Catholic University of America.

Dr. App in recent months has been making an intensive study of the family relationships of eminent men and women in the field of religion and literature.

"Nowadays," he says, "we have all sorts of people going about telling us about the dire effects of having large families. Hence facts about the families to which some of our great writers belonged, showing how many brothers and sisters, especially older ones, they had, ought to be of interest.

"Catholics, of course, when this subject of large families and great men is brought up, readily think of a number of their saints and religious who had many older brothers and sisters.

"Pere Marquette, whose statue is in the hall of statuary in our Capitol, was the youngest of six children. Ignatius, of Loyola, nobleman and saint, founder of the greatest teaching order in the world, was the youngest of thirteen children, and his follower, St. Francis Xavier, another nobleman saint, was the youngest of at least six. Joan of Arc was the youngest of five children.

"Then there is the Little Flower. When her mother, a young French girl, was about to marry she prayed to God, saying, 'I beseech Thee to make me the mother of many children, and to grant that all of them may be consecrated to Thee.' God gave her nine; four of them went to heaven in infancy, the other five became nuns. Of these, the youngest, or ninth child, is honored throughout the world today as St. Therese of Lisieux. And, of course, every one remembers St. Catherine, of Siena, the twenty-fifth child of a Sienese dyer, and wonders how many first and only children ever attain to the fame and prominence that were hers.

"Of these holy people from large families we know, but few of us realize that many famous English and American writers were also born of large families and had many older brothers and sisters."

Dr. App calls the roll of celebrated literary names. Samuel Taylor Coleridge, poet and philosopher, he says, was a thirteenth child. Charles Lamb, "the gentle Elia," was the youngest of seven. Oliver Goldsmith, of "The Deserted Village" and "The Vicar of Wakefield," the sixth of nine. Washington Irving, American historian, essayist and the author of "Rip Van Winkle" and "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow," the youngest of eleven, the eighth of eight sons. Benjamin Franklin, printer, philosopher and statesman, the eighth of ten children. James Fenimore Cooper, writer of "The Leatherstocking Tales," an eleventh child. George Bancroft, historian, the eighth of thirteen. Jack London, novelist and short story writer, the tenth of ten.

Jane Austen, most popular of British women novelists, was the seventh child of a country clergyman. Charlotte Bronte, famous for "Jane Eyre" and other works, was the third of six children, her sister Emily, "perhaps the greatest of the Brontes," the fifth, and Anne, "who wrote graceful verse and two novels," the sixth.

Thomas Carew, Cavalier poet, was the third of eleven children; Robert Herrick the seventh of eight; Abraham Cowley a seventh child; Thomas Gray an eleventh; Lord Tennyson the fourth of twelve; Shakespeare the third of eight.

Dr. App sees a social significance in these statistics. To him it is a remarkable fact that creative ability in literature so often is to be found among the later children in large families. He offers no theory of explanation as to why this is so, but merely states the truth as his researches indicate it. The obvious outcome of a deliberate policy of family limitation, he believes, would be the loss to the world of talents valuable to all mankind.

Dr. App is one of the younger Catholic educationists who have been winning notice for their work in recent years. He is a native of Milwaukee, and received his Ph. D. degree at Catholic University in 1929. He is a keen student of languages, with a particular preference for English and Spanish. His summer holidays he spends in Europe. He plans to continue his present investigation as a recreation from his regular teaching duties.

BARTLETT DEEP

From the New York Times.

Oceanographers will be vastly interested in the report from the scientists on board the U. S. S. S-48 and Chewink of the International Scientific Expedition that a new profile of the Bartlett Deep has been established, and that a depth of about 4,000 fathoms, or 4 miles, has been sounded. The Bartlett Deep bears the name of a commander of the United States Navy, who discovered it in 1880. It is curious that the standard work of Sir John Murray, "The Depths of the Ocean," published in 1912, speaks of the Bartlett as one of the smaller deeps in the North Atlantic. Those listed as the most important were the Nares, Moseley and Chun, the maximum, respectively, being 4,662, 3,309 and 3,318 fathoms. The Nares Deep, north of the West Indies, covers an area of 697,000 square miles. Authentic soundings were made by the U. S. S. Dolphin in 1902. The Nares Deep does not appear on the map of a famous oceanographer, Matthew Maury. In his time the sounding-tube had not been perfected. With his limited equipment the results he obtained were little short of wonderful.

Officers of the United States Navy have always been in the van of oceanographic research. It was Lieut. Brooke who, to quote Sir John Murray, "devised the apparatus for detaching the weight or sinker when it struck the bottom, the line bringing up only a small tube with a sample of the bottom deposit." Maps of contour lines and depths are being constantly amended. The Bartlett Deep is now known to be almost as important as the Nares in Atlantic waters. These new facts have been contributed by the United States ships in the International Scientific Expedition: A maximum depth of about 4,000 fathoms, as compared with 3,770 reported by the U. S. S. S-21 in 1928; a bottom area as large as the State of Pennsylvania, 45,126 square miles. A comparison is made by the Navy Department: "The Bartlett Deep in general shape resembles Long Island, its length ten times and its breadth three times those of Long Island." The extent is from the Gulf of Gonaives, Haiti, to the Gulf of Honduras.

Thousands of soundings have been made by oceanographers in the seas of the world, but the bottoms are still far from being thoroughly explored. This world of ours is said, on the authority of Sir John Murray, to be the only planet of the solar system with oceans on its surface. "If Mars and the moon once had oceans, these have apparently disappeared within their rocky crusts." In the North Atlantic no such depth has been found as that of the Challenger Deep in the Northern Pacific, near the Island of Guam, 5,269 fathoms, about 31,614 feet—further below the level of the sea than Mount Everest is above it. The sounding was made by the U. S. S. Nero.

SHORT CIRCUITS.

The mystery of why George Washington was standing when crossing the Delaware is now explained. The band was playing "The Star-Spangled Banner."

But if the drys are satisfied with conditions, and the wets find that there is more liquor than ever before, what is all the shouting about?

It is claimed that world disarmament is coming. The only question is whether the millennium will come first.

A physician's diagnosis of Uncle Sam would probably show a great weakness in his joints.

POST HASTE.

It can hardly be said as yet that the stock market is right on the up and up, but nearly every day it is on the up and down and up.

The Pennsylvania Railroad will ask for a reconstruction loan to be put into supplies and improvements. If there is any better way to help labor it hasn't been suggested.

The Japanese have made as bad a guess on world psychology as they did on the result of an aroused Chinese fighting spirit.

Tammany isn't as sore at Gov. Roosevelt for kicking Farley out as it is at the sheriff himself because he didn't divvy up on that $350,000.

Those who have been advocating the necessity of a consort for Uncle Sam will be pleased to note the arrival of two cheerful visitors, Aunty D. Flation and Aunty Hoarding.

"All nations would like to see war abolished, but none is willing to give up the advantages that armament is supposed to insure."

It now seems likely that Congress will exercise its authority to exorcise the excise tax.

Mr. Raskob's inside inflammation about Republican policies was not as irritating as some of his Democratic diagnoses.

The United States will take no formal action to boycott Japan even if other nations should do so, but Japan will find that, even if her campaign against China should stop today, it will take her a long time to recover lost prestige and trade.

Hoover luck is improving. Gifford Pinchot and Big Bill Thompson both threatened opposition campaigns the same day.

A Netherland bond issue will not only ignore the American market, but a large part of the proceeds will be used to take up bonds here that are not due until 1972. The United States should try to bear up under more insults of this kind.

New York proposes a special 10 per cent tax on amusements to aid the unemployed. Few persons who can afford to patronize places of amusement would object if they knew their contribution was all for the jobless.

If the same things that influence the stock market scared and enthused industry the factories would be closed and started full blast on alternate days.

It is funny to hear the Democrats talking about the opportunity of a century and then to see 'steen candidates, all with large followings, out to knife the man in the lead.

Talk about China and Japan saving face! Consider the countenance-wrecking questions at Geneva: Germany on one side demanding military equality with France, and Italy on the other exacting naval parity. Neither country really desires or can afford such luxuries, but neither dares to admit it.

To commodity prices, that took the toboggan, fixed charges appear to have picked a good name and lived up to it.

In the first 775,000 ballots in the Literary Digest's new prohibition poll 80 per cent voted for repeal, but wet representatives are having difficulty to muster one-third in the House.

Democrats have become so suspicious of "cooperation" that they are afraid to agree among themselves, and are already afraid there must have been a catch in that unanimous Cardozo approval.

The Japanese official who went off half-cocked about Secretary Stimson's "ignorance" in the order of signing the naval treaty and the nine-power pact probably has learned by this time that they were both executed on February 6, 1922.

When we reciprocate for those Warsaw statues to Americans the monument must be to Paderewsky—if you know your Polish.

M. Laval, being just a mere freshman in the French cabinet class, probably will not be recalled as premier for a week or two.

Jimmy Walker would never survive the exactions of the Vice Presidency. Social duties have to be abandoned every noon for a confining session that often lasts several hours.

Speaker Garner says Hoover led us into the world's worst panic. If he's behind now it is to head the push to get us out.

Woolworth is going to add a 20-cent line. We'll get that suit of clothes there yet.

It is rather risky bringing the oxygen chamber away from New York. It may be needed to revive those Wall street gorillas any time now.

So Uncle Henry Ford has decided to shoot, and with a budget to spend ten times that of some sizable nations it is going to help.

A motorist is required to give his name and address before leaving the scene of the wreck. Lame duck congressmen should be required to do the same thing.

The reputation of Japanese as jugglers is now secure. Japan has the world powers in the air and is still going strong.

The hoarders that the country should stop are those who are saving up to buy elections.

The Fifteenth United States Regiment at Shanghai initiated Floyd Gibbons and decorated him with the order of the Chung. Next day there was no dispatch from Floyd. Is the Chung an interior decoration?

PAUL HUDSON.

Vote Near For French Suffragists

Success in Chamber Brings New Determination in 80-Year Fight.

Editor's Note—The French Senate Friday rejected the electoral reform bill recently passed by the Chamber of Deputies, but did not put its foot down flatly on woman suffrage. Instead the matter was referred to a special committee. Maria Verone, a famous feminist of France, has written for the Associated Press a graphic account of the strategy used in the fight to gain the ballot for her sex.

By MARIA VERONE
(Member of the Paris Bar and President of the French League for Women's Rights).

PARIS, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—French feminists have been aroused to a new fight for suffrage by the chamber's recent action in passing an electoral reform bill with an amendment giving women the vote.

We know this is not a final victory. We know that the senate is unfavorable to feminine emancipation. But the chamber's action is bound to have an influence on public opinion and on the senators as well.

The Chamber's action on February 12 is particularly significant because it has awakened energies which have been somewhat lulled to sleep. Matters had to be brought to a head in order to stimulate the courage of some of the women who have not been militant enough.

Now they have been aroused to the fight—a fight in which they must struggle hard before they win.

We know that the majority of the senate does not wish to give women the right to vote in 1932, but by changing the opinion of some of them we can change the majority.

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EVEN if they do not give us the vote this year, we shall not allow them to cling to the same point of view in the municipal elections of 1935 and in the legislative elections of 1936. We shall fight for the cause.

The electoral period will give us an opportunity to spread propaganda. Everybody knows already what has happened in the chamber through the press and the radio; we shall finish the work by spreading propaganda and information through the meetings which we propose to hold and the notices which we shall post everywhere.

We do not want to be the last in Europe to win the rights about which we have been talking for the last 80 years.

A few women began suffrage activities as early as the revolution of 1848. Among them was Jeanne Deroin, who went from meeting to meeting asking that women be given the right to vote.

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SEVERAL years of silence followed, and then the feminist movement gradually grew stronger. In 1919 the chamber passed a law giving women the right to vote, but in 1922 the Senate defeated it by a majority of 22 votes. In 1925 the chamber again passed the law, but the Senate avoided its discussion by a technical maneuver, and since that date has refused to discuss the question of women's suffrage.

That passive resistence by the upper house has incited French women to employ more energetic and violent means than they had ever used before. They staged manifestations in the Senate and held meetings in the villages, arousing the peasants to join the movement.

Now they hope that the recent action by the chamber will force the senate to give French women the political rights for which they have waited so long.

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Australians Charge Wool Buyers' Bloc

Sydney, Australia, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Australian wool growers may soon market their fleeces on a cooperative basis in an effort to control the market and obtain higher prices.

Wool is the backbone of Australian revenue and suggestions that overseas buyers are manipulating the price, controlling the clip, and exploiting the growers are causing concern.

At a meeting of sheepmen at the important wool-growing center of Moree, in the state of New South Wales, it was declared that buyers from every buying nation in the world reached an agreement as to price and quantity before they attended the wool sales, and then made a pretense of being in competition.

It was also stated that a buyer from Soviet Russia, after declining to join the "ring," exposed its methods of exploitation.

Cooperative marketing, sheepmen are being told, will bring them a steady market and higher prices.

Chilean City Offers Its Casino For Rent

Vina Del Mar, Chile, Feb. 27 (A.P.)—A "for rent" sign has been hung out by this city, the Prince of Wales' favored South American seaside resort, on the million dollar gambling casino, built last year.

Patrons have been numerous, but receipts have been low and the city is trying to find someone to take the place off its hands.

City councilmen believe that an individual can operate the casino more economically than does the city, and thus take in enough to give him a nice profit.

Vina's casino is the only one in Chile where roulette and baccarat are permitted under government regulation. A cabaret theater, movie theater, restaurant and two midget golf courses complete the layout.

Family Has Children In College 23 Years

Kansas City, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—For 23 years Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Roach, of Kansas City, have had at least one of their children in the University of Missouri, and the end is not yet.

Twelve of their fourten sons and daughters have attended college. The thirteenth will be ready to enter next year, when Nos. 11 and 12—twin sisters—are graduated, and a year or so later the youngest plans to matriculate.

Seven of the eight girls who have entered the university so far specialized in domestic science or home economics.

Boris and His Queen, Joanna, Are "Dry;" Neither Smokes

King Boris of Bulgaria likes to get into comfortable togs and tramp across his domain. His liking for the open is shared by Queen Joanna, the former Princess Giovanni, of Italy, who accompanies him on his hikes.

Bulgarian Rulers Devotees to Simple Life, but She Likes to Dance.

SOFIA, Bulgaria, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The real sport of kings, in the opinion of King Boris of Bulgaria, is "hiking."

Long walks in lonesome places, under the open sky, are his idea of royal recreation, and this fondness for the simpler pleasures of life is shared by Queen Joanna.

What is more, both the king and queen prefer water as a royal beverage. They are "dry" in the full sense of the word; nor does either of them smoke.

The queen, however, likes to dance, which King Boris enjoys only as a spectator.

At a recent dinner and reception at the American Legation some enthusiastic statistician kept track of Queen Joanna's appearance on the floor and found she danced 30 times that evening.

Meanwhile the king was winning admiration with his linguistic and conversational abilities.

He spoke English with his hosts, United States Minister and Mrs. Shoemaker, and with the British Minister; Italian with the Italian Minister and French with the French Minister.

He addressed the plenipotentiary from Berlin in German, used Albanian with the Albanian charge d'affaires, Serbian with the secretary of the Jugoslav legation and, of course, an occasional word of Bulgarian with his own countrymen.

Queen Joanna, who finds rural Bulgaria much like her native Italy, is making rapid progress in the language. As a child she spoke Montenegrin, her mother's native tongue.

The reception at the American legation, incidentally, marked Queen Joanna's first appearance at any of the legations here.

Her simple attire on this occasion was characteristic, as she does not like to wear jewelry, diadems, earrings, ropes of pearls and other costly adornments usually associated with thoughts of royalty.

Gowned in black silk trimmed with lace, the queen's only jewelry consisted of her wedding ring and an antique ring which King Boris gave her at the time of their betrothal.

FROM A SENATOR'S DIARY

Being the Day-by-Day Observations of a "Member-at-Large" Set Down for His Own Satisfaction.

By the 97th Senator

Wednesday.

THE "petting party," as the irrepressible La Guardia calls it, between the Republicans and Democrats, is ended. Truces are not intended to be perpetual, and it is surprising, when all the circumstances are considered, that this one should have lasted so long. The "young Turks" on both sides were getting fretful, and newspapermen watching from the gallery for "drama" could hardly repress their yawns. The measures which provided the ground-work for nonpartisan cooperation were exhausted, for the simple reason that they were all enacted into law. It is only natural that party warfare should be resumed. Unless I miss my guess, the time has come again for a season of old-fashioned knock-down-drag-out politics—the kind so generally predicted before the present session began.

I recall the famous truce of 1917 when Woodrow Wilson "adjourned" politics for the duration of the war. For a time partisanship virtually disappeared. Democrats forgot they were Democrats and Republicans forgot they were Republicans. All were pulling together for the winning of the war. The declaration of war

SENATOR VANDENBURG.

against Germany, the draft, food control, the espionage act and enormous appropriations, all were put through with scarcely a trace of partisan bickering. But it didn't last. It couldn't. We are a politically minded people, and before the war was over the political hostilities were renewed.

Oddly enough, the Democrats themselves on that occasion caused the ending of the truce. George Chamberlain, of Oregon, then chairman of the military affairs committee, as fearless and independent as any man who ever sat in the Senate, got up one day and condemned the administration's conduct of the war. He declared the War Department had "practically ceased to function." Wilson blistered him with a reply intimating that he was either drunk or crazy. Thereupon Chamberlain delivered one of the most memorable speeches in the Senate history. He spoke four hours, and his speech was packed with specifications to support his charges.

Emboldened by the example of such a sturdy Democrat, the Republicans took up the cudgels against the administration and began to point out how the conduct of the war might be improved. Mr. Wilson himself then "reconvened" politics by asking the country to elect a Democratic Congress. The country responded by electing a Republican Congress, and the truce ended completely.

Thursday.

WHAT we need in the Senate is our own special lexicographer who can straighten us out when we get into difficulty over words and their correct shade of meaning. For more than a year now we have been struggling with "dole," and there are still at least two schools of thought widely differing on when a "dole" is not a "dole." One school holds that a dole is an unjustifiable "hand-out" by the Government. The other contends that it is no different from any of the various other kinds of relief furnished by Treasury funds. Every time the "dole" question comes over we have senators snarling at each other out of dictionaries and getting nowhere.

On top of that now we are getting ourselves entangled over "inflation." Carter Glass' bill started that. It seems impossible to agree upon a definition of "inflation." And so I say we must try to get ourselves an official lexicographer who will settle all such disputes. We have plenty of lawyers, several doctors, a sprinkling of journalists, some business men and even one well digger, but we are certainly shy on lexicographers.

Arthur Vandenburg essayed the role the other day when he was discussing the Glass bill, but the strain is too much on him, along with his other senatorial duties. He tried valiantly, but his difficulties were well illustrated when he said:

"Mr. President, some people call this bill 'antideflationary,' seeking to avoid the awful word 'inflation.' Some describe it as a 'privilege of expansion,' still seeking to avoid the word 'inflation.' Personally, I am not afraid of words, and I decline to be crucified on their definition. But I am not sure that if a scrupulously accurate word were to be sought to describe the process which is invoked, it would be neither 'deflation' nor 'inflation,' but 'reflation,' suggesting in the nature of the word itself that we are simply seeking to recapture the normal and essential currency supply in emergency, so far as that can be done on an absolutely safe and appropriate basis."

Friday.

THE "lame-duck" resolution is over the congressional hurdles and soon it will be up to the States to convert it into the "Twentieth Amendment" to the Federal Constitution. The Senate has approved it so many times that I've lost track of the exact number, and the House has concurred with a few

WILLIAM GIBBS McADOO.

minor reservations. For sheer persistence, I don't know of anything in the record of Congress to equal George Norris' fight for the amendment. It would have been relegated to the committee on the disposition of useless papers years ago except for his tenacity.

Getting it ratified by the necessary number of State Legislatures—36—won't be an easy task. The last time Congress undertook to amend the Constitution—in 1924—it submitted to the States a proposal to place a national ban on child labor. The State Legislatures gave it a frosty reception and the amendment is still dangling somewhere in midair between Washington and the various State capitals. There has been no amending of the Constitution since the nineteenth—the woman's suffrage amendment—which went into effect in 1920.

One of the reservations attached to the "lame-duck" amendment by the House provides that it shall be inoperative unless 36 States have ratified it within seven years. A similar provision was attached to the eighteenth amendment at the insistence of the late Boies Penrose. He thought the proviso would kill the amendment. But the drys, under the leadership of the astute Wayne Wheeler, were much better prepared in the legislatures than outsiders suspected, and they needed only two years to get the amendment ratified.

Henry Ashurst thinks that a time limit on constitutional amendments is necessary. He called our attention to the fact that five amendments are assumed to be pending now, although all of them are virtually forgotten. Two of them were submitted to the States 143 years ago. One related to enumeration and representation in Congress. The other had to do with the pay of senators and representatives. Another was proposed 122 years ago, to prohibit citizens of the United States from accepting pensions, presents or titles from princes of foreign powers. Still another, proposed in 1861, known as the Corwin amendment, prohibited Congress from interfering with slavery within the States.

Any time any Legislature sees fit to resurrect any of these amendments it can do so under our present concept of the Constitution.

Saturday.

WILLIAM GIBBS McADOO is back in politics again. Several months ago the good ladies of the wet Maryland Free State tried to get him to run for the Presidency once more, but there was no response. Now he is out for Jack Garner. The question is: Has he helped or hurt Garner?

McAdoo's statement arrays him with the "stop Roosevelt" movement. It must make him feel a bit queer to be lined up with Al Smith and Raskob, and they must have felt a strange sensation when they read his statement. On the other hand, some of McAdoo's most devoted followers in the past, notably Homer Cummings and Dan Roper, are supporting Roosevelt. The moss-covered remark about politics making strange bedfellows seems wholly inadequate these days.

R. B. S.

Soviet Pay For Foreign "Brains" Cut

New Contracts Offered at Poorer Terms—Fewer Americans Hired.

MOSCOW, Feb. 27.—The Soviet government intends to employ more foreign technical advice and aid than ever in the second five-year plan beginning in 1933, but there are likely to be fewer American engineers and specialists and more of other nationalities than at present.

American experts whose contracts are expiring are being offered much less favorable salary terms in gold than formerly, not only because the government is being forced to curtail drastically its expenditures of foreign money, but because it is able to attract others at lower pay due to the world depression.

Under the old contracts most of the higher priced specialists were paid good salaries in dollars, plus sums of rubles which are spendable only in the Soviet Union. Under the new policy the government is offering only nominal gold salaries and appreciable increases in ruble payments.

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AS a result, many American experts are refusing to renew on such terms and returning to the United States at the expiration of their contracts. On the other hand there has been a proportionate influx of other foreign specialists, particularly German unemployed, who are willing to work here exclusively for rubles.

One American mining expert was offered less than one-fifth of his present dollar salary in a new contract and an increase of more than one-half in rubles.

"We want American engineers," said one official, "but why should we not employ others just as competent when we can obtain them on better terms?"

There are several thousand American engineers working in the Soviet Union at present, but exact figures as to their number and the number of those who have returned to the United States are not available.

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THE extreme shortage of native technicians and specialists was stressed by Premier Molotov in a speech at the recent Communist party conference here, which was told that employment of foreign technical aid must be continued on an even greater scale in the second 5-year plan.

"We are grateful to the foreign specialists for their work in behalf of the construction of our country," said the premier, adding a personal compliment to Col. Hugh L. Cooper, head of the New York engineering firm bearing his name, who is constructing the greater power plant at Dnieperstroy.

THE DIPLOMATIC POUCH

By HAROLD J. T. HORAN

Malapropos.

JUAN FRANCISCO DE CARDENAS Y RODRIGUEZ DE RIVAS, Ambassador of the Spanish Republic, had a severe strain placed upon his diplomatic imperturbability the very first day of his arrival at the embassy. His Catholic majesty, King Alfonso, chose that day of all others to issue an appeal to all good Spaniards to support the royalist cause in a revolt against the new republic.

The implications in the situation are exceedingly delicate, but Don Juan Francesco was equal to the situation.

He tactfully pointed out that he has not yet presented his letters of credence to the President. Formal application has been made to Warren Delano Robbins, chief of the Protocol Division, and Mr. Robbins is arranging the first available morning for President Hoover. Until then the ambassador will remain in seclusion.

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Atavism.

The present personnel of the Spanish Embassy is a remarkable example of atavistic influence. The ambassador himself is a descendant of an early Spanish explorer, Don Garcia Lopes de Cardenas, who was the first man ever to see the beauties of the Grand Canyon.

Luis M. Irujo, the charge d'affaires and counselor, is a great grandson of the celebrated Marquis de Irujo, one of the first European diplomats ever to be accredited to the new American Republic.

Ramon Padilla is the son of the former well-loved ambassador who honorably resigned his post here when the republic came into power.

Zaharoff.

THE rumbling and roaring of the war clouds in the Orient has set the wheels of the ammunition plants in Europe humming. Sir Basil Zaharoff, like a gray spider sits in his villa at Monte Carlo and feels the old familiar war fever in the air. His interests stretch out across Europe like a web, crossing national boundary lines, spanning racial prejudices in the nationality-less interests of the munition makers.

The German works at Essen owned by the enormously wealthy Krupp family have been under severe supervision by the council of ambassadors and consequently they have not been able to contribute their quota to the Zaharoff returns. However, Sir Basil has discovered another war factory removed from the strict supervision of the French, the Krummell plant, and weekly cargoes of munitions labeled "pianos" are leaving their quays for Tokyo.

In Czechoslovakia the Skoda works, puissant center for the cannon and explosives of the old Austrian empire, whose engineers are reputed to have invented the famous "Big Berthas" which terrorized Paris, are turning out huge ammunition orders for Japan.

The famous Vickers-Vimy war supplies are being forwarded from England in ever-increasing amounts to the East and Sir Basil, the chief stockholder, there naturally finds his income rise. The Schneider works at Creusot have put on extra shifts of men to turn out fleets of large tanks and the one-time Greek portefaix of the British Embassy in Constantinople increases his profits there, too.

As a celebrated diplomat here once said:

"Zaharoff represents the triumph of paradox: He has a Russian name, born in Turkey of a Greek father with a British title of nobility and a French passport! And he controls the munitions plants of every country in Europe."

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Author! Author!

SECRETARY STIMSON'S letter on the Chinese situation to the chairman of the foreign relations committee of the Senate has received the accolade of perpetuity—discussion over its origin. If seven cities disputed the birthplace of Homer, the letter of the present Secretary of State whose relentless logic suddenly clarified the Chinese-Japanese situation in Manchuria as no other diplomatic document had done, seems destined to go down in history with a question mark after it.

The consensus of authoritative opinion is that the Secretary of State himself wrote the letter but that certain amendations and suggestions were embodied in it, after the preliminary draft had been read to others.

Senator William E. Borah, whose legal acumen seems to be reflected in some passages of the letter, is claimed by some to have had a preponderant influence in the note; Assistant Secretary of State James Grafton Rogers, who was once dean of a law school in Colorado, gets a share of the credit and the spade work is reputed to have been the efforts of Allen T. Klotz, the special assistant to Secretary Stimson.

Egypt to Build Dam

Cairo, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Construction of the Djebel Aulia Dam in the Sudan, to cost $20,000,000, has been approved by the Egyptian cabinet.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Southern Defaults And British Debt

Canadian Correspondent Suggests Bonds of Southern States Be Paid and Credited to British War Debt.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I have read continuously scathing remarks from your paper and somewhat less informed extracts from your Middle West and West. From these interviews and extracts Britishers of all sorts have been preached and lectured to and at, both directly and indirectly, as if we were in some sort pillagers of your money chests. As this barrage develops and continues Canada's unfavourable trade balance with your country steadily decreases.

Now having regard to all this, is it wrong for me to remind the readers of your paper that the Continental Congress of your country repudiated its promises to pay at an early stage, and much more serious still, your States of Florida, Louisiana, Alabama, Arkansas, North and South Carolina, Georgia and one other borrowed from British bondholders many millions for the construction of roads and railways and other public works. These borrowings took place in the thirties and the seventies of the last century. No part of these borrowings by these States was during the War of the Confederacy.

Subsequent thereto, each of the eight States defaulted on the principal and interest to the British bondholders. These eight States repudiated their indebtedness; and these defaulted bonds are in the hands of the British bondholders' committee in London, and the principal and interest due and overdue from date of issue to the fall of 1930 amounts approximately to two thousand million dollars.

It may be beneath the dignity of these defaulting sovereign States to pay their debts to widows and their descendants, but surely no citizen of those States or Representative or Senator therefrom has any right to cast stones on the question of default. Britain has beyond all cavil from any quarter so far paid her way. Might I suggest that it would be a great solution to the difficulties of the general situation if these eight States now paid to the Treasury of the U. S. A. their own bonds for the total amount of their several defaults to the British bondholders. These bonds of the eight States to be applied to the credit of the British indebedness to the U. S. A.

In this way the good name of these States will be removed from the list of world defaulters which at present they grace; in common with a large number of South American and Eastern European countries.

We understand quite well that they have passed all sorts of constitutional amendments preventing "legal" payment, but to all intents and by all standards of ethics and honesty they are in the same position as defaulting debtors which could pay but will not.

JAMES A. ROSS.
Edmonton, Alberta.

Japan Seen Riding for Fall In Defying Western Powers

Special Correspondence to The Post.

Tokyo, Feb. 10—The anxiety in Japan over the Shanghai situation is intense, with small hope of relief as the days pass. At one time the Ambassadors of England and the United States were about ready to pack up for home, having left the Tokyo Foreign Office after a conference that was awkward and strained.

The Minister of Finance came to the rescue by dispatching a note of warning to the War Office and the Navy Department to say that an unyielding attitude to the powers would prove bad for the economic stability of Japan, substantiating his opinion by details of his experience in raising loans abroad for the Russo-Japanese War and after the European War.

That this may have had a favorable effect on the negotiations over Shanghai seems probable from the fact that the Ambassadors are still in Tokyo. But while negotiations continue, war also continues to rage around Shanghai, grievously endangering the International Settlement, to say nothing of the many lives sacrificed daily in the conflict.

What is most difficult to understand is how Japan can claim the right to use the International Settlement as a base of operations after she has ceased to be a neutral nation. All nations represented in the International Settlement are bound to cooperate in self defense; but if any one of them engages in armed conflict with China without the consent of the others, that nation is bound to withdraw its forces, if not its nationals, from the International Settlement and not compromise the neutrality and endanger the lives of the others.

The Chinese authorities have already notified the Shanghai municipal authorities that if the International Settlement continues to be utilized by Japan as a base in the war with China, the Chinese forces will be compelled to attack it. If this threat is acted upon, the results will be past calculation.

To one who has lived half a lifetime in Japan the present unprecedently defiant attitude toward Western nations is fraught with serious danger. For months the vernacular press has been hurling defiance and ridicule at the League of Nations and America, charging them with culpable ignorance of the Far East and utter disregard of Japan's rights in China. Japan is urged to oppose Western intervention at all costs, no matter what action Japan pursues to invite or even compel such intervention.

So aggressive an attitude or policy will only tend to create or confirm suspicion as to Japan's motives, and still more strongly bar the gates against Japanese immigrants in Western countries; for one of the reasons advanced against Japanese immigrants has been the danger of their rising in case of a dispute with Japan, as they did in Shanghai recently. Not only so, but the present policy is so very much like that of Germany before the European War, that Western nations will be disposed to regard Japan as a menace to world peace, and be forced to unite in suppression of her policies and ambitions.

This would leave Japan in a worse condition than Germany now faces, and probably without the sympathy Germany is receiving, though Japan would be equally entitled to it, seeing that the present danger is due, not to the people, but to the junker element, driving Japan into defiance of Western nations and of world peace.

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De Valera Victory Likened To American Independence

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: In behalf of Americans who still cherish the significance of the American Revolution and of those Americans of Irish descent who remember the sacrifices made through 700 years for Ireland's national freedom, we desire to enter our most earnest protest against the spirit and the letter of your editorial on Monday, entitled, "De Valera's Victory."

At this time, when all the world is honoring with grateful thoughts the anniversary of a great soldier of human freedom, to find in an American newspaper an argument that profits are more important than liberty and that the noblest aspirations of a people are to be subordinated to the balance sheets of trade is an amazing lapse into the backwoods of forgotten medievalism. For all these centuries the Irish people have yearned and struggled to be free. Now that the goal is at last in sight to say to them that they must give it up because they can make more money by remaining in a state of subjection is to insult their history and slander their spirit.

All that you say against the independence of Ireland was said in almost your words by English writers and speakers of 150 years ago against the independence of America. They were perfectly sure then, as you are apparently sure now, that outside of the boundaries of the British empire existence would be impossible. When at last America won freedom it was the universal conviction of the British people that it could not maintain itself, and another war was required before they would admit that independent nationality was not only possible but a fact.

But your assertions in regard to Ireland's economic status are as baseless as your conclusions are reactionary. The full program of Fianna Fail includes a well-considered and adequate economic progression. Under that program Irish products would be fostered, distributed and sold far beyond the limits the present repressive and essentially British government has put upon them. You may not be aware that under what is called the Free State government the material prosperity of Ireland has steadily declined, its production has lessened, its exports have fallen off, its natural industries have been hampered and its commerce has been virtually throttled. For all these constrictors that have been slowly crushing out Ireland's economic life, Fianna Fail has planned ample remedy.

As to your charge that Ireland could not stand the expense of an independent status, we call your attention to the fact that such a status would be less expensive than the present wasteful dual government system. The $15,000,000 of land annuity payments wrongfully made each year to England would more than supply whatever expenses might be incurred by independence. The abolition of the utterly useless and costly governor general's office, of the many duplicated services, the sinecures and extravagances with which the existing administration has loaded the expense account of the country would alone meet the charges incident to separation.

The quotation from Edmund Burke that you urge upon Irish attention must have been chosen inadvertently or disingenuously. You should have given the full context and the occasion. Burke was urging the British government to make concessions to the colonies that they might be retained. He was not urging the colonies to yield any of their rights or barter anything that they might stay in. And how he would have scorned your thesis that liberty is nothing compared with profits would have been apparent if you had completed the quotation. He went on to say:

"But in all fair dealing the thing bought must bear some proportion to the purchase paid. None will barter away the immediate jewel of his soul. Though a great house is apt to make slaves haughty, yet it is purchasing a part of the artificial importance of a great empire too dear to pay for it all essential rights and all the intrinsic dignity of human nature. None of us who would not risk his life rather than fall under a government purely arbitrary."

And in those words of Edmund Burke lies the whole Irish case today.

If the basic theory of your editorial were to be accepted by the world, nothing would be left of life for any people but the sordid calculations and the ignoble drudgery of a vast mental servitude. If you are right about Ireland, Japan is right about Manchuria; any forced domination is right if it is profitable, and every struggle any people has ever made for liberty and nationality was a blunder. Against any such doctrine preached in the world's greatest republic, whose very existence is an indictment of alien satraps, we solemnly protest.

ANDREW I. HICKEY,
THOS. W. LYONS,
CHARLES EDWARD RUSSELL,
JOHN F. FINERTY,
Publicity Committee, Kevin Barry Council of the American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic.

Honors Urged For Bargagni

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I am writing you on behalf of Sergt. Bargagni, of the Washington Fire Department. It seems to me that it is time for the City of Washington to show some measure of appreciation for the man who has done so much for this city. Sergt. Bargagni has made the local firemens' parade an event here in Washington second only to the Mummers' parade of Philadelphia in importance.

Operating on a restricted fund allotted him by the Washington Board of Trade, this man through his untiring and unselfish efforts has made the Firemens' Labor Day parade an outstanding success for the past nine years. In return for such services he has asked nothing in return from the city.

I noticed in a story carried by your newspaper on the eighteenth of this month, that the Petworth Citizens' Association had indorsed him for honorary battalion chief of the Fire Department, a title carrying no increase in pay, but merely bestowing an honorary title upon him in acknowledgment of the great service he has rendered Washington. Surely the city fathers could find no objection to making such an appointment. Certainly they should not make it necessary for Congress to act in the matter. Let's hear what other civic-minded Washingtonians think of the matter.

P. J. M.

Wakefield Author Voices His Thanks

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: As author of "Wakefield," the Washington Bicentennial folk-masque, which concluded on Friday night its performances at Constitution Hall, may I express through your columns to the press and the public of Washington my very earnest appreciation of their generously cordial cooperation in contributing to the community success of the masque's production.

Especially, since it is impracticable to express my grateful sense of obligation individually to the many hundreds who took part, I should like to pay my tribute here to the painstaking devotion, the artistic zeal and the great friendliness revealed throughout rehearsals and performances by the participants in the festival and its organization, from the most expert and well known to the least and anonymous.

It is an honor which I shall always cherish to have been associated with their mutual work and good will, as their fellow worker and friend.

PERCY MacKAYE.

Cannibal King's Heir To Study at Oxford

Sydney, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—George Thakombau, great-grandson of the "cannibal king of Fiji," is studying at one of Australia's exclusive colleges preliminary to enrolling at Oxford.

He will specialize in law and British colonial administration, training for the time when he must follow his father as paramount chief of British Fiji.

Restore Boone's Fort

Richmond, Ky., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Restoration of the Pioneer Fort at Boonesboro on the Kentucky River, made historic by Daniel Boone, is an enterprise to be undertaken this year by Richmond civic organizations.

A memorial to the Kentucky woodsman who established a settlement and stockade at Boonesboro in 1775 is part of the plan.

Earth Slide Menace to Vatican City

Buildings That Have Stood for Centuries Suffer Fresh Fissures.

VATICAN CITY, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Vatican City, built on a hill, seems to be slowly sliding westward, endangering buildings that have stood for centuries.

Alarms have multiplied since a section of the library collapsed late in December, and the Pope has set four groups or commissions to work lest there be further disaster from the cracking walls.

The library collapse came in a wing of the huge Vatican Palace, a structure of 1,000 rooms, most of which were built 400 years ago. Exactly a month later two fissures opened in the vaulted ceiling of the main palace.

Still another month and heavy bronze statues were ordered out of another section of the building a day or two after cracks were found in the ceiling under the office of Cardinal Pacelli, papal secretary of state.

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OLD retainers have recalled many incidents to support the growing belief that the ancients did not build as well as they have been credited with doing.

The collapsed portion of the library, for example, showed that supporting pillars had been placed off center, so that the heavy roof exerted a side thrust on the columns.

But St. Peter's has a solid foundation. Upon a frieze under the dome is inscribed in Latin Christ's words, "Thou art Peter and upon this rock I will build my church."

This may have been taken symbolically by many, but Vatican engineers say the cathedral with the adjoining Sistine chapel and the Pope's residence are built upon solid rock.

Perhaps supporting the theory that elsewhere there is a definite but infinitely slow earth-slide, the first investigation commission named by the Pope found several new cracks. Some experts said these might have been opened by the strain thrown on the remainder of the building when the library collapsed.

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THE Pope suspended Fabio de Rossi, chief of the technical bureau, because De Rossi was in charge of repairs at the point where the collapse occurred.

The second investigation group is the staff of the technical office. Over every crack, new or old, strips of thin glass have been placed, imbedded at the ends in cement plaster, so that any movement of the wall will break the glass.

In addition, every foot of every wall, ceiling and floor is being examined. The work will take months.

The third commission was named recently to determine responsibility for the library collapse and to "punish without appeal" anyone found responsible.

A fourth and permanent commission, yet to be organized, is to be charged with the care and maintenance of all buildings. Responsibility for safety will rest with it.

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THE theory of an earth movement was offered by Frederico Manucci and is supported by De Rossi, who succeeded him as chief. Manucci spent half a century at the Vatican.

He says he found definite traces of movement in sandstone used in a tunnel, blocks often being cracked, and that he saw similar evidence in cellars and walls of the old palace.

Some years ago much work was done toward strengthening old walls and inspecting foundations where wide cracks gave evidence of settling, but nowhere were conditions considered unsafe.

Perhaps an exception was a large room on the top floor of the palace, directly over the Pope's private library. A generation ago this was used for papal receptions, but it was noted that the floor trembled when a crowd was present.

Vatican officials, realizing that a collapse might endanger the Pope, who might be either at the reception or in his library underneath, stopped the use of the room for large gatherings, but the danger has been recalled as a sign that there may be perilous places almost anywhere in the palace.

Chinese Buy Bibles Despite Nation's Ills

Shanghai, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The Bible is still a best seller in China.

Devastating floods, famine, banditry and civil warfare in 1931 did nothing to stop the sale of Bibles in this country.

The secretary of the British and Foreign Bible Society states that complete Bibles, testaments and single books of Holy Writ found no less than 4,500,000 customers during the year.

Tut's Tomb Emptied; Ancient Curse Defied

Luxor, Egypt, Feb. 27. (A.P.).—Scornful of "the curse of the pharoahs," which threatens death to disturbers of Egypt's ancient tombs, Howard Carter has just completed removal of the last of the treasures from the tomb of King Tutankhamen.

It was in 1922, after sixteen years of patient and systematic research in the Valley of the Kings that Carter, in association with the late Lord Carnarvon, discovered an entrance to the tomb.

Operations of cataloguing and removing some of the amazing treasure were delayed by the death of Lord Carnarvon resulting from a mosquito bite.

Superstitious persons pointed to Lord Carnarvon's death as fulfillment of "the curse of the pharoahs" and when others of the expedition died later, their comment was intensified.

Carter, however, has remained immune to disaster. The last objects to be taken from the tomb included a camp-bed similar to those used today and a magnificent inlaid chest.

Animal Hospital Gift

London, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—A $75,000 hospital for animals is to be built here from a fund of $100,000 bequeathed for the purpose in 1925. The chancery court has just approved the project. Equipment will take $6,000 and the balance will be used for maintenance.

Ludington Establishes Airport at Norfolk

A modern airport "depot" with all conveniences, has been constructed on the Norfolk, Va., airport through cooperation of the Ludington Airlines, Inc., and local civic interests there, it was announced yesterday by Gene Vidal, executive vice president of the air line.

The completion of the building gives the line a string of modern airport facilities from New York to Norfolk.

Kiwanis Club to Hear Police Chief Glassford

Two headliners will feature the Kiwanis program Thursday at the Raleigh Hotel. Ruth Rodeheaver Thomas, sister of Homer Rodeheaver, accompanied by Mary Atkinson Henson, will sing and Gen. Pelham D. Glassford, superintendent of the Metropolitan Police Department, and a member of the club, will speak on problems of the Police Department in Washington.

Simaitis Named to Form New Memel Directory

Kovno, Lithuania, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The Governor of Memel today entrusted to Edouard Simaitis the task of forming a new directory to administer Memel in place of the administration of the deposed Otto Boettcher. Simaitis, who is 40 years old and has served as director of schools, is classed here as a neutral. He never has belonged to any political party and has not participated in political affairs.

Prof. Drake to Describe Famous Passion Play

"The Passion Play at Oberammergau During the Years 1900, 1910, 1922 and 1930" will be the subject of an illustrated lecture by Prof. Timothy Drake tomorrow in the auditorium of the parish house of the Incarnation Episcopal Church, Sixteenth and Newton streets northwest.

Dr. Drake, who witnessed the Passion Play a number of times, has specialized in the presentation.

Johns Hopkins Institute Of Law May Be Closed

Baltimore, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The institute of law of Johns Hopkins University, organized four years ago to make an organized scientific study of law in its operation and effect on human life and endeavor, is in danger of being closed through lack of funds to carry on its work.

Dr. Joseph S. Ames, president of the university, declined to discuss the financial status of the institute.

Body of Virginia Flier Recovered at Fish Net

Newport News, Va., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The body of Nelson B. Peebles, whose airplane was found in the Chesapeake Bay yesterday, was recovered today at a fish net. Fishermen who made the discovery expressed belief the young man had tried to swim to shore and either had become entangled in the net or had clung to it in the hope of saving himself.

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VALUABLE COUPON — 3 oz. Size — Flavoring Extract Vanilla — With Coupon, 17c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 65c Barnard's — Lilac Vegetal — With Coupon, 27c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — $4.25 Value — Baby Ben Luminous Alarm Clocks — (Discontinued Style) — With Coupon, $2.95 — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — $1.50 Size — Petrolagar — This nationally known laxative very specially priced for this Coupon Sale. — With Coupon, 81c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — $1.25 Size — Creomulsion Tonic — With Coupon, 77c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 50c Wildroot — Liquid Cleansing Cream — With Coupon, 33c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 6c Roll — Waldorf Toilet Tissue — WITH COUPON — 6 for 29c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — $1.19 Thermos — Vacuum Bottle — (Corrugated Nickel) Pint Size — With Coupon, 95c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 50c Size — Nature's Remedy Tablets — Coupon, 31c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — $1.20 Size — Lactogen Baby Food — With Coupon, 87c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 50c Size — Palmolive Shampoo — With Coupon, 27c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 50c Vanderbilt — Tooth Brushes — (Handles slightly imperfect.) — With Coupon 15c — 2 for 25c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — Regular 79c — Drip-O-Lator — 4-Cup Size — With Coupon, 46c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 30c Size — Mentholatum Ointment — With Coupon, 17c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 60c Size — Capudine Headache Remedy — With Coupon, 39c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 60c Size — Pompeian Massage Cream — A popular massage cream that cleanses and stimulates the facial pores. — With Coupon, 32c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

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VALUABLE COUPON — Regular 98c Capitol — Fountain Syringe — With Fittings — With Coupon, 67c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 40c Value — Putnam Dry Cleaner — With Coupon, 25c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — $1 Size — Pinoleum Nasal Spray — With Coupon, 63c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 35c Size — Djer-Kiss Talcum — With Coupon, 21c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 65c Lb. Manners — Theatrical Cream — The Economical Way to Buy Cold Cream — With Coupon, 39c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — $1.29 1-Burner — Electric Stove — With Switch — With Coupon, 99c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — $1.50 Value — Gray's Glycerine Tonic — With Coupon, 89c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 75c Size — Wyeth's Collyrium — A soothing and healing wash for the eyes. — With Coupon, 49c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 50c Barnard's — Cocoanut Oil Shampoo — With Coupon, 26c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — $1 Value — Novelty Electric Lamps — With Coupon, 47c — Come in and examine these lamps. They will make an attractive addition to your home. — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — Regular $1.49 — Lunch Kits — With Pint Thermos Bottle — With Coupon, $1.09 — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — $1 Size — Mike Martin's Liniment — With Coupon, 53c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 25c Size — Barnards Zinc Stearate — With Coupon, 14c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — Regular 25c — Rubber Tea Aprons — With Coupon, 19c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 25c Dermatone — SKIN SOAP — With Coupon, 13c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — $2.49 K. M. Electric — Waffle Iron — With Coupon, $1.69 — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — $2.00 Size — S. S. S. Health Tonic — With Coupon, $1.29 — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 35c Size — Crack Shot Roach Powder — With Coupon, 29c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 35c Size Graham — Borated Talcum — With Coupon, 18c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 25c Ideal — TOOTH PASTE — With Coupon 14c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — Regular 25c Dupont Fabric — Shopping Bags — With Coupon, 19c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — $1.25 Size — BISODOL — With Coupon, 79c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 50c Barnard's — Razor-Aid Shaving Cream — With Coupon, 27c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 75c Barnard's — Eau de Quinine Hair Tonic — With Coupon, 39c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 25c Diana — Household Rubber Gloves — Assorted pastel colors. — With Coupon 19c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — $1.19 K. M. Electric — Heating Pads — With Coupon, 88c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

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VALUABLE COUPON — Regular 29c lb. — Hershey Kisses — With Coupon, 23c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — $1 W. D. C. Thorobred — Briar Pipes — With Coupon, 69c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 25c ½-lb. Bars — Hershey Chocolate — With Coupon, 10c — A Delicious and Healthful Confection! — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — Original $5 Model — Douglass Pocket Lighter — With Coupon, 69c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 25c Half-Pound Bars — Nestles Chocolate — With Coupon, 10c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — $1 Value — Nevasmok Ash Receiver — With Coupon, 43c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 39c-lb. Planters — Salted Peanuts — With Coupon, 23c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 59c Pound — Chocolate Almonds — With Coupon, 39c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 29c Pound Mammy Lou — Peppermint Patties — With Coupon, 21c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — Regular 39c Pound — Pecan Glace — A wholesome and delectable confection sure to be enjoyed by the whole family. — With Coupon, 33c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

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VALUABLE COUPON — Regular 25c — Hand Brushes — Selected bristles firmly mounted in sturdy wooden backs. — With Coupon, 17c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — Regular 79c — Ever-Ready Shaving Brush — With Coupon, 58c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 15c Cannon — Bath Towels — 18x36 inches — With Coupon 6 for 69c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — Regular 98c — Arabella Ship Models — An attractive ornament for the console or radio. — With Coupon, 87c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 89c Fraternity — Vellum Stationery — With Coupon 59c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — Regular 98c — Hassocks — A useful and ornamental addition to the living room or den — With Coupon, 79c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 98c Puritan — Hot Water Bottle — With Coupon 63c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — 98c Star-Rite Four-Piece Electric Hair Dressing Sets — With Coupon, 83c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — Regular 89c Double-deck — Silvertone Playing Cards — With Coupon 73c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — Regular 98c Dobell — Nose & Throat Atomizer — With Coupon, 79c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

VALUABLE COUPON — Regular 29c — Bridge Chair Seat Pads — With Coupon, 4 for 79c — At All Peoples Drug Stores (P).

CAPITAL MAN FACES COURT AS BIGAMIST

Trial of James W. Callan Is Set for March 7 at Frederick, Md.

Frederick, Md., Feb. 27.—Arraigned before the Frederick County Circuit Court today charged with bigamy, James W. Callan, 25, who gave his occupation as a broker, and home, 1529 N street northwest, Washington, D. C., pleaded not guilty and asked for a jury trial. Trial was set for March 7.

Callan, accompanied by a young woman, who gave her name as Miss Bessie W. Bowman, 21, 1009 Ninth street northwest, Washington, arrived in Frederick shortly before midnight, January 6, aroused the clerk of the court and obtained a marriage license. He and Miss Bowman then went to the home of the Rev. A. R. Snedegar and were married.

The following day it was discovered that Callan allegedly gave the taxi driver who brought them to Frederick a bad check and also gave the court clerk and minister worthless checks. Following this information the police were notified that Callan already had a wife in Washington from whom he was not divorced.

He was arrested in Washington by county officers and brought to the Frederick Jail charged with bigamy and passing bad checks. At the recent session of the grand ury he was indicted on the bigamy charge.

The indictment charges that Callan, while the husband of Anna H. Callan, was married to Miss. Bowman. The authorities received word that his first wife will come to Frederick to testify against him at his trial.

Slain Robber Had Baltimore Record.

Salt Lake City, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—A man shot and killed by city detectives while robbing a safe in a business establishment here last night was identified today through his fingerprints as James Miller, 35, with a long criminal record in Baltimore, Md., and elsewhere.

WET DELEGATE

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MRS. ROSE Y. FORRESTER.

Washington housewives constitute more than one-half the membership of the District Council, Women's Organization for National Prohibition Reform, Mrs. William B. Mason, newly elected chairman of the council, who leaves tonight with a delegation of seven for Charleston, S. C., will so report to the national executive committee convening for the first time in the dry South.

The District delegation to the national sessions, beginning in Charleston for three days and concluding with an all-day meeting in Atlanta on Thursday, will have a part in drafting plans for the intensive anti-prohibition drive to be waged by the organization in the 1932 presidential campaign. In addition to Mrs. Mason, the delegation includes two other new officers, Mrs. Rose Yates Forrester, vice chairman, and Mrs. Frederick Solger, secretary. Other delegates are Mrs. Arthur O'Brien, Mrs. James F. Mitchell, Mrs. Lee Warren, Mrs. Louis Lehr and Mrs. Shaw-Kennedy Coleman.

MODEL SETTLEMENT WILL OPEN APRIL 4

Christ Child Society Plans to Occupy New Building This Week.

Formal opening of the new headquarters and settlement house of the Christ Child Society, at 808 Massachusetts avenue northeast, will take place on Monday, April 4, according to officials of the society. Actual transfer of headquarters from their present location, on East Capitol street, will take place this week, the formal opening being delayed a month in order to permit the finishing touches to be made on the new building.

A large crowd is expected to attend the formal opening, as this Community Chest organization, in locating this model settlement in this particular neighborhood, will fill a need for recreational facilities for children hitherto not available. Already the children are showing interest in the settlement, and it will probably start with a full enrollment in the various classes by April.

Only the first unit is being completed at the present time, but this unit will carry out a plan which contemplates the later addition of a gymnasium. The building is made possible through the sale of the old headquarters of the Christ Child Society, on Indiana avenue, which were taken over by the Government in connection with its building plan for that section.

The Christ Child Society, which is supported by Community Chest funds, has one of the most varied lines of activities of any organization in the city. In addition to its charitable organization for babies, boy and girl clubs, Boy Scouts and other activities at the main settlement the society also conducts a suburban home for convalescent children at Rockville, Md.

FILMLAND ASSAILS CAPITAL CRITICISM

Seeks Apologies for Attacks Made on Its Reputation; Calls Navy Safe.

Hollywood, Feb. 27 (U.P.).—Hollywood, which considers itself one of the most misunderstood communities in America, desires apologies from prominent Washintgonians who cast aspersions on its reputation.

First, Read Admiral Upham intimated that Hollywood would be no place for young Navy officers who might be sent to the University of California at Los Angeles for post-graduate work. The inference made Hollywood gasp.

Then Senator Broekhart made a speech before the Senate urging a Federal investigation and possible regulation of the screen industry.

That suggestion incurred the wrath of motion picture studios, which have been struggling to pull out of the depression alump.

Admiral Upham's inference drew the heaviest storm of protest.

Admiral Upham said he believed the "civilian atmosphere" of the University of California at Berkeley would be better for the young naval officers.

Whereupon, beautiful young film actresses retorted that "the Navy needn't be afraid to turn its men loose in Hollywood. We have our own interests; there are plenty of good-looking men in the films; most of the girls would pay no attention to the Navy men."

The Hollywood Chamber of Commerce reported that it would demand an apology from the Secretary of the Navy.

Representatives of national sororities at U. C. L. A. held the same opinion as the movie stars. "We don't consider ourselves dangerous," they said, "and if the Navy men come here we certainly shall not run after them."

CHOIR LEADER

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MRS. RUBY SMITH STAHL, who is the conductor of the A Capella Choir of Washington, which will present its second annual public Lenten concert Friday evening, March 11, in the ballroom of the Mayflower Hotel.

Ilsley Murder Reward Is Reduced to $1,250

Special to The Washington Post.

Middleburg, Va., Feb. 27.—Announcement has been made that the reward of $3,250 offered for the arrest and conviction of the murderer or murderers of Mrs. Spencer Ilsley and Mrs. Mina Buckner in the former's home at Middleburg, the night of January 12, has been reduced to $1,250.

It was explained that large sums already had been expended in an effort to solve the crime and apprehend the guilty party or parties. George Crawford, Negro, former convict, is being sought as a suspect.

NOTES WASHINGTON WROTE AUCTIONED

Higher Price Paid for Letter of Roger Williams in New Jersey Sale.

Meuchen, N. J., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Letters written by George Washington and other articles of Washingtoniana were auctioned this week in a sale of the historical collection of Foster Stearns, of Hancock, N. H.

The Washington documents brought brisk bidding, but the high price of the sale, $4,000, was paid for a letter of Roger Williams, the founder of Rhode Island. Gilbert Wells, of New York, bought it.

A letter from John Winthrop, Colonial Governor of Massachusetts, to his wife, sold for $1,000.

The personal papers of George Washington, seized by the French at Fort Necessity during the French and Indian Wars, sold for $195. An autographed letter, dated January 20, 1799, from President Washington to Col. William Heth, brought $240.

One of the earliest items of Washingtoniana was an autographed survey of Frederick County, Va., dated October 26, 1750. The signature was a plain, "G. Washington." The document went for $290.

The highest price received for Washington items was $350, for a letter he wrote to the Rev. Boucher, dealing largely with domestic matters, but giving much space to the question of the education of his wife's son, young Jackie Custis. The letter was dated July 27, 1789.

The smallest item sold was a scrap of paper bearing the autograph of Col. Seth Warner, famous Vermont Revolutionary patriot. It brought $1.

"The articles of settlement and offices of the Free Society of Trades in Pennsylvania," signed by William Penn, and dated 1682, was sold for $650 on the cabled bid of Maggs Bros., London.

A letter from Benjamin Franklin to a French friend, which was sold in 1927 for $700, brought only $420.

RULES VOTING

Associated Press Photo.

REAR ADMIRAL CLARK HOWELL WOODWARD, a native Georgian, has been designated by President Hoover to supervise the presidential election in Nicaragua in May.

Listener at Jury's Door Fined $25 for Contempt

Hagerstown, Md., Feb. 27.—Caught by Bailiff Marks Williams pressing his ear to a crack in the door of the jury-room, where a jury was deliberating on a liquor case, William (Mank) Miller, wealthy local man, was fined $25 today by Judge Frank G. Wagaman for contempt of court.

Williams said he heard Miller comment on how the jury stood in its deliberations.

EFFICIENCY BUREAU MAPES REPORT NEAR

Brown to Confer With Capper on Plan for Submitting Suggested Changes.

Herbert D. Brown, chief of the Bureau of Efficiency, will confer this week with Senator Arthur Capper on the bureau's plan for submitting the Mapes taxation measures and recommended improvements to the Senate District committee.

None of the five bills, proposing estate, income and automobile weight taxes, increased gasoline levies, and repeal of the 60-40 fiscal relations law, is quite in shape to report, Mr. Brown told The Post last night.

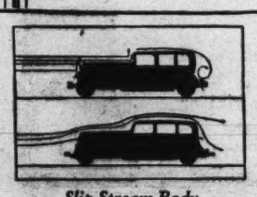
He said it probably will be a week before analysis of the first of the measures is complete. The bureau originally planned to submit the bills one at a time. Senator Capper said, however, he preferred to take the matter up as a whole.

Clearing the way for committee action on the program, which if approved by the Senate will mean $4,000,000 in additional District taxes, Senator Capper has disposed of all important District legislation with the exception of the Howell "home raid" bill and the traction consolidation measure.

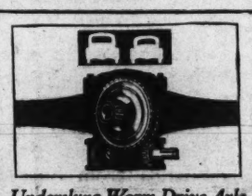
The first of these he hopes to have voted on Friday. Next week he plans to get the merger bill out of the way. Then will commence extensive hearings on the Mapes project, at which all interested District organizations will be given a chance to state their views.

Senator Capper may call a special meeting this week to vote on a bill requiring companies or individuals operating taxicabs to demonstrate their ability to satisfy claims for damages.

NASH steps out ahead



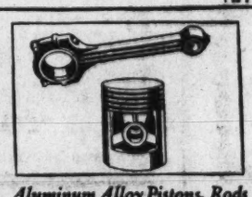
Slip-Stream Body
A new body of unusual beauty. V-Radiator and Beavertail back reduce air resistance, thus increasing speed. (All models.)



Underslung Worm Drive Axle
Lowers center of gravity without decreasing head room or road clearance. (Ambassador, Advanced, and Special Eights.)

X-Dual Frame, Super-rigid
Strongest type of frame. Extends practically entire length of chassis, giving car, virtually, a double frame. (All models.)

Dash Full Range Ride Control
Enables you to regulate your travel comfort, regardless of road, or load, speed, or temperature. (All models.)



Aluminum Alloy Pistons, Rods
Extreme lightness reduces centrifugal load, resulting in greater power and acceleration. Pistons have invar struts. (All models.)

Relocation of Rear Seat
Ahead of rear axle (with no decrease in leg room) instead of directly over it as is conventional practice. In all models.

"Centrifuse" Brake Drums
Steel supports cast iron drums of special formula in all Eights. Assures trouble free service and softer and more positive brake action.

Driving Seat Adjustment
New roller, sliding type front seat adjustment. Finger-tip operation. Easy to regulate. (All Coupes and regular Sedans.)

Two Glove Compartments
New instrument panel has two convenient, chromium trimmed glove and parcel compartments on either side of panel. (All models.)

Dual Exhaust Silencers
Exhaust travels in straight line instead of thru baffle plate muffler. Motor noise and back pressure is virtually banished. (All models.)

FIRST SHOWING — *Five New Series*

The new Nash models today make their bow to the American public. Measured in terms of their quality, their advanced engineering, their wealth of features, their beauty, their remarkably different performance, their size, and their price, each of these five new Nash series is *provably* a new value in its field. They are entirely new in appearance with complete Slip-Stream body design, Slip-Stream fenders, V-radiator, and Beavertail back. They are new in performance with greater power, greater smoothness, greater speed, greater driving ease and riding comfort. They are larger, longer, lower, roomier cars with important basic advancements in both chassis and body design. We believe that when you see the new Nash and drive it you will accept it —*and prefer it*—as a new kind of car with a new type of performance.

Illustrating Beavertail Back

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116-inch Wheelbase	*121-inch Wheelbase*	*128-inch Wheelbase*	*133-inch Wheelbase*	*142-inch Wheelbase*
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- Inside Lock on All Doors*
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- Concealed Windshield Operating Mechanism*
- Silent Camshaft and Valve Action*
- Twin-Ignition (*Special, Advanced, Ambassador Eights*)
- New Slanting Non-glare Windshields*
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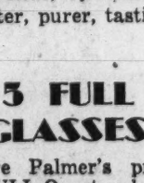

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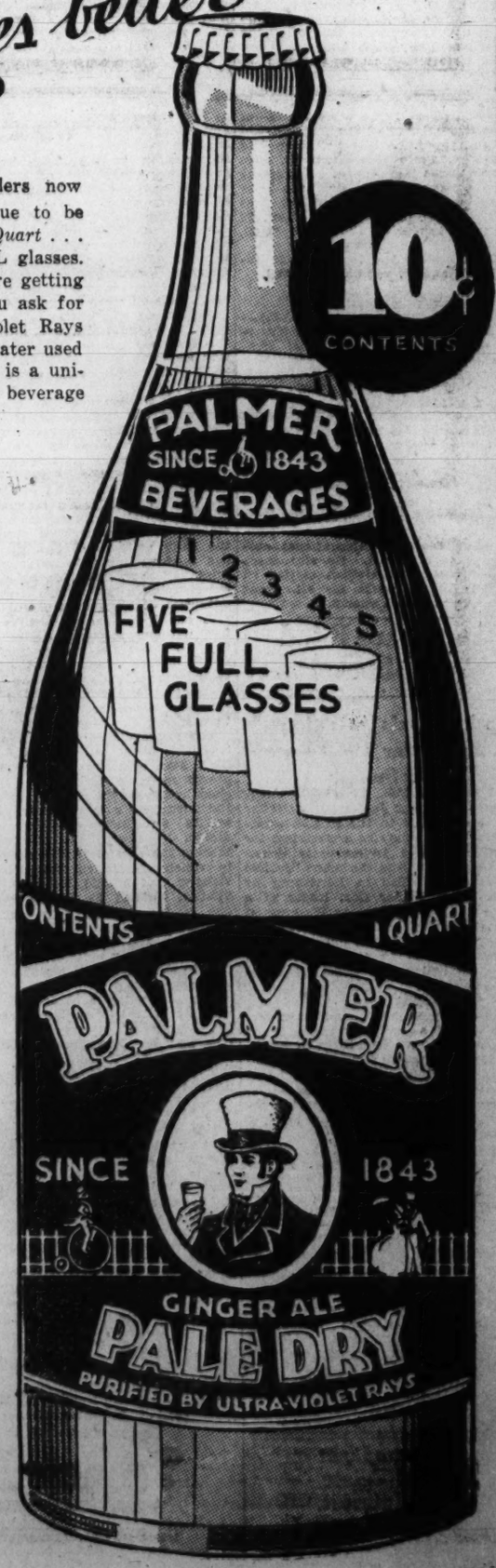

15,000 CHEER HITLER AS CAMPAIGN OPENS

Nazis' Presidential Choice Says Republic to Fall and Pacts to Be Junked.

Berlin, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Adolf Hitler, a man without a country for 18 years, made his debut as a German citizen tonight by opening his campaign for the presidency of Germany before 15,000 frenzied Fascist followers that packed Berlin's sports palace.

The Nazi leader promised that the "November system" (the present republic) would fall and with it the international treaties that had "humiliated, degraded and made Germany ridiculous."

Germany became a republic on November 9, 1918, when the abdication of Kaiser Wilhelm was announced.

"March will be a decisive month," said the fiery chieftain of the National Socialists, whose speech was interrupted time and time again by tremendous outbursts of cheers and applause.

Warns Von Hindenburg.

"The disgraceful pages from 1913 to 1932 will be torn out of our history and the German people will not have started another revolution, but will have won back what they have lost."

Declaring that the Nazis honored his rival, President Paul von Hindenburg, and wanted his name respected in posterity, Hitler addressed words of warning to the veteran incumbent.

"Old man," he said, "those behind you want to destroy you. You must step aside. They want to fight and we do, too."

Summing up the accomplishments of his movement, he said it had fostered the now general attitude that payment of reparations must cease and the "war guilt lie" repudiated.

"New Hope and Confidence."

"But most important of all—we have given the German people new hope and confidence," he said.

Hitler, who was admitted to German citizenship yesterday by his acceptance of an appointment as counselor to the Brunswick Legation in Berlin, had entered the hall buoyantly, dramatically, and visibly happy at the tremendous ovation given him. He left hurriedly, outpacing his lieutenants and the accompanying guard, without gazing to right or left, the solemn mien of his face reflecting the fervor of his closing remarks.

He wore a plain suit, as did his followers, because of the government's ban against political uniforms, including the brown uniform with the swastika emblem of the Nazis.

Dr. Paul Goebbels, Hitler's right-hand man, told the assembled National Socialists that 50,000 meetings for their fiery leader would be held between now and March 13, the date of the election.

Threatens Newspapers.

Dr. Goebbels attacked the government of Chancellor Heinrich Bruening bitterly for suppressing Nazi newspapers, and threatened, amid tumultuous applause, that when the Nazis assumed power they would use the same methods of suppression.

Shortly before the meeting began it was discovered that a cable connecting the Sports Palace with another hall in Berlin's West End for the transmission of the speeches had been tapped. A line had been laid to some waste ground nearby, with the obvious intention of interrupting the speeches as President von Hindenburg's new year's address was broken into in the same manner, by Communists with shouts of "Hail, Moscow!"

The obstruction to the cable tonight, however, was soon removed.

Hitler's Rival Begins Drive.

Cologne, Germany, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Adolf Hitler's rival, Theodore Duesterberg, opened his presidential campaign here tonight on the Nationalist and "Steel Helmet" (war veterans) ticket before an enthusiastic audience of 15,000.

"Ruined Germany," he said, "could not possibly resume payments of reparations. Germany demanded freedom to arm and defend itself against threatened foreign aggression, he added.

He urged the necessity for the fatherland to put its own economic system on a proper footing before committing itself to international economic engagements. He also advocated one year's civilian service on public utility works for all young German men and women.

Papers Are Filed For Jobless Party

Father Cox's Assertion He May Enter 1932 Race Given Substance.

Pittsburgh, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Associates of Father James R. Cox today gave substance to the priest's assertions that he may be a candidate for President on a jobless party ticket. Papers preempting the name "Jobless party" were filed in Harrisburg by friends of Father Cox, leader of a march of 15,000 men to Washington in an unemployment demonstration. The papers stated the purpose of the preemption is to elect presidential electors and a full ticket of Statewide officers.

"We are just making good our promise to go through with the formation of a national party," the priest said. "We told them in Washington that unless some Federal relief was offered, we would put a presidential candidate in the field."

Despite the priest's statement regarding the preemption move and the statement of purpose contained in the papers, Attorney A. L. Staley, Father Cox's legal adviser, said no definite plans have been made beyond placing a candidate in the field for Congress at the spring primary.

Williams Resigns Editorship.

Oklahoma City, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The retirement of Carl Williams, cotton member of the Federal Farm Board, as editor of the Oklahoma Farmer-Stockman, was announced today by E. K. Gaylord, publisher. Williams has not been active on the paper since July, 1929, when he accepted appointment to the Farm Board. Clarence Roberts, who has been coeditor since that time, becomes editor.

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New Cinema Offerings

RKO-KEITH'S

"THE LOST SQUADRON." Radio Pictures' filmization of an original story by Dick Grave, adapted to the screen by Wallace Smith, with dialogue by Herman Mankiewicz and Robert Presnell, featuring Richard Dix, Mary Astor, Joel McCrea, Robert Armstrong and Hugh Herbert, supported by Erich Von Stroheim, Dorothy Jordan and Ralph Ince. Directed by George Archainbaud. World premiere, reviewed Saturday afternoon.

By NELSON B. BELL.

"The Lost Squadron" doesn't really lose itself until about the sixth reel. After an inspiring opening and a consistently interesting and exciting development of plot through a series of thrilling preliminary situations, Dick Grace permits his story to go phychologically haywire and romantically flooey. This is a lamentable situation, since for three-quarters of its length this is an unusual and thoroughly diverting picture, both in its ground sequences and in its hazardous scenes above the clouds.

The principal characters—from whom the film derives its name—are first encountered in the execution of valorous deeds over the firing-line in France on the last day of the Great War. With the signing of the Armistice, the four survivors of the "lost squadron" return to the States to discover that the course of life has changed for all of them during the period of hostilities. "Red" discovers that to enable him to resume his old job a man of family must be fired; Capt. Gibson that his betrothed, an ambitious young show girl, has adopted the easiest way to luxury and quick recognition; "Woody" that his father's wealth has all been lost, through the treachery of a crooked partner, and Fritz, the mechanic, that without the excitement of the fighting zone, living has lost its kick.

With the passing of time, "Red," "Gibby" and Fritz ride the side-door Pullmans to Hollywood where they find "Woody" living the life of Riley as a stunt flier for the movies. They join him and bring the prowess of the war's most courageous aces to the making of thrill pictures for a murderous director whose star and wife is Capt. Gibson's former sweetheart. It is upon this circumstance that the melodramatic climax of the action is based.

That climax, however, regardless of whatever justification may be claimed for it, makes a murderer of one of the lads whose stature has, up to this time, been heroic, and a suicide of the ostensible hero of the play, who crashes his plane from the clouds on a stormy night to destroy the body of the director shot in the back and by his own death to absolve the boys he learned to love on the fighting front.

For all I know to the contrary, this may be the fighting man's code, but it is a depressing and unbelievable element of romance, even of the most violently melodramatic stamp. The love interest, which, by every promise of early sequences, should have been the plot's major motivation, is dropped like a hot cake the minute Von Furst, the vengeful director, pours the acid that is to eat through the control wires of the plane he thinks his star's former lover is going to pilot and thus causes the pictured narrative to degenerate into the ten-twenty-thirty class of cheap thriller.

Within the limitations of a story that opens like a million dollars and ends like a counterfeit dime, Richard Dix, as Capt. Gibson; Joel McCrea, as Red; Robert Armstrong, as Woody, and Hugh Herbert, as Fritz, offer splendid performances. Erich von Stroheim, in the role of the director, contributes one of his typically pugnacious and repellant impersonations of a German tyrant with a swollen ego and insatiable lust for revenge. I haven't seen him more distasteful since he played the part of the young German officer in "The Unbeliever" many years ago.

Mary Astor and Dorothy Jordan, cast in the only two feminine roles in the play, do what little is assigned them with accustomed skill, although the gruesome termination of the action leaves so many story ends dangling that their efforts are almost wholly futile insofar as conclusive purpose is concerned.

Despite the deficiencies in story logic and credible climax and denouement, there is much in "The Lost Squadron" that is distinctive and distinguished — the stunt flying against magnificent cloud effects, the disclosure of Hollywood methods of filming aerial thrillers, the brisk comedy that characterizes much of the early action and the zip that has been written into many of the lines. All these make for the sort of entertainment that elicits frequent outbursts of cheering and applause.

It ought yet to be possible, before national release date of the film, to revise the last reel or two of the picture to eliminate the spectacle of murder, suicide and body destruction and terminate the major love theme more satisfactorily than merely dropping it cold.

The vaudeville portion of the bill is notable for several fine acts. Irene Rich, star of many excellent films, proves more charming, more vivacious and more the comedienne than the screen has ever permitted her to be in an inconsequential little sketch, by George Buchanan Fife, bearing the title of "Ask Your Wife," in which she is supported by Al Webster and Harold Elliott. Eddie Stanley, assisted by Bonnie Poe, is one of the season's most eminent nut comedians and Bomby (Aldo Bomonte) and His Gang of gifted singers transfer a radio studio broadcast to the stage with highly engaging results.

The supporting acts are contributed by Will Aubrey, the "Bard of the Highways," always a hit, and Lois and her Barcelonians, dancers and gymnasts.

The Pathe News and orchestral prelude complete the bill.

Sewer Contracts Awarded.

Two sewer contracts were awarded yesterday by the District Commissioners to Robert G. Lassiter & Co. One is for construction of a replacement sewer at Sixth and S streets northwest for an estimated cost of $2,875.83, while the other is for a replacement sewer at Eleventh and N streets northwest at a cost of $3,179.03.

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"SHANGHAI EXPRESS." Paramount picturization of a story by Harry Hervey, adapted to the screen by Jules Furthman, starring Marlene Dietrich, supported by Clive Brook, Anna May Wong, Warner Oland and Eugene Pallette. Directed by Joseph von Sternberg. Reviewed Saturday afternoon by W. A. Whitney.

The traditional difference between the material adapted to screen use and that for the so-called legitimate stage is rapidly being relegated to the limbo of useless impedimenta. This encroachment has scarcely been more forcibly depicted than in "Shanghai Express," whose action for the most part transpires on the Peiping-Shanghai limited and in the office of the leader of a Chinese revolution. There is packed into these restricted locales comedy and tragedy in most of its moods, and a story that is as exciting in its development as it is novel in its mechanical construction.

Leaving Peiping, the Shanghai Express houses in the first-class carriages a cosmopolitan assemblage: an English army captain, an inveterate gambler, a reformer, a matronly boarding-house keeper, a French major, a Chinese gentleman, a white lady of the evening and a yellow sister. But—Shanghai Lily as the former fiancee of Capt. Harvey; the Chinese gentleman, the incognito leader of the revolution, and the yellow magdalene (by inference) his former mistress.

The obvious happens: the train is stopped en route and Mr. Chang appears in his true colors; takes Capt. Harvey as hostage for the safe return of a captured agent; Shanghai Lily, to save the captain from being blinded, offers to become Chang's mistress, and Hue Fei, in revenge (and to obtain the reward for the dispatch) kills the revolutionist. And the Shanghai Express, finally puffs into its terminal four hours late!

Marlene Dietrich, as Madeline, alias Shanghai Lily, is called upon to display a wide range of emotions and, though ever repressed in their expression, she more than meets the most exacting demands. Opposite her is Clive Brook, who carries his "strength" and silence not quite to the point of obstinacy, finally becoming reconciled to his earlier sweetheart, yet not without his usual magnificent display of suffering.

As the leader of the revolution, Warner Oland delivers a delineation that combines the orientalisms of Charlie Chan with the machinations of Fu Manchu, a mixture in the compounding of which he is a past master. Anna May Wong is charming as the quiet, slit-eyed knifer. Lawrence Grant is the Rev. Carmichael, whose role first promises another Rev. Davidson, but turns out to be much more sympathetic. Comedy is injected into the grim drama by Eugene Pallette, with his readiness to place bets at any odds on anything. Louise Closser Hale, Gustav von Seyffertitz and Emile Chautard present excellent character parts.

Headlining the vaudeville bill introduced by Maxine Doyle, gowned charmingly in pink, dark blue, and yellow-green, is Evelyn Wilson, late of the "Scandals," in a cycle of songs in dialect and after the manner of Helen Kane, omitting the poo-poo-pa-doops. The Three Swifts, while living up to their name, contribute a usual Indian club swinging act. Johnny Pastine, with the assistance of Zella Valsy and Martha Kay, offers excellent waltz and adagio numbers, with specialties of merit by the young women. If Charlie Abbott and Gus Robey performed their chatter before an indefinite drop and under a black spot, their act would be improved one hundred per cent.

An overture of Oriental flavor, conducted by Mr. Clark; the Looney Tune, "Battling Bosko;" and a release of the Universay News complete the program.

Evacuation Data Given Americans

Consul at Shanghai Plans for Safety of Citizens in Event of Danger.

Shanghai, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The American Colony of Shanghai was informed today of exactly what to do and where to go in case the sino-Japanese conflict reaches such proportions that it becomes necessary for United States citizens to evacuate the city.

Each American resident was assigned to a concentration point by the United States Consular authorities. The address, telephone number and other necessary data concerning each United States citizen was entered on special registration cards.

A three-stage plan has been perfected for moving out the Americans with the greatest speed possible. In cases where specific areas become danger zones, the Americans living in them will be afforded refuge in schools, churches and clubs. In the event that the outlying districts generally become untenable, Americans will be concentrated in the downtown section. If this portion of the city also becomes involved in the conflict, all Americans will be removed to steamers within the harbor and to American properties on the other side of the river.

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Appointive Postal System Is Rapped

Civil Service Reform Body, Meeting in New York, Assails "Farce."

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Criticism of alleged political activities of postmasters and condemnation of the "farce" of the appointive system were made before the annual convention of the National Civil Service Reform League here this week.

In the annual report submitted President Hoover was urged to end the use of postmaster appointments as "virtual spoils of the party in power."

The President was commended for his order of February 2 amending the civil service rules to eliminate special exceptions from competitive examinations of so-called "confidential" positions in the Department of Justice.

"It is fairly common knowledge," the report stated, "that in the larger offices the postmaster spends the public time and money in actively engaging in political intrigue."

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Catholic Alumnae Confer March 19

Tentative List of Speakers Announced for Sessions at Willard.

The eleventh annual conference of the District of Columbia Chapter of the International Federation of Catholic Alumnae will be held in the Willard Hotel on March 19, with a morning and afternoon session. There are approximately 2,000 members of the local chapter, which is composed of women of the Catholic high schools and colleges of Washington.

A tentative list of speakers includes the Right Rev. Edward A. Pace, vice rector of the Catholic University; Mary T. Norton, representative from New Jersey, and chairman of the committee on the District of Columbia, House of Representatives; Mrs. Philip A. Brennan, Brooklyn, N. Y., president of the International Federation of Catholic Alumnae, and Dr. Marguret Nicholson, of this city.

Mrs. Lewis A. Payne as chairman on arrangements, is being assisted by Mrs. Adelaide I. Cavanagh, Miss Bernadette Dore, Miss Edith Branson, Miss Agnes Waller, Miss Ann Brosnan, Miss Kathryn Bowers and Miss Marie Allen.

Disarming Boys Topic Over Radio

G. H. Hastings Urges Law to Prevent Reckless Sales of Guns.

The juvenile disarmament problem was discussed by George Aubrey Hastings, director of the White House Conference on Child Health and Protection over a national hook-up from Station WRC last night in one of a series of public addresses sponsored by the National Antiweapon Association.

Mr. Hastings declared that many children in Washington have dangerous weapons, or have access to them. Referring to the ease with which such weapons can be purchased in the District, the conference director commended the bills of Senator Arthur Capper and Representative Mary T. Norton to regulate the sale of firearms in this city.

He urged Nation-wide support of these measures. "Laxity in the sales of firearms," he maintained, "is one of the underlying causes of the tragic shootings in which children figure."

Hollywood Denies Brookhart Charges

Reply Says Only 3 Per Cent of Year's Films Concerned Gangsters.

Hollywood, Calif., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The film colony raised its voice today to answer the charges of Sen. Smith W. Brookhart, (Republican) Iowa, that the industry went goggle-eyed last year over gangster pictures and was headed this year toward a run of productions dealing with indecorous women.

The reply was framed from a survey of the 550 pictures released in the period between January, 1931, and January, 1932. It disclosed that only about 3 per cent of those films portrayed the story of the gangster and slightly more than 2 per cent were based on shady women.

In an analysis of the survey, Joseph Breen, assistant to Will H. Hays, president of the Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America, Inc., said most of the pictures were released to theaters at close intervals.

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Sergeant on Stand At Trial of Police

Extortion Case Continued to Tomorrow; Attorneys Clash at Session.

After hearing one witness, the police trial board yesterday continued, until tomorrow the trial of four Fourth Precinct policemen on extortion charges. The men accused are E. W. Gore, F. R. Gue, O. L. Fisher and F. J. Hospidor.

Sergt. Roscoe C. Speith, of the Fourth Precinct, was the witness heard. He testified that with two other officers he hid in an areaway near the home of Frank Adams, complainant, and waited for Gore and Hospidor to appear.

When the suspects drove up, Speith said, the officers in hiding emerged, but were perceived. Hospidor and Gore then drove away, he said. He pursued the car and jumped on the running board. The alleged marked bribe money handed over by Adams was found in the street later, Speith testified. Frequent oral clashes between Assistant Corporation Counsel Robert E. Lynch, prosecutor, and Defense Counsel James O'Shea marked the session yesterday.

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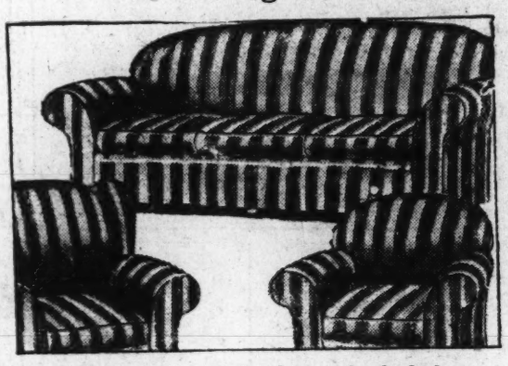

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CARABAOS' WALLOW RECREATES OLD DAYS

Survivors of Filipino Revolt Revive Memories and Laugh at Foibles.

The shafts of satire forged by the Military Order of the Carabao were unloosed last night at their targets—prohibition, budget limitations and arms reductions—at the thirty-second annual wallow of the order at the Willard Hotel.

Hardy survivors of the Philippine insurrection who, 32 years ago, quelled the vaulting ambition of Emilio Aguinaldo, sat in the midst of tropical scenery and laughed at the travesties upon their adventures of the past, the gentle irony of the present, and the probable absurdities of the future.

Blending with the present martial note in the Far East was the announcement that three members of the Carabao who 32 years ago faced their initial baptism of fire in the Philippines are now in command of the United States military and naval activities in the Shanghai sector. They are Admiral Montgomery M. Taylor, U. S. N.; Col. Richard Hooker, U. S. M. C., and Col. Lorenzo Gasser, U. S. A.

Satires Entertain Diners.

The principal addresses made last night were by Secretary of the Navy Adams, Senator Moses, of New Hampshire; Gen. Douglas MacArthur, chief of staff of the Army, and Representative Carroll L. Beade. Officers of the Carabao were installed. The order takes its name from the principal beast of burden used in the Philippines.

A gentle satire on the accomplishments of statecraft entitled, "Helen in Hooeyland," showed the Marine Corps, in the absence of Maj. Gen. Smedley D. Butler, placed on a diet; the Army much engrossed in reserve training; the Navy absorbed in the problem of ship rotation, and the Coast Guard doing all the cruising and having difficulty in keeping hard liquor outside the twelve-mile limit.

As a whole the services were shivering in their boots for fear of a pay cut in their already skimpy salaries, through an appropriation rider. Naturally there could be no Carabao wallow without some reference to Gen. Butler. What seemed to be Gen. Butler appeared before the audience, his uniform covered with decorations, and sang with typical Butlerian rhetoric and unexpurgated emphasis the achievements for which he received the medals.

Advanced Scheme for Parity.

The possibility of the gigantic naval battle of the future was sketched, with the State Department directing and controlling by radio telephone the movements of the ships, communicating during the action with the enemy's prime minister, maintaining parity by detaching a unit whenever the enemy lost one.

As the wallow opened, Gen MacArthur led a toast to President Hoover, and the national anthem was sung, followed by "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," including the verse expurgated from modern school books which has allusion to wine.

The spirit of Washington then addressed the assemblage, reminding the diners that in his farewell address he mentioned the "sweet joys of partaking of the rewards of our labors under the benign influence of good laws under a free Government. • • • But my aim was to see that the laws were established rather in the affections of all than in the fears of any.

"Nor did I fail to counsel that the preservation of your Government required you to resist the spirit of innovation upon the principles of government, especially alteration of the Constitution, which impairs its energy and so undermines what can not directly be overthrown."

Gen. MacArthur Installed.

Gen. MacArthur was then installed as grand paramount carabao by Col. Joseph M. Heller. In his acceptance Gen. MacArthur sketched briefly the stirring events of the past in which the Carabaos participated and the present-day possibilities for upsetting the tranquillity of nations.

Other officers installed were: Grand patriarch of the herd, Col. Reynolds J. Burt, U. S. A.; grand bell carabao, Rear Admiral Frank B. Upham, U. S. N.; grand councilor of the herd, Col. Harold C. Reisinger, U. S. M. C.; grand jefe de los banos, Maj. Gen. Kenzie W. Walker, U. S. A., retired; grand jefe de las bebidas, Col. Henry H. Sheen, U. S. A.; grand jefe de los cargadores, Col. A. Owen Seaman, U. S. A.; main guard, Col. John P. Wade, U. S. A.; winder of the horn, Col. Harry N. Cootes, U. S. A.; carretonero, Brig. Gen. Hugh Matthews, U. S. M. C.; gamboling carabao, Capt. Edward R. Wilson, U. S. N.; veterinario, Maj. Gen. Robert U. Patterson, Surgeon General, U. S. A.

Directores de fiesta: Col. Leartus J. Owen, U. S. A., and Maj. Richard D. LaGarde, U. S. A. Los consejeros en bosque (councilors in the field): Maj. Gen. James G. Harbord, U. S. A., New York City; Col. Roy Pearse, U. S. A., Res., Minneapolis; John T. McCutcheon, war correspondent, Chicago Martin Egan, war correspondent, New York City; Col. John R. R. Hannay, U. S. A., San Francisco; Col. Frederick Palmer, U. S. A., Res., New York City; Edward W. Harden, war correspondent, New York City; George Ade, war correspondent, Brook, Ind.; Maj. Gen. Matt A. Tinley, N. G., Iowa, Council Bluffs, Iowa; Brig. Gen. William Mitchell, late U. S. A., Middleburg, Va.; Capt. H. E. Stafford, U. S. V., Manila, P. I.; Maj. Burton J. Mitchell, late U. S. A., Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Gandhi Usurps Bombinero's Job.

Col. John P. Wade, during his installation as "Bombinero," was given solemn warning that his honorable office, originating at the first meeting of the order, had fallen into disuse before the wave of "noble experimentation" that now pervades all and sundry who gather in any form of gayety or celebration.

The "Bombinero" has for his duty the leading of the herd to recreation and refreshment at inspired intervals, and such interludes take precedence over all other business. Mahatma Gandhi was then discovered on the stage in one of his silent moods operating a spinning wheel which was agitating a battered cocktail shaker.

This was brought to the attention of the "Bombinero" as usurping his prerogative, and to quiet the indignant Carabaos the "Bombinero," after pleading for peace, harangued them after the manner of Mark Anthony concerning the virtues of his dear departed friend and companion, "Bug-juice." At this moment appeared a member of the Fine Arts Commission, who objected to Gandhi's presence as an architectural monstrosity and incongruity and Gandhi was removed from the scene.

This was followed by a song comparing the outcome of Gandhi's lone mission to England to the results of our diplomats at the London conference and predicting that the present economy wave might tend to the adoption of the garb of Gandhi as the uniform of our national defenders.

Those who attended the dinner were:

A-B-C-D.

Charles Francis Adams, Dr. Roy D. Adams, Lieut. Col. Emory S. Adams, Eugene G. Adams, Lieut. Col. George F. Ahern, Senor Don Horatio Alfaro, Col. Charles C. Allen, Representative John C. Allen, Representative Walter G. Andrews, Maj. Gen. Thomas Q. Ashburn.

Capt. Frank D. Berrien, Col. J. E. Bailey, W. Lester Baker, Lieut. Col. Raymond S. Bamberger, David Rankin Barbee, Col. John C. Beaumont, Representative Carroll L. Beedy, E. Lockert Bemiss, Ira Bennett, Capt. William E. Bergin, J. McKenney Berry, Clifford K. Berryman, Maj. Henry C. Bierbower, Brig. Gen. Henry P. Birmingham, Commander Walter A. Bloedorn, Dr. Edgar A. Bocock, Col. Edwin B. Bookmiller, Brig. Gen. David L. Brainard, Maj. David L. S. Brewster, Maj. Gen. Charles H. Bridges, Charles S. Brooks, Capt. Charles F. Brooks, Col. Fred R. Brown, Col. Thad H. Brown, Col. Abraham P. Buffington, Col. Fred W. Bugbee, Lieut. Col. Arthur L. Bump, Percy T. Burness, Col. Frank C. Burnett, Col. Reynolds J. Burt.

Senator Royal A. Copeland, Col. Lewis W. Cass, John S. Cator, Col. Louis S. Chappelear, Rear Admiral Joseph J. Cheatham, Senor Don Juan B. Chevalier, Representative Carl R. Chindblom, Lieut. Col. William Henry Clifford, Col. William H. Clopton, James Coburn, Allister Cochrane, Dr. Fred O. Coe, Col. Henry R. Coe, Dr. William Neal Coglan, Rear Admiral Hutch I. Cone, Col. Bryan Conrad, Col. Creed F. Cox, Lieut. Col. Randolph Coyle, Representative William R. Coyle, Capt. Ralph P. Craft, Commander Howard H. Crosby.

Maj. Harley C. Dagley, Col. Robert M. Danford, Ernest H. Daniel, Maj. Joseph H. Darnall, Capt. Thomas J. Davis, Maj. William T. Davis, F. Trubee Davison, Rear Admiral George C. Day, Brig. Gen. Matthew A. De Laney, Capt. John B. Dennis, Maj. Gen. John L. De Witt, Maj. A. H. Dondero, Dale D. Drain.

E-F-G-H.

Col. Richard T. Ellis, Fred East, Fred E. Ehrenfeld, Lester Eisner, Capt. Hayne Ellis, Lieut. Col. Francis E. Endicott, Lieut. Comdr. Robert P. Erdman, Brig. Gen. Frederic D. Evans, Hanson E. Ely.

Capt. Neal E. Farwell, Maj. Gen. James E. Fechet, Lieut. Col. William F. Fischer, Maj. Gen. Benjamin D. Foulois, Maj. Gen. Amos A. Fries, Dr. Allen G. Fuller, Maj. Gen. Ben H. Fuller, Commander Frank M. Furlong.

Capt. Horatio G. Gillmor, Col. Paul M. Goodrich, Representative Edward Wheeler Goss, Col. William A. Graham.

Col. John P. Hains, Senator Frederick Hale, Capt. William Carvel Hall, Maj. Carl Hallo, R. S. Hart, Dr. G. C. Havenner, Col. Joseph M. Heller, Col. William F. Herringshaw, Maj. George M. Herringshaw, Commander Mark L. Hersey, Jr., Frank S. Hight, Maj. James R. Hill, Lieut. Comdr. Thomas E. Hipp, Dr. John D. Hird, Maj. Edgar T. Hitch, Lieut. Robert A. Hitch, Maj. Leland S. Hobbs, Lieut. Comdr. John D. Hodapp, Frank J. Hogan, Dr. J. J. Hogan, Col. Benedict M. Holden, Lieut. Benedict M. Holden, jr., Col. Frank P. Holgood, Brig. Gen. William E. Horton, Brig. Gen. Charles R. Howland, Col. Philip W. Huntington, Richard W. Hynson.

I-J-K-L.

Maj. Gen. Merritte W. Ireland, Maj. Harry C. Ingles.

Ernest Lee Jahncke, Representative W. Frank James, Frank R. Jelleff, John E. Jenks, Brig. Gen. John A. Johnston, Representative Royal C. Johnson, Representative Albert Johnson.

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Maj. Richard D. La Garde, Wilton J. Lambert, B. F. Lambertson, Harry C. Lamberton, Norman B. Landreau, William H. Landvoigt, Lieut. Fillomer S. C. Layman, Maj. Gen. George E. Leach, William E. Leahy, Capt. Paul E. Lieber, Lieut. Col. Bernard Lentz, Charles P. Light, Maj. Albert W. von Lilienthal, Lieut. Col. W. C. Lockwood, Rear Admiral Charles H. T. Lowndes, Capt. Richard F. Lussier, Maj. James Alexander Lyon.

M-N-O-P.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur, Brig. Gen. William P. Martin, Lieut. Dale P. Mason, Brig. Gen. William Mitchell, Capt. W. L. Maitocks, Senator Rice W. Means, Maj. Gen. Edward E. McClachlin, Col. James J. Meade, Brig. Gen. Hugh Matthews, Capt. Brantz Mayer, Maj. Gen. Henry P. McCain, Col. William A. McCain, Brig. Gen. Nathaniel F. McClure, Lieut. Col. Condon C. McCormack, Col. Douglas C. McDougal, Lieut. Col. Earl McFarland, Maj. Paul J. McGahan, Maj. Gen. Frank McIntyre, Lieut. Col. James G. McKay, Dr. Earl B. McKinley, Thomas McKnew, Rear Admiral Ridley McLean, F. Bruce McMullen, Lieut. Col. Joseph I. McMullen, Capt. Harris M. Melasky, Lieut. Col. Henry S. Merrick, Kieth Merrill, State Department; Col. Henry C. Merriam, Lieut. Comdr. Richard D. Micou, Capt. Watson B. Miller, Maj. Burton J. Mitchell, Commander Robert F. Molten, Dr. James R. Mood, Commander Charles J. Moore, Dr. William G. Morgan, Henry C. Morris, Col. Charles G. Mortimer, Maj. Gen. George Van Horn Moseley, Brig. Gen. Andrew Moses, Senator George H. Moses, Capt. Curtis B. Munger, Lieut. Col. Grayson M.-P. Murphy, Maj. Gen. John T. Myers.

Bert Newhouse, Col. Willard D. Newbill, Commissioner Carmen A. Newcomb.

George H. O'Connor, Senator Tasker L. Oddie, Colman J. O'Donovan, Capt. Charles M. Oman, Col. Leartus J. Owen.

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Lieut. Col. James A. Ulio, Rear Admiral Frank B. Upham, Lieut. Col. John S. Upham.

V-W-Y.

Dr. George Tully Vaughan, Vicente Villamin.

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Dr. Wallace M. Yater, Col. Julian E. Yates, Lieut. Comdr. William B. Young.

"STARS" OF CARABAO DINNER

Left to right, Maj. Gen. Robert U. Patterson, chairman of the dinner committee; Gen. Douglas MacArthur, grand paramount carabao, and Col. Joseph M. Heller, installing officer at last night's Carabao wallow.

Committee Will Study Avenue Improvement

A special committee of the Bethesda Branch of the Montgomery Government Club has been named to study the six plans for the improvement of Wisconsin avenue, as explained at the last meeting of the club by Maj. E. Brooke Lee, of the State Roads Commission.

Members of the special committee are George P. Sacks, Emory H. Bogley, Thomas E. Hampton, Judge H. Granville Curry, Thomas H. Todd, Robert E. Bondy, B. W. Parker, Dr. Benjamin C. Perry, Hugh M. Frampton, J. Harry Welch, and Oliver S. Busby.

Forest Fire Control Cost $889 in Fairfax

The cost of all forest fire control work in Fairfax County, Virginia, last year was $889.41, according to the report of Joseph R. Pike, jr., district forester in charge of northern Virginia.

The actual cost to the county for this type of fire protection was only $140.52, as the sum of $13.04 was credited to the county out of fines collected by the State Forest Service from persons responsible for the forest fires. The balance, $735.85, was expended out of the State and Federal funds.

Baptists in Alexandria Open Revival March 27

Beginning Sunday, March 27, the First Baptist Church, of Alexandria, will begin a series of evangelistic meetings, and the guest preacher will be the Rev. Len G. Broughton, who has been pastor of some of the largest Baptist churches in the South, and is also an author of considerable reputation. Dr. Broughton will speak each morning at 10:30 o'clock and each evening at 7:30. The Rev. Pierce S. Ellis, pastor, states that if present plans materialize one of the best singers in the country will lead the song service.

Not only Baptists, but persons of all other denominations, and those not affiliated with any church, have been invited to attend.

Mule Kicked on Peek.

Kemper, Va. (U.P.).—Carl Shelor stopped to look into a mule's mouth. His jaw was broken and half a dozen teeth knocked out when the mule kicked him.

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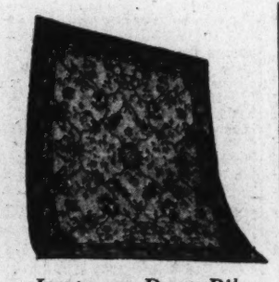

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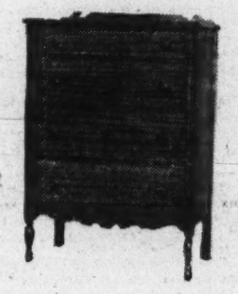

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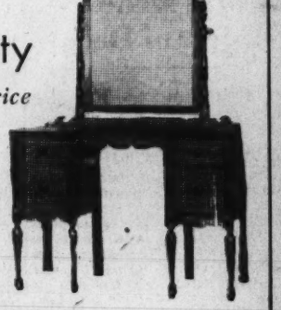

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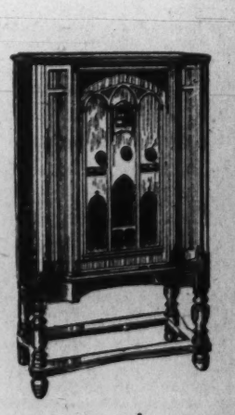

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CATHEDRAL WINDOW PORTRAYS PROGRESS

History of Religion Through Ages Is Depicted in Stained Glass.

The history and progress of Christianity through the ages from the first century to the present time is portrayed by Earl Edward Sanborn, a Boston artist and stained glass designer, in the 65-foot stained glass window recently installed in the Washington Cathedral.

The window, besides picturing the outstanding events and individuals that are recorded in history as spreading the Gospel throughout the world, illustrates the old and new methods of the dissemination of the teachings of Christianity. At its bottom is depicted a camel caravan and an oar propelled galley, used by the evangelists in the first century, while at the top portion of the window there is an airplane and a radio microphone, the modern means of spreading the messages of the church.

Symbolizing the first verse of the "Te Deum"—"The Holy Church throughout all the world doth acknowledge Thee"—the window rises in its height on the south side of the apse of the cathedral and is believed to be one of the tallest and most beautiful windows of any cathedral in the world. On the north side of the apse a window of similar height, depicting the portion of the "Te Deum" reading, "The Glorious Company of the Apostles, the goodly Fellowship of the Prophets, the noble army of Martyrs praise Thee," will be installed later, carrying out the plan of the cathedral's apse to literally chant through stained glass art, sculpture and carved stone that entire great hymn of praise and thanksgiving.

12 French Radio Programs Arranged

Institut Francais Series to Begin Over WRC on Wednesday.

A series of twelve French radio programs, extending over a period of six weeks, will begin at 5:30 o'clock Wednesday afternon on Station WRC. The programs will be given every Wednesday and Thursday at this time until the series is over. They will be fifteen minutes in length.

The French programs have been arranged by the Institut Francais, of Washington, in collaboration with a group of local French professors. The series will be introduced by United States Commissioner of Education John Cooper. He will be followed by Dr. James Brown Scott, president of the Institut Francais, of Washington, who will present the first French speaker, Rene Samson, director of modern languages in the District high schools.

Mr. Samson will also speak on Thursday. The following week, Prof. Leon Dostert, of Georgetown University, will peak on Wednesday and Thursday. Others who will appear on the subsequent programs include Mlle. L. M. Limoges, of the local Alliance Francais, Dr. Andre Beneteau, of Catholic University; Mlle. Marie Delonglee, of American University, and Prof. Franc Thenaud, of George Washington University.

Russia Is Made Subject of Debate

Rev. Clinchey to Preside Over Clash Between Fries and Nearing.

The Rev. Russell J. Clinchy, pastor of Mount Pleasant Congregational Church, 1410 Columbia road northwest, will serve as chairman of the debate between Maj. Gen. Amos A. Fries and Scott Nearing on "Should the United States Recognize the Soviet Government of Russia?" to be held at the Masonic Temple, Thirteenth street and New York avenue northwest, March 18, at 8:15 o'clock.

Gen. Fries, retired, chief of the Army's chemical warfare service during the World War and nationally known foe of radicalism and pacifism, will uphold the negative side. Prof. Nearing, noted economist and lecturer, in saying the Soviet government should be recognized will be defending his position as one of America's chief spokesmen for the Russian regime and leading advocate of world communism.

The affair is being sponsored by the Victor L. Berger National Foundation, of which Clarence Darrow is president. Marx Lewis Capital lawyer and national director of the foundation, is chairman of the arrangements committee.

Copper Mine President Weds Miss Van Gordon

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Cyrena Van Gordon, mezzo-soprano of the Chicago Civic Opera Company, was married today to Howard D. Smith, president of the Consolidated Copper Mines, Inc.

A reception was held tonight in the couple's home at 1133 Fifth avenue. Among those attending the ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. Robert Searles, were Mr. and Mrs. George Logan, of Chicago, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Songen, of Hamilton, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Smith plan to remain here some weeks and then take a trip abroad.

MOVEMENT OF STEAMSHIPS

New York, Feb. 27.

SAIL MONDAY.

West Humhaw, for Loana.
Exhibitor, for Naples.

SAIL TUESDAY.

West Cawthorn, for Beira.
De Grasse, for Havre.
Emile Francqui, for Antwerp.

SAIL WEDNESDAY.

President Roosevelt, for Hamburg.
City of Baltimore, for Hamburg.
Bergensfjord, for Oslo.

SAILS THURSDAY.

Hamburg, for Hamburg.

REPORTED BY RADIO.

Stuttgart, from Bremen; due at pier 42, North River, Sunday.

American Farmer, from London; due at pier 39, North River, Monday.

Lancastria, from Liverpool; due at pier 54, North River, Monday.

Berengaria, from Southampton; due at pier 54, North River, Tuesday.

Roma, from Genoa; due at pier 97, North River, Tuesday.

President Pierce, from world cruise; due at 12th street, Jersey City, Tuesday.

Ile de France, from Havre; due at pier 57, North River, Wednesday.

Aquitania, from Mediterranean; due at pier 54, North River, Thursday.

WOODSIDE STUDENTS IN BICENTENNIAL PLAY

Post Staff Photo.

Students at the Woodside, Md., elementary school who were among the 100 who participated in the George Washington Bicentennial play at the school Friday night. Left to right, front row—Mary Louise Dozier, Ruth Good, Charles True, Betty Rodgers, Mary Ann Reynolds, Loretta Yost, Betty Miles. Back row—Thomas Stewart, John McQueen, Barbara Skuderna and Harry Elkins.

George Washington Essay Contest News

Entrants in Competition Will Be Guests at Special Show at Rialto Theater on March 19; Composition Deadline Is Nearing.

Through the courtesy of the management of the Rialto Theater a special performance will be given to the entrants in The Post George Washington Essay Contest, members of The Junior Post clubs and the Knighthood of Youth, sponsored by The Washington Post, on Saturday, March 19.

This special show, which will include a number of very interesting films, is given as a reward for the hard work of the boys and girls who entered The Post George Washington Essay Contest and is extended to members of The Junior Post clubs in recognition of the splendid contributions made to the Bicentennial number of The Junior Post on February 21.

Tickets for the performance will be mailed to all who have turned in their essays up to the present time. As fast as other essays are received for the contest tickets to entrants living in or near Washington will be mailed at once to them. This should be an inducement to boys and girls preparing essays for the big Post George Washington Essay Contest, which closes at midnight on March 14, to get them in the hands of The Post Essay Editor as soon as possible.

Members of The Junior Post clubs who wish to attend the performance are asked to send in their request for tickets to the Editor of The Junior Post, Washington Post, Washington, D. C., as soon as possible, inclosing a self-addressed stamped envelope for reply. No tickets will be sent unless such an envelope is received with the request. Children under 10 years of age may be accompanied by an adult or guardian.

Not only will the Rialto show be a splendid reward for The Post George Washington Essay entrants but there are a number of other features accompanying the performance which will be announced in The Post. Read The Post daily to follow the essay contest details and to learn more about the big Rialto show.

The films shown will be suitable for boys and girls to witness, and full of excitement and fun as well. Get ready, boys and girls, for a gala time in celebration of the Bicentennial of George Washington.

The closing of the George Washington Essay Contest is only a little more than two weeks away. Prospective contestants are asked to submit their essays as soon as possible in order to facilitate the sorting of the essays in age groups for the convenience of the judges.

Those applying for the Washington booklet yesterday were Robert C. Reisnyder, Newport, Pa.; Gwendolyn Frye, 1736 Corcoran street northwest; Arthur Newfeld, 820 Ninth street northwest; Billy Daniel, jr., Dickerson, Md., and Jennie Cimmino, Torrington, Conn.

Additional Washington Compositions Received

Essays received yesterday were From Fred Kurz, age 14, Sixth and F streets southwest; Lois Preston, age 11, 22 Williams lane, Chevy Chase, Md.; John S. Mansay, jr., 618 Ninth street northeast; Dorothy Lee Kines, age 13, Sixth and F streets southwest; Audrey Welburne, age 12, 1323 Montello avenue northeast; Ellen Schofield, age 11, 19 Michigan avenue northeast; James Dillon, age 10, 1829 B street southeast; Paul Ricker, age 13, 175 Uhland Terrace northeast; Joseph H. Giebel, age 12, 39 T street northeast; William F. Perry, age 13, 2407 North Capitol street; Jeremiah O'Leary, age 12, 1718 Newton street northeast; Albert Connors, age 12, 37 Q street northeast; John Linwood Pallas, age 14, 161 Uhland Terrace northeast; Roccoford McCann, age 12, 1939 First street northeast; Helen McCarthy, age 14, 2019 North Capitol street northeast; Mary Himmelberg, 1725 Massachusetts avenue southeast; Edward Bodnar, age 11, 503 Tennessee avenue northeast; Paul McClosky, age 11, 135 Thirteenth street northeast; Elizabeth Lennon, age 11, 204 Kentucky avenue southeast; Catherine Robson, age 10, 1424 A street southeast; June Cooksey, age 10, 2 Eighteenth street southeast, and Louis Parker, age 13, 121 Sevententh street southeast.

HOUSE PASSES ROAD BILL FOR UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF

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LaGuardia amendments were acceptable to the roads committee. Warren's amendment, sponsored by Chairman Almon of the committee, to provide that local labor be given preference, was adopted.

An amendment by Representative Thomason (Democrat), Texas, stipulating that only American citizens could be employed, and one by Representative Taylor (Republican), Tennessee, making the allotments to national parks available to the protected Smoky Mountain National Park, in North Carolina and Tennessee, were inserted.

An amendment offered by Representative Huddleston (Democrat), Alabama, to appropriate $100,000,000 for direct relief to the unemployed, was ruled out of order by Representative Blanton, of Texas, who was in the chair.

More than a score of proposed amendments were defeated.

Representative Warren led the debate with a statement that although this Congress had voted millions for easing the economic strain in the country, this was the "first bill that provides any direct relief for unemployment."

Representative Wood, of Indiana, chairman of the Republican national congressional committee, predicted the measure would meet with a presidential veto, and said:

"I hope President Hoover vetoes it five minutes after it reaches the White House."

Foe Hits Relief Claims.

Representative Chindblom (Republican), Illinois, disagreed with estimates that a million men could be put to work by the bill.

"That's perfectly ridiculous," he said. "The greatest possible number that would be given employment under this bill is 35,000. Roads are built largely by machinery."

Representative Michener (Republican), Michigan, said those sponsoring the bill "are going around saying that the Democratic leaders of the House are putting it through to stop the other relief measures, that's what they are asking you to vote for."

After the vote, Representative Davenport (Republican), New York, an opponent of the measure, said in a statement that it was necessary "for every representative in Congress to insist upon putting a check upon the mob psychology which is already started in Congress in the direction of involving the country deeper and deeper in debt, while the sources of revenue are drying up on every hand."

Division in Voting.

Those voting for were 151 Democrats, 53 Republicans and the lone Farmer-Labor member, Kvale, of Minnesota.

Twelve Democrats joined 97 Republicans in opposing the bill.

Representatives Crisp, of Georgia, and Doughton, of North Carolina (Democrats), and Hawley, of Oregon, and Finley, of Kentucky (Republicans), voted present.

Democrats who broke party lines and voted against the measure were Ayres, Beam, Boehne, Gillen, Hart, Jacobsen, Jones, Kelly, of Illinois; Larrabee, Ludlow, Pettengill, Schuetz.

Republicans voting for: Amlie, Arentz, Barbour, Bolleau, Bowman, Butler, Campbell, of Pennsylvania; Carter, of Wyoming; Cavicchia, Christgau, Colton, Coyle, Curry, Eaton, of Colorado; Englebright, Erk, Estep, Evans, of California; Fish, Goss, of Connecticut; Hall, of North Dakota; Hardy, Horr, of Washington; James, Kading, Kelly, of Pennsylvania; La Guardia, Leavitt, Loofbourow, Lovette, McFadden, Maas, Manlove, Nelson, of Wisconsin; Peavey, Pittinger, Schafer, Schneider, Selvig, Simmons, Sinclair, Smith, of Idaho; Strong, of Pennsylvania; Summers, Swing, Taylor, of Tennessee; Turpin, Welch, of California; White, Withrow, Wolcott, Woodruff, of Michigan.

Nation's Pastors Asked To Back New Dole Bill

(Associated Press.)

A statement issued last night by the joint committee on unemployment said that ministers and religious leaders over the country had been asked to organize meetings to urge enactment of a bill similar to the La Follette-Costigan relief measure recently defeated in the Senate.

Th statement said, among those writing ministers, priests and rabbis urging such action, were the Rev. Father John A. Ryan, Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, of New York; Edward L. Israel, of Baltimore; Bishop Francis J. McConnell and Dr. John Dewey.

Elimination of County Primaries Is Objective

Special to The Washington Post.

Hagerstown, Feb. 27.—Saving $12,000 by eliminating the primaries in this county, is the hope of political leaders. Both parties name delegates to the State presidential conventions and nominate candidates for the U. S. Senate and House, the terms of Representative David J. Lewis and Senator Millard E. Tydings expiring.

In addition both parties will name a candidate for delegates to the State Legislature, one seat being vacant through the death of Aaron K. McGraw. No opposition is expected to either Lewis or Tydings and an effort is being made to have the Republicans name a candidate without opposition. It is reported that Fred N. Zihlman, whom Lewis defeated, may again be a candidate, but this time on a wet ticket.

Crop Loan Useless, Senator Charges

McGill Declares That Rules Hedging $50,000,000 Hurt Farmers

(Associated Press.)

Senator McGill (Democrat), Kansas, said yesterday that rules fixed by the Secretary of Agriculture on crop loans had rendered the $50,000,000 voted for that purpose impotent as an aid to the farming industry.

In a statement issued through the Democratic national committee, he said the attitude of the administration toward agriculture was illuminated by limitations and other regulations surrounding the loans.

The $50,000,000 was made available for loans to farmers by Congress in passing the Reconstruction Finance Corporation measure. Farmers are eligible to borrow to make crops if they are unable to obtain credit elsewhere. McGill said Secretary Hyde had imposed "unwarranted limitations" in the loan rules.

MRS. NORTON RAPS HOWELL'S RAID BILL

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on consideration of a State prohibition control bill. Five new signatures brought the total number of signers to 127.

Besides Mrs. Norton, those signing yesterday were Representatives Boehne (Democrat), Indiana; Erk (Republican), Pennsylvania; Golder (Republican), Pennsylvania and Chindblom (Republican), of Illinois.

In her interview with The Post, Mrs. Norton predicted action on some form of repeal legislation by the next session of Congress. She does not believe the time is yet ripe for a favorable vote.

"There has been a striking change in sentiment in the last year or two, particularly among women," she said. "This petition is going to do a lot to crystallize that sentiment.

"To me it isn't a question merely of prohibition—it's a question of whether we shall be controlled by law-abiding citizens or bootleggers. As I see it, it is law and order versus the underworld."

The House District chairman declared prohibition makes criminals and lowers codes of morality. Youths, she said, are tempted to break this law by a thousand alluring concoctions never heard of before Prohibition.

She charged prohibition has increased taxes by increasing the prison population. Recently she made a survey of prison conditions, and found inmates have more than doubled since the Eighteenth amendment, she said.

Mrs. Norton was the third woman in Congress to sign the wet petition. Mrs. Ruth Pratt (Republican), New York, and Mrs. Florence Kahn (Republican), California, signed the first day it was circulated. That makes just half of the "feminine bloc" in Congress.

Representatve J. Charles Linthicum (Democrat), Maryland, sponsor of the movement, predicted that eventually the 145 names necessary will be obtained. Signing of 127 in three days was "remarkable" and "very unexpected to the Drys," he said.

Kidnaped Boy Is Found At Mother's Residence

Hagerstown, Md., Feb. 27.—Abducted yesterday from the Cushens School near here by two men and a woman, William Staubs, 10, today was found at the home of his mother, Mrs. Robert Longabeam, at Wileys Ford, W. Va., by Constable C. V. Barncord.

The mother said the boy's aunt, Mrs. Albert Beener, with whom he was residing, never had adopted him. The aunt reported the boy kidnaped after seeing the trio take the boy away in the car.

Bail Denied Alleged Kidnaper.

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Arraigned on a fugitive warrant as Charles (Buster) Brown, alleged leader of a Chicago kidnaping gang, a man describing himself as Edward Lane, 33, Kansas City, Mo., gasfitter, was held without bail today pending extradition proceedings.

LAMPPOSTS STUDIED FOR MEMORIAL SPAN

Commission Will Consider Models of Proposal by Col. U. S. Grant 3d.

A conference between local officials, the Commission of Fine Arts, and architects of the Arlington Memorial Bridge in regard to a suitable substitute for the two columns proposed for Columbia Island has left the question undecided, it was learned yesterday.

Possible modifications of the column plan were considered, but without any conclusion being reached. Lieut. Col. U. S. Grant 3d, executive officer of the Arlington Memorial Bridge Commission, proposed a plan for lampposts to be made of stone to harmonize with the other architectural features of the bridge. The commission asked to see models of the proposed lamp posts.

The commission inspected further studies submitted by the allied architects for the Naval Hospital development and gave particular attention to the treatment of proposed terraces sloping toward the Lincoln Memorial.

Development Plan Studied.

Special study was given a plan for developing the entire area adjacent to Constitution avenue and the Lincoln Memorial to harmonize with the Lincoln Memorial and with the Arlington Bridge development.

In this connection the commission conferred with John Russell Pope, architect of the American Pharmaceutical Association Building, which is to be erected along Constitution avenue, between Twenty-second and Twenty-thirds streets.

The commission was advised as to the winning design for the District of Columbia license plate, for which a competition was held by the Board of Trade.

Triangle Features Considered.

Consideration was given to various features in connection with plans for the triangle development south of Pennsylvania avenue.

The commission also conferred with the committee of artists that has been cooperating with the Commission of Fine Arts for the exhibition of the George Washington Bicentennial. The large mural paintings, prepared by the mural paintings society, are being installed in the National Gallery of Art space of the National Museum Building, where the Sculpture Society also will have an exhibition. The exhibition is expected to be opened to the public late in March.

Inspection was given by the commission to a study of the memorial to the pioneers of the West to be erected at Harrodsburg, Ky., by authority of Congress.

China Firm to Recall 450 Workers.

East Liverpool, Ohio, Feb. 27 (A.P.). The Homer Laughlin China Co. today announced its four plants at Newell, W. Va., across the Ohio River from here, will be returned to a full-time basis Monday. The company will call 450 workers back to their jobs. The total employment is approximately 3,000.

WASHINGTON HONOR PLANNED IN TRILOGY

Athletic Event Wednesday to Be First on Program at Jewish Center.

The Jewish Community Center will inaugurate a trilogy of events in commemorating the anniversary of the birth of George Washington.

The first event will be observed with an athletic festival, the theme of which will be "Keeping fit for Americanism." At the same time due honor will be given the victorious teams of the center in the competition. The athletic festival will be held next Wednesday at 6:30 p. m., at which guests of honor will be W. Warren Barbour, United States senator from New Jersey and former amateur heavyweight champion of the United States, and Fred A. Hartley, jr., congressional representative from New Jersey. In addition, the program will include brief speeches by the heads of the athletic departments of Georgetown, George Washington, Catholic, American and Maryland universities and also the sports editors of the various Washington newspapers.

The second event of the trilogy will be in the form of a dramatic festival to be held on Sunday, April 17. A special patriotic program has been arranged depicting the relation of Haym Solomon with George Washington as commander of the United States Armies and later as President. This will be in the form of an original play written by Mrs. Dorothy C. Fox, of the center staff. In addition, two prize one-act plays will be presented by the Dramatic Society of the center.

On Sunday, April 24, a music festival, the theme of which will be expressed in the quotation, "Good music expresses the soul of a people," will be held at 8:15 p. m., with a program of patriotic music to be presented jointly by the Choral Society and Jewish Community Center Symphony Orchestra. The entire program will be under direction of George Sklar and will include a number of compositions which will be performed in Washington for the first time.

The entire trilogy is being compiled under direction of Maurice Bisgyer, the executive director of the Jewish Community Center. All events will be held in the Cafritz Auditorium of the institution.

Illinois Labor Votes Against Lewis Again

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Opposition to International President J. L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers of America was reaffirmed today by the Illinois district of the organization in voting to continue enforcement of an injunction restraining him from interfering in Illinois union activities.

Delegates to the International Union convention in Indianapolis a month ago had asked the injunction be lifted but the district scale convention today defeated the proposition without a roll call.

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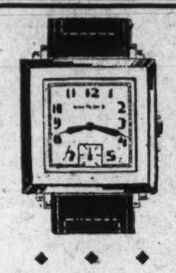

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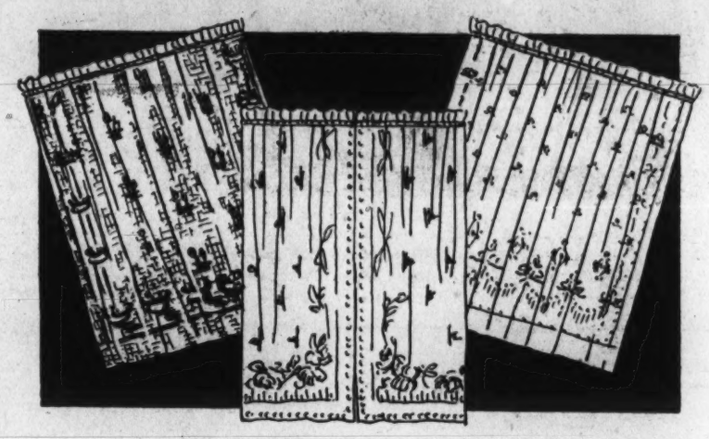

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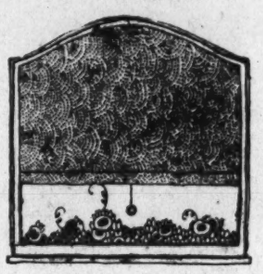

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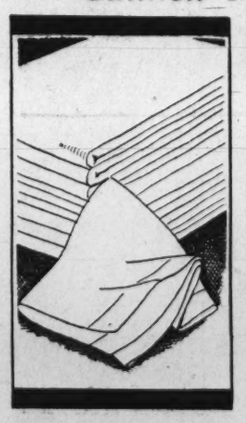

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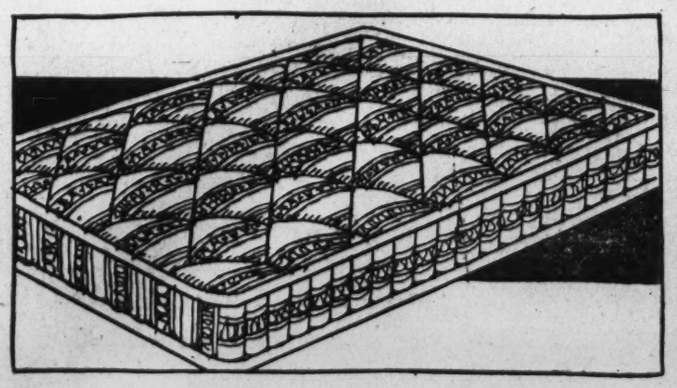

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COMMISSION CLOSES STUDY OF METHODS TO BAR WAR PROFITS

To Tell Congress Soon How Burdens Can Be Distributed Equally.

10 YEARS OF AGITATION CAUSED GROUP NAMING

Testimony of Baruch, Baker, Coffin and MacArthur Is Basis for Proposals.

(Associated Press.)

An answer to how war burdens can be distributed equally among the whole American people will be handed to Congress within a few days by the war policies commission.

The commission, which includes six members of the Cabinet, four senators and four representatives, has just concluded a study which also embraced methods to remove the profits of war. It was created by Congress after ten years of agitation by veterans' organizations.

In general, the recommendations will follow the lines of a common doctrine on war responsibilities laid down by prominent witnesses during the many months of testimony-taking. The more prominent witnesses included Bernard M. Baruch, chairman of the war industries board in 1918; Eugene Meyer, governor of the Federal Reserve Board; Howard Coffin, head of the aircraft production board during the World War; Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad; Newton D. Baker, war-time Secretary of War, and Gen. Douglas MacArthur, chief of staff of the Army.

Adherence to League.

In addition, a number of representatives of pacifist organizations appeared, and claimed the only solution to the problem assigned it was through prevention of war. Their recommendations included adherence by the United States to the League of Nations, recognition of Russia and cancellation of war debts.

The four men whose testimony was taken by the commission as offering the best basis for recommendations to Congress with a view to legislation in the event of an outbreak of war were MacArthur, Baruch, Baker and Coffin. All rejected the idea of conscripting in war time every man and every dollar in any gigantic effort to gain victory as quickly as possible.

They claimed such a plan would be nothing short of confiscation and socialistic, and that such a sweeping method of equalizing war burdens would be unwieldy and unnecessary. They agreed that the Government should be given powers of control to avoid profiteering by some in war time on the one hand, and unjust sacrifice by others on the other hand.

Agreed on Need of Study.

They agreed there should be an intensive study and analysis in peace time for the devising and organization of a method and system of operation ready to function under the President the moment that a major emergency was upon the Nation.

They also agreed that provisions should be made for control by the Government of price fixing in war time, and the assignment of priorities in the order of the needs for different commodities. The example used in the question of priorities assignments was that of rubber, for which the United States is almost wholly dependent on foreign sources.

Under the priorities fixation plan, the Government would be enabled to assign a figure, such as 30 per cent, to the Army, 35 per cent to the Navy, and 35 per cent to public consumption, to utilize the 1,000,000,000 pounds of rubber normally used annually in the United States.

The commission's reports include exhaustive testimony on the principal commodities necessary in war time, and conservation, substitutions and methods of reducing their general use to conserve them for the Army.

Would Face Shortage.

It is found that in the event of war the United States would be immediately faced with a shortage in three principal commodities. These were rubber, tin and manganese.

In the case of rubber, conservation and substitution would be resorted to principally, with the small rubber growing interests within the United States encouraged as rapidly as possible. In the case of tin, substitutes would be employed for all of its uses, while in the case of manganese America's own unexploited low-grade manganese would be developed to replace imports of foreign high-grade manganese. Virtually all members of the commission opposed immediate passage by Congress of legislation to carry out the commission's recommendations, but there is a general agreement that such legislation should be in readiness to be passed the moment a great emergency loomed or simultaneously with a war declaration.

Mitchell Is Member.

Attorney General Mitchell, who is a member of the commission, was brought into its work in his capacity as Attorney General when he was asked for an opinion whether the Constitution must be amended to allow legislation necessary for the Government to fix prices in war time. Legal experts in both the administration and Congress were divided sharply on whether such an amendment was necessary.

Secretary Hurley, of the War Department, served as chairman of the commission. Its other members included Secretary Adams, of the Navy Department; Secretary Hyde, of the Department of Agriculture; Secretary Doak, of the Department of Labor; Mr. Mitchell; Senators Reed (Republican), Pennsylvania; Vandenberg (Republican), Michigan; Robinson (Democrat), Arkansas; Swanson (Democrat), Virginia, and Representatives Hadley (Republican), Washington; Holaday (Republican), Illinois; Collins (Democrat), Mississippi, and McSwain (Democrat), South Carolina.

De Valera to Repeal Allegiance to Crown

Plans Also to Retain for Next Free State Land Annuity Payment.

Dublin, Irish Free State, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—When Eamon de Valera, Irish Republican leader, comes into control of the Irish Free State government, as he expects soon to do, he intends to repeal the public safety act, to abolish the oath to the British crown, and to retain the next land annuity payment due in June, he told the Associated Press today.

Outlining his policies in the answers to a series of questions, Mr. De Valera said:

"The policy of the government will be to work steadily toward reestablishing unity and political independence in Ireland and to build up industries to supply home needs. For that purpose the home market will be reserved for the home producer."

As for the Anglo-Irish Treaty, said he, "we will execute the limited mandate asked for at the election, but we will avail ourselves of any opportunity for revision of the treaty to bring it into accord with Irish aspirations.

"Removal of the article of the constitution which makes the oath (of allegiance to the crown) obligatory will be one of our first governmental acts. The public safety act will be repealed at once. With the abolition of the oath we hope to secure willing obedience to the law and to dispense with coercive measures which have never brought anything but confusion and turmoil."

Mr. De Valera contends, he said, that the land annuities legally and justly belong to the Free State, that the Cosgrave government had no right to transmit them to Great Britain, and that he proposes to retain the next payment of about £3,000,000.

"We are prepared to cooperate with England in all matters of agreed common concern," he said. "Last year we purchased £35,750,000 in goods from England and they purchased from us £31,250,000. We are each other's best customers, but the balance is considerably in England's favor.

"We are prepared to give preferential treatment to her manufactures if she gives corresponding preference to our produce, but on no account will we barter the right adequately to protect the industries which we must establish in order to solve our unemployment problem."

It will be strictly a Fianna Fail government if Mr. De Valera heads it, he said, adding that he understood the Labor party wanted to keep its independence in the Dail.

Associated Press Photo.
EAMON DE VALERA.

SAVANTS HOLD NEXT WAR WOULD CAUSE END OF CIVILIZATION

Einstein, Millikan and Beard Join in Warning to Mankind.

ENFORCING POWER HELD NEED OF WORLD COURT

Four-Nation Boycott Would Have Checked Japan, Radio Audience Told.

Pasadena, Calif., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Three authorities of science and history, peering into the future with the past as a guide, warned tonight that civilization will destroy itself by its own progress if the nations fail to kill forever the danger of war.

The men, Albert Einstein, Robert A. Millikan and Charles A. Beard, speaking over a National Radio System at a program "in the interest of public opinion," sought to point out the ways to peace through the ordered functions of sober governments.

Three interlocking ideas were expressed. Said Einstein:

"The creation of an international court of arbitration is not sufficient. Through agreement, the assurance must also be present that the decisions of this court will be enforced by all the nations acting in common.

Boycott Held Effective.

"Without such assurance the nations will never have the courage to disarm in earnest.

"Suppose, for example, that the American, English, German and French governments had demanded from the Japanese government the immediate cessation of warlike acts in China on pain of a complete economic boycott. Do you believe that the Japanese would find a government that would wish to take the responsibility of plunging their country into so dangerous an adventure?"

Millikan held for "participation of the United States in the World Court as the next rational step toward world peace as recommended by every President since the war and by 94 per cent of a most intelligent and informed group of American citizens, irrespective of party * * *."

Horror of Next War Portrayed.

Citing the position of the United States in a military sense, Beard said:

"The United States is committed to a policy of limited defense and to the principle of consultation with respect to the Pacific region. It is cooperating with other countries and with the League of Nations for specific purposes. Such cooperation is made imperative by the circumstances in which we find ourselves.

"Herein, it seems to me, lies the only hope for the future—the steady and unremitting insistence upon a domestic policy which reduces all the chances of war and a cooperative policy with respect to all foreign relations. If this line of action is pursued, the arms of the world can be reduced to a police basis and the hazards of ruinous wars minimized, if not entirely eliminated.

"And time is the essence of things. One more world war fought with the latest instruments of technology will blast western civilization from center to circumference."

BRITISH DUKE SELLS CORONET FOR ADDING TO COUNTRY'S GOLD

People Stand in Line to Dispose of Jewelry at Advanced Prices.

STERLING PATRIOTS AID GOVERNMENT'S MONEY

Sovereign Coins, Now Worth 28 Shillings, Turned in Without Profit.

London, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Carrying his coronet under his arm like a derby hat, an English duke walked into a Bond street jewelry shop today and sold the ancestral headpiece for £15,000, so that it could be stripped of its jewels and melted to increase the nation's gold supply.

The identity of the duke was not disclosed, but it was said that his family has held baronal rank for nearly five centuries. His action was cited as an example to other Britons to disgorge their gold.

This transaction was the latest development in England's "gold rush," in which thousands of golden trinkets, ornaments and coins have been sold so that their owners can benefit from the present high price of gold and England benefit by its export.

Gold Shipments Aid.

Now that England is off the gold standard, bullion shipped to gold standard countries helps to support the pound sterling in the foreign exchange market.

With bullion quoted at 118 shillings, 10 pence an ounce, long lines have formed at jewelry stores and the offices of dealers in foreign exchange for days. One firm bought 80,000 sovereigns at about 28 shillings each this week.

England is digging out the heirlooms and the family plate, searching for gold to sell. The merchants have taken advantage of the situation to increase their business, some advertising 32 shillings worth of goods for one sovereign. Sandwich men tramp the streets with the latest quotations on gold coins, and exchange dealers offer to buy one pound, or one million at the current high prices.

Sterling Patriots Developed.

The situation has developed "sterling patriots," persons who refuse to make a profit on their coins, taking them to their banks and exchanging them for pound sterling notes, thus sacrificing eight shillings on each coin. The banks have to send the coins to the Bank of England and thus the government nets an 8-shilling profit besides increasing the gold reserve.

Coin of the realm may not be melted, but the coronet sold by the unidentified duke has been sent to Amsterdam. After the diamonds are picked out, its 8 golden strawberry leaves will be melted down with thousands of humbler offerings, such as lockets, wedding rings and old gold teeth.

Rocket Trip to Moon Scouted by Scientist

Dr. Schuster, of Arlington, Cites Impracticalities in Proposal.

By DAVID RANKIN BARBEE.

Arlington County, Virginia, has other things to brag about besides the Mary Baker murder case. On occasion it can boast of its fine school, known as Arlington Hall, where the noblest traditions of the Old South are taught along with the three R's and how to sew buttons on baby's underwear.

When in the mood for it, and feeling the soft breath of these first vernal days, old Arlington can and does boast of its garden clubs and of the part they are playing in the beautification of their community.

These clubs owe their existence to an astronomer and philosopher, Dr. O. J. Schuster, who came to Virginia in 1910 to found an agricultural colony in Surrey County, through the influence of Dr. A. J. Oschsner, of Chicago. Who Dr. Oschsner was and what he was is beyond the limit of this inquiry; it is enough for us to know that he induced our astronomer and philosopher to come to Virginia a generation ago.

It is probable that the World War upset the agricultural colony, as it did so many other juvenile institutions and ancient foundations in the country. If so, it was a great loss to agriculture, for what Virginia and the South needs more than anything else is an infiltration of new ideas on agriculture to stir up the old mass-like yeast in a chunk of dough and set it to fermenting.

There have been numerous of these agricultural colonies founded in the South, and most of them came to grief. The Mississippi, Alabama and Florida gulf coast region is strewn with their wrecks. They were not properly and adequately financed. Nor were they settled with their right kind of labor. It takes farmers to make farms pay; clerks and invalids can not turn the trick.

So far as I can recall, the only successful agricultural colonies in the South were founded and settled by the stock from which Dr. Schuster sprang; Nordics all, with a great agricultural tradition back of them, men and women who love the soil because it is the soil, and because it produces beautiful and wonderful things.

Dr. Oschaner's tragedy was not a total loss to Virginia or to humanity, for out of it came its first man, who settled in Arlington County in 1925, and at once began to change his environment into a beautiful garden. From his example and inspiration and kindly help the garden club movement has sprung up and is spreading. Although he is now 70 years of age, Dr. Schuster may yet live to see his idea envelope the thinking of a whole

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DR. O. J. SCHUSTER.

EXTRA SESSION SEEN AFTER CONVENTIONS AS BILLS STACK UP

Emergency Legislation Has Occupied Practically All Senate's Calendar.

LAST-MINUTE JAM HELD INEVITABLE BY LEADERS

Philippines, Idle Relief, Navy and Other Difficult Items Yet to Be Settled.

(Associated Press.)

Facing a last-minute legislative jam, congressional leaders are seriously debating whether it will be possible to conclude the session before the June conventions, or if a session will be required after the conventions.

With controversial legislation piling high before the Senate, some leaders believed another session after the party conventions will be necessary.

The Senate has spent virtually all of its time so far on emergency legislation and has not yet taken up a single one of the annual supply bills.

G. O. P. Meets in June.

The Republican convention meets June 14, leaving little more than three months leeway.

First signs of the impending legislative jam confronted the Senate yesterday as rival groups sought priority for the naval construction bill and the Democratic tariff plan.

A vote is expected on the Norris anti-injunction bill now being debated early this week so a meeting of the Republican steering committee has been called for tomorrow by Chairman Vandenberg to determine what the Senate should take up next.

Leaders had planned to call up next the House proposal for revising the administrative provisions of the tariff law, but a strong demand has arisen for the Hale bill to bring the fleet up to full treaty strength. Despite assurances that there was ample time for consideration of both, sponsors of each measure look with misgivings at the growing pile of controversial legislation awaiting Senate action.

Demands for Economy.

With about three months remaining before adjournment, the Senate has only this week turned to the normal run of legislation.

None of the regular annual appropriations has been taken up, and they are more controversial than usual because of the demands for economy. A troublesome Philippine independence bill and a new unemployment relief measure are pending, with much other important legislation brewing in committees, including the Glass bill to revise permanently the banking systems.

Time must be found for the new revenue measure when it comes over from the House. The Senate will set on it before adjourning for the party conventions, no matter what else is left unpassed.

'ARMY DAY' INCLUDES WASHINGTON THEME

President Indorses Event on April 6, When Military Corps Will March.

President Hoover has indorsed the movement for the celebration of Army day in connection with the Bicentennial celebration on April 6. The President feels that this day, commemorating the entrance of the United States into the World War is a fitting time to pay tribute to those who exposed their lives to the dangers of the battlefield in defense of our national ideals.

The President's letter to Brig. Gen. John Ross Delafield, the commander in chief of the Military Order of the World War, reads as follows:

Brig. Gen. John R. Delafield,
Commander in Chief,
Military Order of the World War,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Gen. Delafield: Army Day gives the Nation an opportunity to express grateful appreciation to those who exposed their lives to the dangers of the battlefield and those who fell in defense of our national ideals. I wish to join in this expression and to commend the great citizen components of our military forces for their patriotic services. Yours faithfully,

(Signed) HERBERT HOOVER.

Plans have been completed for the ceremonies to be held here under the auspices of the local chapter of the Military Order of the World War in close cooperation with both the United States Commission and the District of Columbia Commission of the Bicentennial.

A spectacular parade will be held in the early afternoon with Gen. Douglas MacArthur, the chief of staff of the Army, as grand marshal, and Maj. Paul B. Malone, the commanding general of the Third Corps Area, as assistant marshal. The units already designated to participate include the U. S. Army Band, Batteries A to F inclusive of the Sixteenth Field Artillery, the Third Cavalry, minus one battalion; the Twelfth Infantry from Fort Washington, the Thirteenth Engineers from Fort Humphrey, the U. S. Marine Band, a detachment of Marines, the Twenty-ninth Division of the National Guard, units from Maryland, District of Columbia, Virginia and West Virginia; Reserve Corps Units, C. M. T. C. Units, the R. O. T. C. Units from the Universities of Maryland and Georgetown, and all divisions of the high school cadets.

The parade will also include the various posts of the veteran and patriotic organizations. Word has been received from the American Legion that they will have a number of bands and drum corps in the parade.

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Bar Association To Honor Holmes

Federal Group Will Hear Address by Judge Hand Tuesday.

The ninety-first birthday of Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes will be the occasion for the annual reception and dinner of the Federal Bar Association at the Shoreham Hotel, on March 8.

The program will include addresses by the Hon. Learned Hand, United States Circuit Judge, New York, N. Y., and other speakers of note to be later announced. Music will be furnished by the Marine Band Orchestra. A reception for distinguished guests will be held at 7 o'clock preceding the dinner, which will begin at exactly 8 p. m.

The District Bar Association Women's Bar Association and local representatives of the American Bar Association and the American Law Institute are invited to cooperate. The committee on arrangements promises that this occasion will be an interesting and enjoyable event.

NEUTRON DISCOVERY HAILED BY SCIENCE

Minute Particle Announced by British Savant at Cambridge.

Baltimore, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The discovery in Cavendish Laboratory, Cambridge University, London, by James Chadwick of the "neutron," a particle so minute it carries no electrical charge, and hailed as the greatest find in the scientific world since the electron, the proton and the x-ray, was announced today by the Baltimore Sun in a dispatch from the Manchester Guardian.

The "neutron" was described as one of the ultimate particles in nature, so tiny it would take 200,000,000,000,000,000,000,000,000 to make a mass weighing an ounce. Neutrons are not waves, the dispatch said, but particles, but they have as particles, hitherto unknown powers of penetration.

In the realm of astronomy and the evolution of the universe, neutrons are of fundamental importance, representing the first step in the evolution of matter out of primeval electrons and protons, the paper said.

Matter In Embryonic Form.

The ultimate substance of the world is electricity and the simplest element built of electricity is helium. The neutron is halfway between electricity and helium; it is the embryonic form of ordinary matter growing but not born.

Neutrons are so penetrative and elusive because they have no electric charge. The neutron consists of a proton and an electron bound closely together. It is speculated the neutron may be the unit of magnetism, for it presumably is a doublet, as magnets are, with both a north and south pole, the dispatch continued.

The discovery of Chadwick, assistant director of radio activity at the laboratory, arose out of investigations by Bothe, of Giessen; Millikan, Irene Curie (daughter of Mme. Curie) and her husband, M. Joliot, and Webster, who had experimented with the properties emitted by beryllium when bombarded by radiations from the radioactive substance known as polonium.

Achievement Hailed.

Physicists at the Johns Hopkins University, when told of the discovery, hailed the achievement as one of the first importance.

Dr. Joseph S. Ames, president of the university said:

"The discovery, if substantiated, is worth all the importance attributed to it. Chadwick is a physicist of high repute, and Rutherford (Chadwick's superior) would let nothing go out of his laboratory without its having been carefully checked and tested."

Dr. Ames was a physicist before assuming the presidency of Johns Hopkins.

Baltimore Historian Hits Muzzey's Book

Richmond, Va., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Dr. Matthew Page Andrews, of Baltimore, historian of the Sons of Confederate Veterans, in a statement today charged that the much-discussed textbook, Muzzey's "The History of the American People," is "most unsatisfactory."

Dr. Andrews, who is chairman of the textbook committee of the Sons of Confederate Veterans, issued his statement here through the Virginia Society of that organization. The book has been attacked by the Daughters of the Confederacy and Dr. Lyon G. Tyler, former president of the College of William and Mary, as being unfair to the South.

Soviet to Issue New Nickel Coins.

Moscow, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The Soviet government has decided to issue new nickel coins in values of 10, 15 and 20 kopecks (about 5, 7½ and 10 cents) to circulate with the silver coins already in use.

Rabbi and Priest Divided on Defense

Stephen Wise Is Negative Speaker in Radio Debate With Father Lonergan.

(Associated Press.)

Opposing views of preparedness were presented last night by Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, of New York, and Father Joseph Lonergan, former national chaplain of the American Legion, in a debate broadcast by the Columbia system.

Rabbi Wise said that "war preparedness kills peace preparedness," asserting a better purpose would be served if the millions of dollars necessary to build a battleship were used for the relief of the unemployed.

Father Lonergan said Congress should enact the legion's national defense program and urged that voters defeat members of Congress who failed to support legislation for an adequate Army and Navy. He said China with her manpower, beset by Japan with a vastly inferior population, was an example of what happened to unprepared nations.

Mussolini Again May Act To Cut Rents for Homes

Rome Has More Than 5,000 Vacant Apartments, Yet Prices Are Rated Highest in Italy; Newspapers Suggest Some Relief.

Rome, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—A stroke of Mussolini's pen may again reduce rents in Italy, or at least in Rome.

The duce knocked 10 per cent off the landlords' bills in October, 1930, by his famous decree lowering wages about 12 per cent and ordering a general reduction of prices wherever the law could operate.

There are more than 5,000 vacant apartments in Rome, according to statistics published by Il Popolo di Roma, yet the prices are rated by official statistics as the highest in Italy.

Rome rents, figures show, are more than half as dear again as in Turin, the next highest city, and 2½ times the average rent in 45 cities.

Many Romans have moved to suburbs, and even wealthy people or the "new poor" with country homes, have abandoned their Rome homes and are waiting for landlords to reduce rents in their search for tenants or for the all-powerful duce to take a hand in the controversy.

The average rent of the average worker in Italy is given as $10 a month, while in Rome it is $25. To this must be added a tax of about 5 per cent and a multitude of small expenses, such as payments to the house porter, a long list of tips three times a year and the upkeep of the apartment. Poorer families spend little on upkeep, but good apartments often require an investment for plumbing, bathroom fixtures, electric wiring and lights, that increase the rent materially.

Mussolini three years ago accepted the landlords' proposal that the law of supply and demand would be better than government fixed rents. Newspapers have commented that the economic law hasn't been effective in Rome and they have suggested something ought to be done, which usually means, "Let Mussolini do it."

Cuba Lifts Her Ban On Foreign Cigarettes

Havana, Feb. 27 (U.P.).—"Hip-patting" may continue merrily on the American side, where vigilant customs officers seek to bar the entry of contraband liquids, but the days of "frisking" on the Cuban front have ended.

President Machado has signed a law which permits each tourist to enter the country with 400 of his favorite cigarettes duty free.

The Hon. Tirso Hesa, Mayor of Havana and president of the National Tourist Commission, obtained the new ruling from Congress after visitors complained that they had been searched for contraband cigarettes by customs officials.

'LAME DUCK' ENDING ACCORD IS REACHED

House and Senate Conferees Agree on New Congress Plan After 9 Years.

(Associated Press.)

After nine years of frustration, the Norris constitutional amendment abolishing the "lame duck" session of Congress yesterday received the unanimous approval of conferees of the House and Senate.

Only formal acceptance of their report in both branches remained to complete congressional action and submit to the States for ratification this far-reaching measure designed to modernize methods of procedure inherited from stage coach days.

Smiling happily at the near attainment of his goal, the veteran Senator George W. Norris, Republican Independent, from Nebraska, said he expected the report would be approved at both ends of the Capitol early this week.

Complete Accord Reached.

Complete accord on differences in the measure as it passed the two houses was reached when the Senate representatives agreed that the amendment should fail to take effect unless ratified within seven years by the required 36 States.

At the same time the House conferees withdrew from their contention that before any State Legislature could ratify it, at least one of its branches must have been elected after the submission of the amendment.

Foremost among the provisions of the measure is elimination of the "short session" of Congress at which "lame duck" members, defeated at the polls the previous November continue to legislate from the first Monday in December until March 4.

New Congress Plan.

Instead Congress would assemble each year on January 3, its new members taking office two months after their election instead of waiting 13 months as is now the case. It would continue in session as long as necessary to finish its work.

The long wait between the election and the convening of Congress which was necessary in the days of horse transportation is seen by proponents of the amendment as no longer required in an era of telegraph, radio, railroad and airplane.

Ever since 1923 Senator Norris has been urging this contention in support of the measure and six times previously he has gotten it through the Senate only to have it fail in the House. Last session the House passed a substitute but it differed so greatly that conferees could reach no agreement.

Norris Is Pleased.

The Nebraskan pronounced himself well satisfied with the measure as whipped into final shape and signed by representatives of both houses yesterday, after several days of conferring around a long table in a smoke-filled room.

In addition to setting January 3 for the assembling of Congress and the beginning of the terms of its members, the amendment would have the terms of the President and Vice President begin on January 20 instead of March 4. The conferees compromised to agree upon the dates.

A section designed to provide a constitutional method for filling the place of the President-elect and Vice President-elect in case of their death before taking office was rewritten to embrace ideas contained in both the House and Senate versions. As agreed upon, the Vice President-elect would serve as President should the latter die before his inauguration.

Text of Amendment.

The text of the "lame duck" proposed amendment as finally agreed upon follows:

That the following amendment to the Constitution be, and hereby is, proposed to the States, to become valid as part of said Constitution

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SPANISH OVERTHROW URGED BY ALFONSO

Joins With Uncle in Calling on People to Revolt Against Regime.

Paris, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Former King Alfonso XIII and his uncle, Alfonso Carlos, traditionalist pretender to the Spanish throne, have issued a call to the Spanish people to overthrow the new republic in Spain, a member of Prince Alfonso Carlos' entourage said tonight.

In the manifestos the former king accepted his uncle as head of the family and proposed restoration of the monarchy as a form of provisional government, which would collaborate with legislative chambers representative of the people, "in giving Spain a truly Christian constitution."

The two monarchist heads had an affectionate conversation during a recent visit to Vienna, the spokesman said, when the outlines of the manifestos were drawn up. These were issued through followers of the two members of the House of Bourbon before the nephew left recently for Greece.

Both held to the principle that everyone must unite "to save Spanish society from the wave of anarchy and Communism which has invaded it."

It was not expected at the foreign office that the French government would take any action regarding the part of Alfonso XIII in the manifesto, unless the Spanish government raised the issue. Alfonso has established a home in exile in France.

U. S. Funds Will Aid Closed Bank to Pay

Merger of Two Institutions in Kentucky Follows Federal Help.

Ashland, Ky., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Terms of a merger of the Second National Bank of Ashland and the Ashland National Bank, whereby depositors of the latter, which closed September 27, will be paid in full, were announced today.

The new bank will be known as the Second National Bank. Its fourteen directors elected today include former directors of both institutions. Its capital stock will be $400,000 and surplus $50,000. Officers are to be elected later.

The merger, saving the checking and time deposits of customers of the Ashland National Bank, was made possible by aid from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. The new directors announced that interest at 3 per cent will be paid on savings accounts of the Ashland National Bank as though it had not closed.

Pope Speaks Today In Radio Broadcast

Eventual Beatification of Franciscan Nun to Be Marked by Rites.

Vatican City, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The voice of Pope Pius XI will be broadcast by radio again at about noon, Eastern Standard Time tomorrow, when he responds to the reading of a decree proclaiming the virtues of venerable Maria Assunta Pallotta, a missionary nun of the Franciscan Order, whose name is in the process of eventual beatification.

The ceremony will be broadcast from the Consistory Hall, where it will take place, by the Vatican City radio station over a wave length of 50.26 meters.

The last time the pontiff spoke by radio was at the ceremony in St. Peter's on February 12, commemorating the tenth anniversary of his coronation.

Brittany to Celebrate Annexation to France

Paris, Feb. 27 (U.P.).—Four centuries ago Brittany was definitely annexed to France during the reign of Francois I and this anniversary will be celebrated next May with picturesque fetes in all Breton cities and fishing ports.

Today it seems impossible that Brittany was once a separate, independent duchy owing no allegiance to Paris, but that is a historical fact and one Breton war, between the houses of Blois and Montfort, lasted 23 years.

The marriage of Anne de Bretagne to Charles VIII paved the way for the political union and the 400th anniversary is to be celebrated.

It is probable that the American Naval Memorial in Brest will be dedicated at the same time.

Plane Ambulance Saves Man's Life

Flies Accident Victim Over Colorado Mountains to Hospital.

Denver, Colo., Feb. 27 (U.P.).—The bullet-like flight of an airplane over the ice-sheathed peaks of the Continental Divide tonight was credited with saving the life of Homer Hosford, 32, suffering from nine skull fractures.

His head puffed and swollen, Hosford was flown over the towering mountains against strong head winds today by Maj. Carlos Reavis, of the Colorado National Guard.

Tonight the man rested in a hospital here. At his disposal were all the resources of modern science, without which, physicians feared, Hosford would have perished in the little town of Rifle, where he was injured in a truck accident Tuesday. A train ride from Rifle, which would have entailed winding around the mountains, might have killed him. Reavis' cabin plane was equipped like an ambulance.

Chinese Reaching U. S. From Mexico Arrested

Bisbee, Ariz., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Chinese seeking refuge in the United States continued to arrive at the border points of Naco and Douglas from Mexico today, 45 having been placed under arrest by Government immigration officials. This brought the total of Orientals leaving the Southern republic because of a nationalistic campaign to 172 in three days.

Several hundred Chinese accused of entering this country illegally have been deported to China by Federal court orders in the last few weeks.

TESTIMONY IN TRIAL OF JUDGE IS CLOSED

Arguments of Attorneys in Robertson Case Will Be Made Tomororw.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Testimony in the case of Judge Thomas B. Robertson, of the Hopewell Corporation Court, charged with malfeasance in office, neglect of official duty, and incompetency, was completed before a joint committee of the General Assembly today, and final arguments by counsel were set for Monday night.

Judge Robertson did not take the stand, and M. J. Fulton, his counsel, asked that the investigation be closed with the completion of the testimony. George C. Allen, counsel for the prosecution, objected to ending the case today, asserting that he felt his duty to clients required him to arguue the case.

Only one defense witness was put on the stand today.

Jurist's Competency Attacked.

In the remainder of the two-hour session that brought to a close the testimony that was started more than a week ago rebuttal witnesses occupied the stand, giving testimony designed to contradict the defense witnesses regarding the competency of the jurist.

Channing M. Hall, of Williamsburg, asserted that the Williamsburg Bar Association was unanimously of the opinion that Judge Robertson was not competent and had requested the governor not to send him to the James City County Court again.

Archer L. Jones, frequently referred to as a "favorite" of the judge, was the defense witness of the day. It was through his testimony that the defense got into the record the testimony that Judge Robertson had been forced to pay $4,000 as an indorser on a $50,000 note signed by directors of a defunct Hopewell bank, and that his efforts to collect on the Berglass notes was for the purpose of reimbursing himself for this loss.

Denies Being Favored.

Mr. Jones vigorously denied that Judge Robertson had favored him, and asserted that he had been more successful in other courts.

A dozen or more rebuttal witnesses were put on to refute statements made last night by A. S. J. Wheeler, Hopewell city sergeant, and others who testified in Judge Robertson's defense last night.

The charges were brought against Judge Robertson by 14 of the 24 members of the Hopewell Bar Association, who demanded that the General Assembly remove him from the bench.

Scores of witnesses have been heard and the record has become voluminous. Members of the committee said they did not expect to reach a decision before the closing days of the 1932 session of the Assembly.

Purcellville to Be Given New Telephone Office

Special to The Washington Post.

Purcellville, Va., Feb. 27.—Establishment of a new telephone central office at Purcellville and the construction of additional telephone facilities, including pole lines, wire and aerial cable in this area and at Hamilton and Round Hill, involving expenditure of $60,000, has just been announced by the Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co. The installation of this new telephone office and the construction of a new telephone plant in this area will bring about improved service.

The new telephone office will be dial operated. The equipment will have a capacity of 250 lines. It will serve telephones in Purcellville and Hamilton, but each of these communities will be operated as separate exchange areas.

Hearing on White Pine Blister Scheduled Here

Richmond, Va., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The plant quarantine and control administration of the United States Department of Agriculture has called a public hearing for March 26, in Washington, to consider the advisability of revoking the domestic white pine blister rust quarantine or of revising the regulations to designate the State of Delaware, Iowa, Maryland, Ohio, Virginia and West Virginia and the District of Columbia, as infected.

In announcing the hearing, the administration said that the rust was only recently discovered in these States, although it was known to exist previously in Connecticut, Idaho, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Montana, New Hampshire, Washington and Wisconsin.

Clubs Are Formed By Herndon Pupils

Mathematics, Science and Book Groups Elect Their Officers.

Pupils of Herndon High School have organized several clubs during the past month along vocational guidance lines. The Science Club, which will make field trips and other experiments and visits to industrial plants, has elected the following officers: Clark Blevins, president; Jean Bready, vice president; Virginia Thompson, secretary-treasurer, and Miss Mary Jane Cline, teacher. The club has 38 charter members.

The Book Club, sponsored by Mrs. Granville White and Mrs. Harry Middleton, has elected Mabel McLearen, president; Henter Blevins, vice president; Nellie Kidwell, secretary, and Mary McCarty, treasurer. A Mathematics Club has been formed under leadership of Prof. J. H. Rice, with prizes awarded each week for special proficiency in mathematical work.

Miss Hazel Kirk, president of the Herndon School 4-H Club, has appointed the following committees: Plan of work, Sara Ellen Dawson, Ollie Duke, Ruth McGuire and Betty Lucas; program, Alice Bready, Betty Bradshaw, June Seamons and Betty Brown.

Election Officials to Be Picked.

The Montgomery County Board, of Election Supervisors will meet March 15 at the Rockville Courthouse to consider appointment of officials for the recently created addition voting precincts in the county. John Jones, clerk, is preparing a list of eligibles and applicants for consideration by the board.

Arlington G. O. P. to Meet.

The Arlington County Republican Club will meet in Odd Fellows Hall, Clarendon, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Renwick Dunlap, Assistant Secretary of the Department of Agriculture, will be principal speaker.

Rejected Delegate Candidates to Run

State Democratic Group Reverses Decision by Richmond Body.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The 70 applicants for candidacy as delegates in the Richmond representation at the State Democratic convention here, whose applications were rejected by the city Democratic committee, will be placed on the ballot at the April primary, the appeals committee of the State Democratic committee announced today.

Both factions in the controversy agreed to accept the decision as final. The appeals committee in a formal statement took the position that the party law does not require the filing of notice of candidacy in person "but that it is complied with wherever such filing is done by an agent of the applicant who has been duly authorized for that purpose."

Previously the applications had been denied by Chairman Barney Bowman, of the Richmond committee, because they had not been presented by the candidate in person. Under the committee's ruling the ballot will carry about 180 applicants for about 125 seats in the convention.

LOUDOUN LIVE STOCK TOPS FARM VALUES

Estimated at $5,966,823; Cereals Head Products List With $1,608,874.

Special to The Washington Post.

Leesburg, Va., Feb. 27.—The value of live stock on the farms in Loudoun is greater than the combined returns from crops and live stock products, according to figures just made public by the United States Census Bureau.

The total values of all live stock in the county, including horses, mules, cattle, hogs, sheep and poultry, is placed at $5,966,823. Farm crops, including cereals, hay, vegetables, fuits, forest products and products of nurseries is $2,722,405. Live stock products, including butter, cream, whole milk, wool, poultry and eggs, are given a valuation of $2,414,564.

Cereals—Corn, wheat, oats, rye, &c., hold first place in Loudoun farm products value, with $1,608,874. Hay and forage are second, with $613,002. Fruits and nuts are third, with $207,960. Garden vegetables here have a value of $104,191.

Cattle top the list in the matter of valuation of domestic animals, with $1,804,576. Horses and colts are second, with $647,781. Sheep and lambs are third, with $224,770. Hogs here are valued at $201,252. Chickens have a valuation of $118,815.

In live stock products, while milk sent to the market has the highest valuation, the figure being $774,967, eggs produced are second, with $277,631. Chickens raised are in third place with $233,648.

Other livestock products and their value are: Butter, sold, $47,733; cream sold as butterfat, $133,040; cream sold, not as butterfat, $172,250; butter churned, $101,440; eggs sold, $194,331; chickens, $122,896.

In so far as debt is concerned, Loudoun farmers apparently are in good shape. There are 1,196 farms operated by owners, of which 762 are mortgage free, with 249 mortgaged. The mortgaged debt of the farms is placed at $7,656,052, the ratio of debt to value being 31.29. The percentage of farms mortgaged is 30.4, with the average value per farm, including land and buildings, fixed at $19,241.

Miss Margaret E. Ropp Married to C. R. Miller

Special to The Washington Post.

Martinsburg, W. Va., Feb. 27.—Miss Margaret E. Ropp, daughter of Mrs. Sue Ropp, of Middletown, Va., and Carroll R. Miller, this city, were married last night at Falling Waters Presbyterian Church.

Miss Ropp had as her attendants Mrs. G. William Ropp, her sister-in-law, of Middletown, Va., as maid of honor, and as bridesmaids Mrs. M. P. Moler, of Hagerstown, Md., and Miss Mildred Solenberger, of this county. Mr. Miller's best man was G. C. McKown, this city, and groomsmen, his brother, Charles Miller, of Baltimore; William H. Peery and Edwin Miller, this city.

Centerville Methodists Will Dedicate Church

Special to The Washington Post.

Cumberland, Md., Feb. 27.—The new Methodist Protestant Church at Centerville, in Bedford circuit, fourteen miles north of Cumberland, attached to the Maryland annual conference, will be dedicated tomorrow afternoon by the Rev. Dr. J. C. Broomfield, of Pittsburgh, president of the general conference.

The Rev. Dr. H. L. Elderdice, president of the Westminster Theological Seminary, Westminster, Md., will speak at the morning service, and the Rev. Dr. L. B. Smith, Baltimore, president of the Maryland annual conference, will be the preacher at the night service, which will mark the opening of a two-week evangelistic meeting.

Lynchburg Girl Gets Student Group Office

Winter Park, Fla., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Judson C. Ward, a student at Emory University, Atlanta, Ga., was elected president of the southeastern conference on international relations here today.

Miss Margaret Hersch, Randolph-Macon College, Lynchburg, Va., was named first vice president; Frank Busby, North Carolina State College, Raleigh, second vice president.

Miss Mary Wine Dies In Middleburg at 92

Special to The Washington Post.

Middleburg, Va., Feb. 27.—Miss Mary Wine, aged 92, died Thursday at the home of J. H. Lawrence, where she had lived for many years. Her death was due to the infirmities of age. Two nieces survive.

Interment was in the Upperville Cemetery.

Douglas to Address Federation.

Commonwealth's Attorney Lawrence W. Douglas will be principal speaker at the monthly meeting of the Arlington County Civic Federation Tuesday evening in the Lyon Park Community House, at 8 o'clock.

RECLAMATION WORK RAPPED BY FARMERS

Convention in Sandy Spring Votes Against Further Appropriations.

Montgomery County Bureau of The Post, 9103 Conn. Ave., North Chevy Chase. Md. Telephone Wisconsin 4205.

Reclamation projects were blamed for the surplus in farm products in a resolution unanimously adopted yesterday by the sixtieth annual farmers' convention of Montgomery and Howard counties at Sherwood High School, Sandy Spring, Md. The convention voted to ask Maryland representatives in Congress to oppose any further appropriations for reclamation work until present farm lands become inadequate.

The resolution declared that since the surplus existing in most farm commodities is bringing United States farmers into competition with other producing countries and inasmuch as the present policy of reclamation of waste lands is yearly adding to existing surplus it was resolved to urge representatives to oppose any further expenditure until present farm lands become inadequate.

Farm Tax Revision.

The convention also adopted a resolution calling upon the Montgomery County commissioners to revise levying of taxes in such a manner as to relieve farmers of the intolerable burden of taxation as at present carried by them. A committee of three, George Bonifant, Calvin Bready and Howard Marlow, was appointed to draft proper resolutions for presentation to the commissioners. No specific recommendations were made as to how this was to be accomplished.

Dr. S. B. Bomberger, assistant chief of the cooperative marketing division of the Federal Farm Board, told the farmers that the farm board merely is endeavoring to give the farmers the protection already being given industry. He defended the policies of the board. Maurice J. Stabler spoke on improvement of the farmer's economic condition and Josiah W. Jones, president of the Montgomery County Farm Bureau, told of the work of the Eastern Live Stock Cooperative Marketing Association, Inc.

Letter From Lee Read.

A letter from Thomas J. Lee, 97 years old, only surviving charter member of the Enterprise Club, was read at the meeting by Robert H. Miller, secretary treasurer of the convention. Clarence L. Gilpin presided. O. W. Anderson, Montgomery County farm agent, spoke on the progress made in the county. Lacy Shaw, president of the Montgomery County Commissioners, was present, but did not speak.

O. W. Robey, Colesville; William J. Hines, Brookeville, and Joseph E. Janney, Olney, were nominated to represent the convention at the Community Council and William Dinwiddie was named to place their names in nomination at the annual meeting of the council, with J. W. Jones as alternate.

The convention is held annually under auspices of the Senior Farmers Club, the Enterprise Club and the Montgomery Club.

15 Washington-Lee Girls Honorary Cadet Officers

Fifteen girls of the Washington-Lee High School at Ballston have been elected honorary officers of the Cadet Corps to represent the following officers.

They are: Maj. Curtis MacDonald, Maj. Margaret Rice; Capt. Tazwell Watson, Capt. Dorothy Thomas; Capt. Robert Rollings, Capt. Marjorie Vaughan; Capt. Soloman Iskow, Capt. Louise Runaker; First Lieut. John Green, First Lieut. Doris Rungan; Lieut. Frank Myers, Lieut. Dorothy Beach; Lieut. Elmer Wiseman, Lieut. Ruth Goodrich; Lieut. Robert McAtee, Lieut. Gladys Burroughs; Lieut. Russell Chewning, Lieut. Wilda Goodrick; Lieut. Kenneth Byrnes, Lieut. Delores Chavoen; Lieut. Warren Dodd, Lieut. Kay Simpson; Lieut. Louis Schroff, Lieut. Doris Rosedale; Lieut. Russell Springer, Lieut. Alva O'Mera; Lieut. Philip Shreve, Lieut. Aleane Harrison, and Lieut. Joseph Francis, Lieut. Hilda Swenson.

Expert Discovers Peach-Disease Test

Find Is Important Because Diagnosis May Be Made During All Seasons.

(Associated Press.)

The Department of Agriculture announced yesterday that a quick, simple and apparently certain test for the presence of phony peach disease has been developed by Dr. Lee M. Hutchins at the department's peach disease field laboratory at Fort Valley, Ga.

The discovery is significant, the department said, in that it promises to give peach disease workers an opportunity to diagnose the disease during all seasons. Heretofore, examinations could be made only when the trees were in leaf. Though not yet accepted as a final test, it is used to confirm field diagnosis.

The test is made by putting small cross sections of roots from a suspected tree from which the bark has been stripped into a solution of hydrochloric acid and methyl alcohol. Affected specimens show purple spots upon the cross section almost immediately. The test was discovered accidentally, when Dr. Hutchins noticed discoloration of solutions in which root specimens were being preserved. Observations led to development of the present test.

Ninth District G. O. P. Sets Bristol Parley

Bristol, Va., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Republicans of the Ninth Virginia District moved their congressional race artillery to the firing line today when the party executive committee, at a meeting here called a convention at Bristol on March 12 to nominate a candidate for Congress and to elect two delegates to the Republican National Convention at Chicago in June.

Democratic leaders of the Ninth have indicated that their convention will be held in Bristol March 19, though no formal call has been issued. It is considered a certainty that the Democrats will renominate Representative John W. Flannagan, jr.

Lyon Village Women to Meet.

The Woman's Club of Lyon Village will hold its monthly meeting Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. W. D. Martin, 400 Courthouse road, at 8 o'clock.

Huge Tobacco Deal With Spain Pends

Virginia Growers to Get Opportunity at Order for April 1.

(Associated Press.)

A chance for Virginia tobacco merchants to grab off the rich Spanish tobacco trade, which in past has favored the Kentucky-Tennessee dark-fired type, was seen yesterday in the announcement that tenders would be received by the governmental monopoly on April 1.

The Spanish government monopoly, Compania Arrendataria Tobaccos, is in the market for 14,500,000 pounds of American leaf, Commercial Attache C. L. Livingston at Madrid has informed the Commerce Department. Either Virginia or Kentucky-Tennessee types are wanted.

The notice of desire to purchase that quantity of leaf this year signifies a partial revival of an important trade that sloughed off in 1930 to 1,000,000 pounds. Eight years ago, in 1924, Spain's purchases totaled 34,371,923 pounds of American tobacco, of which 31,103,800 were of the Kentucky-Tennessee types. Purchases decreased gradually to the 1,000,000 pound mark two years ago, then revived slightly last year to 6,000,000 pounds.

TEACHERS' PAY CUT VIEWS ARE SOUGHT

Taxpayers in Prince Georges Decide to Ask for Called Meeting.

Prince Georges County school teachers will be asked to discuss a voluntary cut in salary and the county commissioners will be asked to cut salaries of other county workers to a minimum, it was decided at a meeting yesterday of the County Taxpayers Association.

A motion was adopted unanimously asking Nicholas Orem, superintendent of schools, to call a meeting of the teachers to discuss a pay slash. Previously a motion had been introduced calling on him arbitrarily to cut the pay of teachers, but this was withdrawn after discussion.

During the course of the consideration, it was stated that a large number of instructors in the schools were willing to accept a cut. Mr. Orem will be asked to call a meeting of the teachers so that their sentiment may be ascertained. The secretary of the association was instructed to write Mr. Orem, asking him to call the meeting.

The motion to ask the commissioners to reduce other salaries was also carried unanimously. It asks that all wages not fixed by law be cut to the lowest legal amount. The request of the association will be presented to the commissioners when they meet Tuesday, according to Joseph H. Blandford, chairman of the investigating committee, which was instructed to present the matter to the board.

Two new members have been added to this committee, Charles A. Ryon and Dr. H. Morton Bowen. The original committee consisted of Mr. Blandford, John Bowie and Roger Manning. About 80 persons attended the meeting yesterday, which was held at Ritchie. Next Saturday's gathering will be held at Oxon Hill.

Kidnaping Story Is Believed Hoax

Auto of "Victim" Is Found Burning in Grove Near Detroit.

Detroit, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Albert B. Plater's story that he was kidnaped, beaten and robbed by two armed men who set his automobile afire last night was scouted by the police tonight.

Plater, a former officer of the defunct American Friendship Society, through which Harry F. Powers, Clarksburg, W. Va., slayer, corresponded with his women victims, told the police he was kidnaped last night after having been threatened by letter and telephone and after his garage had been burned. A motorist picked up Plater near New Baltimore last night. The police said that his car was found burning in a grove a mile from the scene.

The discovery of the license plates of Plater's car as well as his watch and pocketbook, of which he claimed to have been robbed, led police to believe the story a hoax.

Ballston Citizen Group's Committees Selected

President Ray R. Cogswell, of the Ballston Citizens Association, announces the appointment of the following standing committees:

Membership, Howard P. Rothery, Mrs. Edith Rogers and Mrs. H. P. Rothery; constitution and by-laws, Mrs. Alice Thomas and Mrs. Mae E. Jacobs; public utilities, Thomas J. Crack and Grover E. Payne; public health and sanitation, Dr. Harry Echols and Lester Lambert; roads and streets, Harry Cuppett and J. T. Myers; public safety, Mrs. Clara E. Cogswell; publicity, Grover E. Payne and Mrs. Ruth McC. Payne; reception and good will, Mrs. Grace Stephenson White, Mrs. Cogswell and Mrs. Rachel White, and refreshments, Mrs. H. P. Rothery, Mrs. Edith Rogers, Mrs. Payne, Herbert Wiley Smith, Grover Payne and H. P. Rothery.

Judge Linebarger Talks China War Tomorrow

Judge Paul Myron Linebarger, legal advisor to the national government of China and special envoy from China to the United States, will be the principal speaker at a meeting of the fundamentalist League for Economic Research at the National University Law School at 9:15 o'clock tomorrow night.

Judge Linebarger will speak on "The Sino-Japanese Situation and Its significance to the United States." The public is invited.

Wife Rescues Husband From Gas-Filled Room

Michael A. Coleman, 63, who lives at 1319 East Capitol street, was treated at Casualty Hospital last night for gas-poisoning, after he was found lying unconscious in a bedroom of his home by his wife, Mrs. Wallie Coleman.

Hospital attendants described his conditions as serious. He is employed at the Smithsonian Institution as a watchman.

SCOUT HONOR WON BY ARLINGTON GIRL

Student in Junior College Is Awarded Trip to Camp in Switzerland.

Mary Emma Allen, 19, member of the senior class at Arlington Hall, junior college for girls, has been awarded the Juliette Low Memorial by the Girl Scouts' international committee which entitles her to a special encampment at the World Chalet in Switzerland.

Miss Allen, resident of Chattanooga, Tenn., daughter of Dr. and Mrs. T. A. Allen, with another Girl Scout, will represent the American Girl Scouts at the international meeting this summer. This selection was based primarily on Girl Scout spirit, outstanding loyalty and knowledge of Girl Scout standards and work, taking into consideration whether the girl expects to remain in scouting so that she may pass on to other girls the benefit of the experience and training she receives at the World Chalet.

Miss Allen was the first Golden Eaglet Girl Scout of Chattanooga. She received this award in 1929.

The Chattanooga Girl Scouts in 1925 presented Miss Allen with a cup for being the best all-round Scout. They also chose her their queen for the gypsy festival, a tribute to her popularity.

For four summers she attended Juliette Low Camp in Georgia. This camp was erected in memory of Juliette Low, the founder of Girl Scouts.

Miss Allen has served as an official at Tsatanugi Camp, Hickson, Tenn., and also at Camp Glancey, Sequatchie, Tenn.

Since entering Girl Scout work at the age of 11, Mary Emma Allen has proven herself a worthy trooper and an outstanding worker.

Miss Allen is one of seven seniors at Arlington Hall who made the honor roll with a general average in all studies of 90 per cent.

A recommendation that an automatic traffic light controlled by steel detector planes inlaid in the street be installed at the intersection of Frazier avenue and the Washington-Richmond highway will be made by Roy S. Braden, county manager for Arlington County, at the meeting of the county board to be held Saturday.

This decision was reached by Mr. Braden following the completion of an exhaustive study of traffic conditions at that point.

The survey, Mr. Braden declared, revealed that some steps must be taken as soon as possible to insure the safety of motorists driving out of Frazier avenue into the highway.

A signal of the detector plate type is the only one adapted to this purpose, he stated. Both pedestrian and vehicular traffic out of Frazier avenue moves too irregularly to warrant the installation of the ordinary signal that permits traffic to flow an equal length of time in all directions.

The survey made by Mr. Braden was authorized by the county board on motion of John C. Gall, board member.

The Cherrydale Community Library will open Tuesday from 5 to 8 o'clock in the old school building. The library is being operated under the auspices of the Parent-Teacher Association.

The Arlington Volunteer Fire Department holds its monthly meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Firemen's Hall. The committee in charge of the recent benefit supper will make its report.

The Arlington Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Bessie Palmer, 100 Beech street Clarendon.

The Lyon Village Citizens Association will hold its monthly meeting tomorrow evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Groome Eareckson, 211 Oak street, Lyon Village. The question of alleged shortage in the county treasurer's office will be discussed.

Reserve Officers Form Virginia Unit

New Chapter Is Formed in Alexandria and Vicinity.

Reserve officers in Alexandria and vicinity have formed a chapter of the Reserve Officers Association of the United States, to be known as the George Washington Chapter, the jurisdiction of which will embrace the City of Alexandria and the Counties of Arlington, Fairfax, Loudoun, Prince William, Fauquier and Stafford.

Plans are now being made for a gala celebration in connection with the formal presentation of the charter in historic Gadaby's Tavern in Alexandria about March 15, when Gen. Douglas MacArthur, chief of staff of the Army, and other prominent Regular Army officers will be invited to attend.

Officers of this chapter are Lieut. Col. J. Jarvis Butler, Special Reserve, president; Lieut. Col. Llewellyn Powell, Medical Reserve, vice president, and First Lieut. Clyde B. Lanham, Field Artillery Reserve, secretary-treasurer. Serving on the executive committee are Col. William I. Lee, Engineering Reserve; Maj. Francis Drischler, Quartermaster Reserve; First Lieut. William M. Glasgow, Infantry Reserve, and Second Lieut. John B. Vanderslius, Engineering Reserve. On the entertainment committee plannig the fuction at Gadaby's Tavern are Capt. William I. Goodwin, Infantry Reserve, and Second Lieut. Paul L. Delaney, Infantry Reserve. Capt. John B. Murphy, Military Instruction Reserve, assistant national secretary of the association in Washington, is liaison officer.

Editor Urges Virginia To Take Over Schools

Richmond, Va., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The Southern Planter, of which former Gov. Westmoreland Davis is the principal owner, says in an editorial, copies of which were mailed to members of the General Assembly, that the Byrd plan of taking over county roads will give relief to local taxpayers, but not enough to meet conditions.

"If our farmers wish real tax relief they must consider the substance rather than the shadow, and demand that the State take over schools as well as roads," the editorial says. It added that the Ferguson-Harman bills carrying out the Byrd plan were a "step in the right direction, but it falls far short in providing tax relief for our farmers."

Will Seeks Preservation Of Home in Business Area

Richmond Woman Leaves Residence to Daughter With Provision She Occupy It; Otherwise It Will Go to Another Daughter.

Special to The Washington Post.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 27.—Mrs. Laura Thomas Rutherfoord, member of an old and prominent Richmond family, who died February 20, at 85, left the old family mansion in which she lived at Second and Grace streets, in the heart of the retail shopping district, to a daughter, Mrs. Gwendolyn R. Lyman, of Biltmore Forest, Asheville, N. C., together with the family portraits, silverware, furniture and other effects, during her life, provided she occupies it within a year and continues to live in it.

If Mrs. Lyman declined to occupy it within a year, the home was left to another daughter, Mrs. Laura R. Mayo, of Charlottesville, Va., upon the same terms. Should she fail to comply with the terms, the property is to pass into the residue of the estate the total value of which is placed at $598,091, the will of Mrs. Rutherfoord, probated in chancery court, disclosed today.

For sentimental reasons, Mrs. Rutherfoord wished to retain the home place intact as long as possible. She is said to have refused several handsome offers for it in recent years from parties desiring to convert it into business property. The place is estimated to be worth at least $200,000.

The estate was left in trust with the proviso that her two daughters and a son, James T. Rutherfoord, of Rockcastle, Va., should each get $5,000 annually during their lives. A legacy of $1,000 was left to each of five servants and similar amount to each of five grandchildren, one of whom, James T. Rutherfoord, jr., recently entered upon a stage career in New York.

The remaining annual income from the estate is to be paid the daughter occupying the home, so long as she makes it her residence. Mrs. Rutherfoord was one of six daughters of the late James Thomas, jr., wealthy tobacconist of this city. Her only surviving sister is Mrs. Kate T. Carlisle, widow of Calderon Carlisle, 1722 I street northwest, Washington. One of the sisters, Gabrielle Thomas, married the late Richmond Pearson, of Asheville, former Republican member of Congress from the Tenth North Carolina District.

Unison-Bloomfield Votes To Retain Horse Show

Special to The Washington Post.

Unison-Bloomfield, Va., Feb. 27.—At the meeting of the Unison-Bloomfield Horse Show Association held at the school building it was decided again to hold the horse show, the date to be decided later. This annual event is given for the benefit of the school and is largely attended, some of the best horses of the Virginia circuit being shown there each year.

Irvin Beavers was unanimously chosen as manager of the association to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Humphrey Chamblin, who was general manager since the organization was formed 12 years ago. Kelley Peach was made assistant manager.

First Robin Appears at Hagerstown.

Hagerstown, Md., Feb. 27 (Special).—Spring is not far off. The first robin turned up today, Richard Munson reported having seen the bird sitting on a tree in his back yard. Flocks of wild geese flew over during the night.

MOFFETT SPONSORS TRUCK ACT REVISION

Introduces Bill in Virginia to Repeal Produce Vehicle Exemption.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—W. Stuart Moffett, of Staunton, today introduced in the House of Delegates a bill to tax trucks, correct defects in the present law and to remove provisions deemed of doubtful constitutionality.

The bill would repeal the section exempting from "for hire" licenses trucks hauling farm products to market, and would eliminate the insurance requirement as to contract carriers.

The bill continues the present truck fees for private and "for hire" vehicles, but provides fees for trucks of more than five tons capacity, there being no provision in the law covering these larger vehicles. The bill would add to the five-ton fee $50 for each 1,000 pounds of capacity with 50 per cent additional if used for contract hauling.

The bill also clarifies the section of the present law to assure constitutionality of the exemption from chauffeur's licenses of traveling salesmen and salesmen-drivers of bakery, milk, laundry and similar trucks. The bill requires a chauffeur's license of those whose "principal occupation" is driving a motor vehicle. The fee is made $2 and annual renewal is provided.

It permits the same speed for all vehicles, provides for appeals to a competent court when permits or licenses are revoked, makes legal speed limits on signs posted by the highway commission or local authorities, reduces the maximum length of vehicles from 85 to 60 feet, prohibits registration of vehicles with solid tires, which have not heretofore been registered in the State, and requires marker lights on all large vehicles.

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FRED N. WINDRIDGE, Rosslyn, Va.
SKINKER MOTOR CO., 1216 20th St. N.W.
CALLAN MOTORS, INC., 1529 M St. N.W.
EYNON MOTOR CO., 1437 Irving St. N.W.
NORTHEAST HUPP SALES, 50 H St. N.E.
HILL & TIBBITTS, 1114 Vermont Ave. N.W.
GRAHAM MOTOR SALES CO., 1526 14th St. N.W.
WOLFE MOTOR CO., 8617 Georgia Ave. N.W.
WILLIAMS & BAKER, INC., 1507 14th St. N.W.
L. P. STEUART, INC., 1325 14th St. N.W.
THE AUTO MART, 1318 14th St. N.W.
NASH-ORR, 1733 14th St. N.W.
EMERSON & ORME, 17th and M Sts. N.W.
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FRED L. MORGAN, 1341 14th St. N.W.
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R. L. TAYLOR MOTOR CO., 1835 14th St. N.W. 1901 14th St. N.W.
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STANLEY H. HORNER, 1015 14th St. N.W. 1111 14th St. N.W.
LAMBERT'S, 14th and P Sts. N.W.
PACKARD'S USED CARS, Kalorama Rd. at 17th St. N.W.
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FINKELSTEIN, W. AND L., SETS RECORD IN CATHOLIC MEET; VIRGINIA TEAM RETAINS S. CONFERENCE BOXING CROWN

Feather Title Is Kept by Goldstein

Reiss Annexes Light-Heavy Honors for Cavalier Team.

Virginia Registers 16 Points; Tulane and Duke 8 Each.

Conference champions: bantamweight, Fred L. Lloyd, Duke; featherweight, Bobby Goldstein, Virginia; lightweight, J. U. Watts, South Carolina; welterweight, Charlie Garner, North Carolina State; middleweight, Candler Page, Mississippi State; light heavyweight, Lewis Reiss, Virginia; heavyweight, Doyliss Hill, Tulane.

Final point standing: Virginia, 16; Duke, 8; Tulane, 8; North Carolina State, 5; Mississippi A & M, 5; South Carolina, 5; Georgia, 3; North Carolina, 3; Washington and Lee, 3.

Special to The Washington Post.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., Feb. 27. Virginia's boxing team tonight captured the Southern Conference boxing crown for the third time in six years. The Cavalier ringmen registered a total of 16 points, doubling the score of the runners up, Tulane and Duke, with 8 each.

Only two of the 1931 conference champions survived the finals tonight, staged before a crowd of 5,000. These were Bobby Goldstein, of Washington, Virginia featherweight, and Doyliss Hill, Tulane's heavyweight.

John Minardi, of Florida, bantam champion, was beaten in the quarter finals last night by Zacharias, of Louisiana State, who in turn succumbed in the semifinals this afternoon to Lloyd, of Duke.

Doug Myers, of Virginia, conference middleweight was decisively beaten tonight by Candler Page, of Mississippi State College, easily one of the stars of the tournament exhibiting the same aggressiveness he had displayed in early tourney bouts, he sent Myers to the mat twice in the second round tonight and the Virginia seconds were quick to toss the towel into the ring.

Resembling a wrestler more than a boxer in physique he used both hands with telling effect and there was no doubt about the verdict. As this is his first year in the ring, he should be able to hold his newly won crown for a year or two.

Gentry Forced To Forfeit.

Fenton Gentry, captain of the Virginia team, who won the lightweight title last year, but fought this season in the unlimited class, worked his way up to the finals in the present tournament, defeating Khoury, of Louisiana State, and Stark, gridiron star at Virginia Poly, but tonight forfeited to Doyliss Hill, of Tulane, last year's champion in this division.

In winning the featherweight title for the second time, Goldstein kept his two-year record at Virginia unblemished. This afternoon the Washington lad won decision over Jones, of Mississippi State College, and tonight outclassed Marty Levinson, of North Carolina. It was his third victory of the year over the hard-hitting Tarheel, who had found little trouble in mastering every other opponent in the tournament.

Goldstein and Levinson started mixing it at close range at the start, and, when separated, Goldstein rushed his opponent with lefts to the face. At the start of the second round each took hard wallops in the face, and then Golstein forced his opponent against the ropes and battered him with lefts and rights to the head and body, while Levinson swung haymakers that went wild. In the third round, Goldstein got in a jarring left and followed up with blows to the body. Each was slowed down by exertion and clinches became frequent as the bout ended.

Lloyd of Duke in winning the bantamweight crown tonight, made quick work of Robertson, ace of the Wash-

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Two-Month Lay-Off Planned by Stribling

Chicago, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—W. L. "Young" Stribling is going to carry on in the ring, despite his decisive defeat by Ernie Schaaf last night.

"Pa" Stribling, father-manager of the young Georgian, said today that Stribling intended to rest for two months and then resume warfare with the heavyweights. Stribling has no thought of retiring.

"He wasn't hurt last night," Pa Stribling said. "But he needs to build himself up if he is to fight those big, rough fellows."

Stribling left for his home in Macon, Ga., by automobile early today.

John Carroll Signs Glover, Tulane Star

Cleveland, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Harry Glover, a sensational backfield star for Tulane University last fall, today was appointed assistant football and head basket ball coach of John Carroll University.

Glover, a senior at Tulane, will not graduate until June. He will begin his duties here next September.

Head Football Coach Ralph Vince said Glover would devote his attention to the backfield.

1,500-Meter Mark Broken by Venzke

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Gene Venzke, of Pottstown, Pa., tonight set a new world's indoor record for 1,500 meters in the Knights of Columbus games at Madison Square Garden. Venzke's time of 3 minutes 53 2-5 seconds for the classic Olympic distance shattered both Lloyd Hahn's American indoor record of 3:55 4-5 and Ray Conger's record of 3:55 outdoors.

N. C. DEFEATS KENTUCKY, 43 TO 42

Tarheels Upset Tourney Favorites; Duke Beats Florida.

QUARTER FINAL RESULTS.
Duke, 33; Florida, 22.
Georgia, 40; Virginia, 19.
North Carolina, 43; Kentucky, 42.
Auburn, 30; Louisiana State, 22.
SEMINFINALS TOMORROW.
Duke vs. Georgia.
North Carolina vs. Auburn.

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—North Carolina's fighting Tarheels sent the favorite Kentucky Wildcats out of the annual Southern Conference Basket Ball Tournament in the second round with a brilliant offensive, 43 to 42.

Alpert's shooting of 10 of Duke's points was too much for the Florida Gators in the first half of today's opening game, and the Blue Devils won, 33-32.

The Kentuckians often had a 3 or 5 point lead, but the Carolinians would not be denied in their final minutes, when anything might happen.

It was the unexcelled floor work of Alexander, whose shooting also figured prominently in the unexpected victory that brought about an upset equal to Florida's surprising defeat of Maryland in the first round yesterday. Alexander scored 13 of the Tarheel points.

Both the champion and runner-up are now out of the tournament, Kentucky having lost to the Old Liners in the finals of 1931.

Auburn, the only seeded team left in the tournament, stepped out to a 30-22 victory over Louisiana State while Virginia bowed before Georgia's powerful team, 40-19.

Duke.	G	F	P	Florida.	G	F	P
Lewis, f.	0	3	3	Pittman, f.	1	0	2
J.Thompson, f	3	2	8	Bradley, f.	1	4	6
Alpert, c.	6	3	15	Cherry, c.	2	5	9
H. Thompson, g	1	1	3	Emmelhainz, g	1	1	3
Shaw, g.	1	1	3	Brown, g.	0	0	0
Colley, g.	1	0	2	Hughes, g.	1	0	2
Totals	12	9	33	Totals	6	10	22

N. Carolina.	G	F	P	Kentucky.	G	F	P
Weathers, f.	5	0	10	Darby, f.	4	0	8
Hines, f.	4	0	8	Demolsey, f.	2	1	5
Edwards, c.	3	2	8	Kreuter, f.	0	2	2
Brandt, c.	1	0	2	Sale, c.	8	4	20
Alexander, g.	5	3	13	Worthington, g	1	0	2
McCachren, g	1	0	2	Johnson, g.	2	1	5
Totals	19	5	43	Totals	17	8	42

Auburn.	G	F	P	La. State.	G	F	P
Lumpkin, f.	6	1	13	Bardwell, f.	3	0	6
Jordan, f.	2	3	7	Samuels, f.	0	1	1
Stewart, c.	4	0	8	Kelly, f.	0	1	1
Kaley, g.	0	2	2	Torrance, g.	4	1	9
Hatfield, g.	0	0	0	Bielins, g.	0	0	0
				Stevens, g.	1	1	3
Totals	12	6	30	Stayton, g.	1	0	2
				Totals	9	4	22

Phil Perkins Shot, Forced to Default

Goodwin Is Declared Dixie Golf Winner; Briton Holdup Victim.

Miami, Fla., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Officials of the Dixie amateur golf tournament today awarded championship honors to Tommy Goodwin, 18-year-old Monroe, N. Y., golfer, and ruled that T. Philip Perkins, British golfer and cofinalist, who was shot during a holdup of the fashionable Embassy Club here early today, had defaulted.

The decision to call Perkins' nonappearance a default was not reached until after the officials conferred with the physician attending the Briton, defending champion. The physician said Perkins would not be able to play golf in competition for at least a month.

Tournament officials had entertained the hope that the finals might be played at a postponed date, in case Perkins was able to play within a few days.

Florida Commission Rules Off Turfmen

Miami, Fla., Feb. 27 (U.P.).—The Florida Racing Commission at a meeting today ruled off the men and horses connected with the recent Gallmont "ringer" case at Hialeah Park, following the recommendations of the Miami Jockey Club.

J. P. Crawford and Willis Kane, owners; Trainer A. F. Tavenner and the horses Dunrock, Lindby, Polish Prince, Danish Prince and Gallmont were affected by the action.

Rain Delays Action In Bermuda Tennis

Hamilton, Bermuda, Feb. 27 (A.P.). Rain forced postponement of all play in the Bermuda tennis championships today. Finals in men's singles and women's doubles will be held Monday, weather permitting.

In men's singles, Frederick Perry will meet his fellow English star, H. G. N. Lee. In women's doubles, the Palfrey sisters, Sarah and Mianne, of Boston, meet the English combination of Betty Nuthall and Mrs. Eileen Bennett Whittingstall.

Kocsis Hurt; Gelb-Welsh To Clash

Winner in 36 of 37 Bouts Is Added to Ritchie Card.

Matches Tomorrow to Draw Record Crowd Is Indication.

A SPLIT hand and a cracked ear, suffered in his slugfest with Emil Pladner Friday night at Madison Square Garden, yesterday caused Antol Kocsis to concel his eight-round bout with Dick Welsh, Norfolk ripsaw, tomorrow night at Ritchie Coliseum.

Miki Gelb, former featherweight champion of Hungary, and now a leading claimant to Bat Battalino's vacated featherweight crown, was forthright chosen as the most desirable substitute obtainable, and Capital fans immediately countenanced the switch, aware of Gelb's fancy record, which has seen him destroy Kid Francis, former featherweight champion of the world; Phil Zwick, Ray Myers and Koli Koia.

Gelb Has Brilliant Record.

Gelb is said to have won 385 amateur bouts before turning pro. Since joining the moneyed ranks, he has turned back 36 out of the 37 men he has faced, meeting defeat only at the hands of Freddy Miller in a close decision fight.

Welsh, not the least of whose accomplishments are two defeats of Billy Landers, continued work yesterday and was rated by his manager, Chris Dundee, as being in the best shape of his career. He will give away five pounds to the rugged Hungarian.

After the middle of March, Gelb will participate in a three-way elimination tournament, with Lew Feldman and Freddy Miller, for the National Boxing Association's recognition as feather champion. In Welch, he will meet a slugger who is young, hardbitten, a fighter to the core and undisputed champion of the South. It should prove a landmark in local fighting.

Almost overshadowing the main event, in the interest of the died in the wool fight fans of this region, is the semiwindup, which mates Bobby Burns and Louis Jallos, who staged a bout at Portner's Arena two weeks ago which is still the leading topic in fight precincts. Burns was given the nod over Jallos, but the house bellowed its derision of the decision so much so that judges were added to the program in the other bouts of the evening, whereas Portner's was working under a strict refereedecision basis.

Burns-Jallos Bout Demanded.

Since that time there has been constant agitation for a return bout. Buster Brown originally was scheduled to oppose Jalls, but Matchmaker Mann, sensing the need of a return match wtih Burns, signed up the Baltimore battler.

Two more eight rounder fistfests are carded. In the main preliminary

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Allison, Lott Enter Miami Tennis Finals

Miami Beach, Fla., Feb. 27 (A.P.). Battering down the challenge of Gustav Vollmer, Cuban champion, Wilmer Allison, Austin, Tex., today advanced to singles finals of the Pan-American tennis tournament, defeating the Cuban, 4—6, 6—4, 6—0, 6—4.

George Lott, Chicago, and J. Gilbert Hall, East Orange, N. J., fought bitterly through a five set match that ended just before dark as Lott won, 7—9, 6—2, 7—5, 6—3.

Allison will meet Lott in singles finals tomorrow. Allison and Hall will team against Lott and Marcel Rainville, Toronto, in doubles finals.

West Coast Open Topped by Burke

U. S. Open Champ's 140 Best as Pros Reach Halfway Mark.

Bellelair, Fla., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Billy Burke, National Open champion and professional here, clipped a stroke from par on each 18-hole round today for a 70—70—140 to lead the pack at the half-way mark of the 72-hole West Coast Open Golf Tournament.

Paul Runyan, White Plains, N. Y., Johnny Farrell, St. Augustine, Fla., and Wiffy Cox, Brooklyn, N. Y., tied for second place with 143's. Runyan had the best round of the day, a 33—35—68 this afternoon, which was within two strokes of equaling the course record held by Burke.

Babe Ruth, New York Yankees' home run king, carded a 79—78—157 to lead the amateurs.

Gene Sarazen, Great Neck, L. I., defending champion, had trouble with his clubs today, and just managed to qualify by scoring a 78—74—152.

Joe Kirkwood, Philadelphia, trick shot artist, had a 77—75—152.

Forty-one players who had 154 or better will play 36 holes tomorrow for the prize money.

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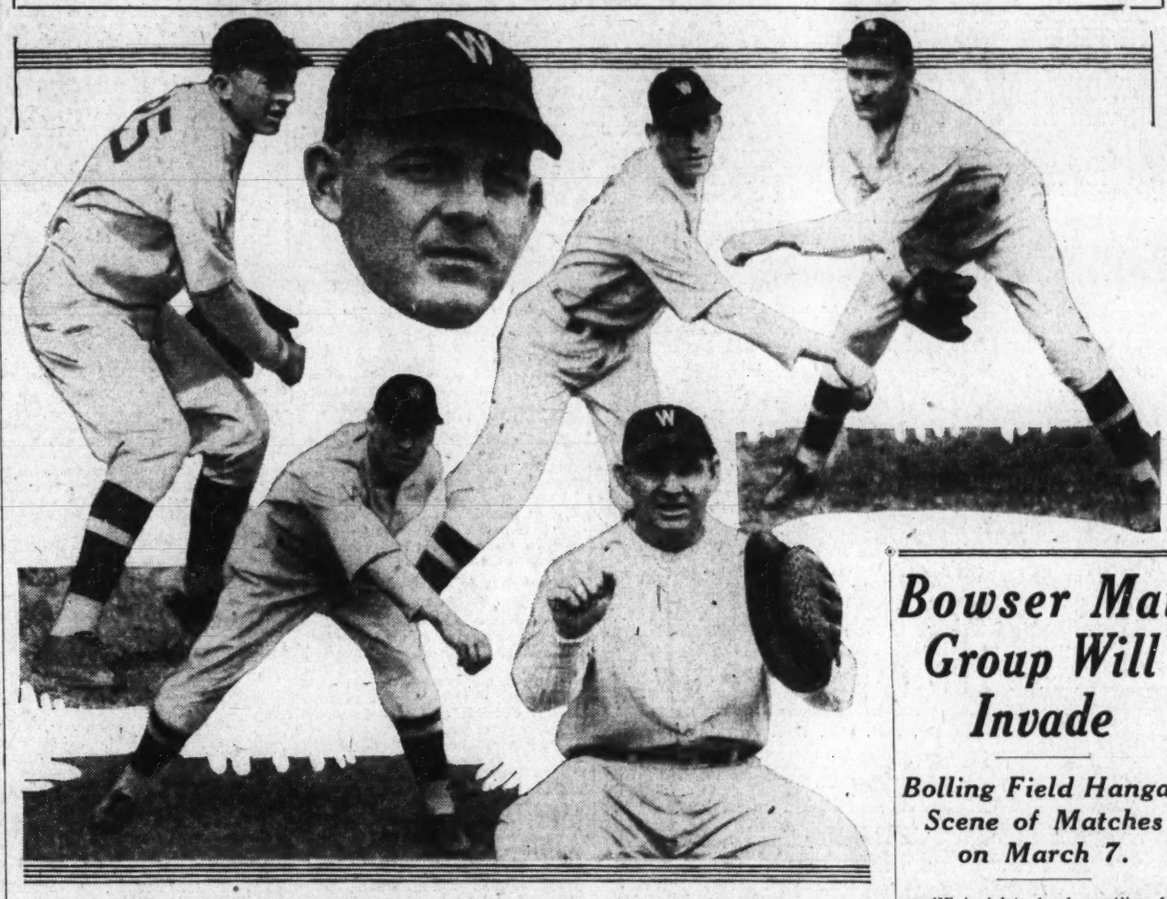

Some of the new material at the Biloxi camp from which Manager Johnson hopes to draw a star or two. At top, left to right—Bud Thomas, Frank Ragland, John Boyle and Lynn Griffith. At bottom—Mike Delaney and Howard Maple.

Nats' Squad, Ahead of Training Schedule, Indulges in First Batting Practice of Year

Stick Drill Is Listed Two Days Earlier Than Expected.

By SHIRLEY L. POVICH
(Sports Editor of The Post).

BILOXI, Miss., Feb. 27.—The sound of the batted ball broke over Biloxi Field today as the Nats opened a new phase of their training campaign. The backstop was wheeled into position, Walter Johnson, himself, ascended the mound and the squad of batterymen put the wood to the ball with a will despite batting eyes dulled by months of inactivity.

Johnson's order to begin firing with the bats was sounded two days earlier than had been planned and was attributed to the spirit of the men in camp who have become surfeited with playing catch, pepper sessions and volley ball and were eager to get to the plate with bats in their hands, despite the fact that as pitchers their batting strength is relatively unimportant.

Marberry, Bolton Star At Bat.

Big Fred Marberry and Chunky Cliff Bolton eclipsed all others in the soldiness and distance of their drives, slamming the ball to all sectors when they connected, which was not infrequent. First Johnson, then Schacht, then Lynn Griffith served them up from the mound.

It was significant that nine out of ten hits of the right-handers drifted into right field and the same percentage from the southpaw bats were sliced into left. The boys were slow in getting their bats around at this early stage of the season and even the straight balls, not too fast, had several of the batters looking very weak indeed.

The Nats today concluded their first dull week of practice and there are no developments of note to report beyond the fact that both President Clark Griffith and Johnson express themselves gratified by the work thus far. None of the rookie pitchers has been permitted to open up with his stock in trade, but the thinning of the ranks is expected to set in next week when all will be instructed to unloosen a few notches.

Ragland, Griffith Counted Upon.

The feeling prevails that the rawest of the rookies, John Boyle, Bayonne, N. J., high school boy and Michael Delaney, Chicago sandlotter, will not be able to oust Frank Ragland, Lynn Griffith or Robert Frederich, as the favorites for the three vacant berths in the pitching corps which will give the Nats a full complement of nine twirlers.

Ragland and Griffith, by virtue of their work with Chattanooga, will be

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Waite Hoyt Signs To Play With Robins

Clearwater, Fla., Feb. 27 (A.P.). Waite Hoyt, former Athletic and Yankee hurler, has accepted the terms offered by Brooklyn, Manager Max Carey announced here today.

Carey said he expected Hoyt to strengthen the team considerably. He would not discuss the terms which Hoyt accepted.

Marberry and Bolton Top Hitters; Johnson on Mound.

BLAZING THE BASEBALL TRAIL

Santa Catalina Island, Calif., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—What may be the regular Chicago Cub infield this season was given its first workout by Manager Rogers Hornsby today.

Charlie Grimm was at first base, Bill Herman worked at second, with Woody English and Stanley Hack at shortstop and third base, respectively. Herman and Hack, having been at work for two weeks, gave the two veterans who had just arrived a terrific workout.

Fort Myers, Fla., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—There wasn't a Charley horse in camp today as the Athletics wound up their first week of training for the 1932 pennant campaign, and Connie Mack was all smiles as he expressed his satisfaction with the progress made.

A couple of rookies, Pitcher Wilbur Dumford and Catcher Eddie Madjeski, were another source of satisfaction to the old master as he looked over the outfit.

Clearwater, Fla., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The Brooklyn Dodgers had three more men in uniform today. Babe Phelps, the big pitcher, who has just come to terms with the club but has not yet signed his contract, joined the squad along with Murray Howell, an outfielder up from Hartford. Charley Moore, who managed Hartford last season, got into action as a catcher.

Mineral Wells, Tex., Feb. 27 (A.P.) Manager Lew Fonseca today curtailed the Chicago White Sox mineral bath program in favor of some old-fashioned base ball practice.

Baths and hiking were to have been the major features of the conditioning program, but the athletes wanted base ball so Fonseca accommodated them.

St. Petersburg, Fla., Feb. 27 (A.P.). At the end of the first week of practice, Joe McCarthy, New York Yankees' manager, says he is satisfied with the progress his first squad has made.

"These pitchers are as well advanced as they should be for the other players when the entire squad settles down to work on Monday," Joe said. "We have had a much better start than we had a year ago."

Paso Robles, Calif., Feb. 27 (A.P.). Veterans and rookies shook hands tonight as the second squad of the Pittsburgh Pirates got into camp.

Tomorrow the long drills will begin in earnest, with the infielders and the outfielders joining the batterymen in the workouts.

No word has been received from the only holdouts, Pitchers Meine and Swetonic.

New Orleans, Feb. 27 (U.P.).—Cleveland's Indians held a short workout under a hot sun today and will rest on the Sabbath. Manager Roger Peckinpaugh decided that four days of work under the brilliant sun was enough for the time being.

The Indians' camp will be complete with arrival of infielders and outfielders on Tuesday. Players belonging to the Toledo Mud Hens, recently

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Bowser Mat Group Will Invade

Bolling Field Hangar Scene of Matches on March 7.

THE inviolate local wrestling fortress established by Matchmaker Joe Turner and the Mondt-White-Curley wrestlers, will meet competition Monday, March 7, when the grapplers of Paul Bowser, Inc., make another foray on the rich mat pastures of the District.

The first of the Bowser exhibitions will be held in a made-over airplane hangar at Bolling Field, and a portion of the gate receipts will go for the benefit of the fund for the Twenty-ninth Division of World War Veterans.

Karl Pojello and Billy Bartush, two favorites here before they switched affiliations, are the principals in the two feature bouts. Pojello, rated one of the cleverest men in the grappling profession, meets Rudy Laditzi, unknown in these parts. Bartush, a year and a half ago an outstanding attraction under Joe Turner, meets Tommy Texas.

Three preliminaries will be added. A $2 top price has been established at the ringside, while other seats will go for $1. The hangar-gymnasium will seat about 2,500. Ladies, with escorts, will be admitted free.

Just a year ago the Bowser interests invaded Washington, featuring George Godfrey, big colored fighter-turned-rassler; George Calza, Jack Sherry, Don de Laun, Stanley Stasiak and Dr. Enriques Fernandez. The matches were held at the Strand Theater. Three shows were held.

RESERVES WANT GAME.

The Naval Reserves want a game this afternoon with a team having a gymnasium. Call Atlantic 2824.

Hickey, C. U., Wins Ryan "1,000"

Highley, of Navy, Betters Mark in Mile Open.

1,200 See Carnival; Conger's Time Is Beaten.

WITH a flock of new records established, the third annual Catholic University track and field meet last night at Brookland proved a big success, with a crowd officially estimated at 1,200 in attendance.

Outstanding among the new track marks was the stellar performance of John Hickey, of Catholic University, in winning the Ryan 1,000, the featured race of the evening. After allowing Hardman, of Navy; Johnson, of William and Mary, and Duffy, of Villanova, to alternate in setting the pace, Hickey took the lead on the fifth lap and barely held his advantage to the finish line. Hardman was 6 inches behind at the close, and Johnson third, 4 yards back.

Hickey's time was 2 minutes 20 4-5 seconds, the old mark having been set by Ray Conger, of the Illinois Athletic Club, in 1931, at 2 minutes 22 2-5 seconds.

Another major record breaking performance was turned by Highley, of Navy, who ran the mile open handicap in 4 minutes 42 second, to break the old mark established by Gibson, also of Navy, in 1931, at 4 minutes 44 4-5 seconds. Highley, starting from scratch, came up fast in the last lap to win. Hailey, a team mate, was second, and Averhoff, of C. U., third.

In the mile intercollegiate run, G. Baker, of Villanova, set another new mark in surpassing Highley's performance. He turned in the good time of 4 minutes 41 seconds, to outdo Gibson's old record, leading practically all the way.

E. Finkelstein, of Washington and Lee, Southern Conference titleholder and coholder of the world 70-yard hurdle record, broke another mark in the 50-yard low hurdles. He stepped the distance in 6 1-5 seconds, the old mark being held by Kinnaman, of Maryland, at 6 2-5 seconds.

50-YARD LOW HURDLES (HIGH AND PREP TRIALS.—First heat won by Sive (Eastern); second heat won by Stauffer (Eastern); third heat won by Carron (Eastern); fourth heat won by Beers (Western).

50-YARD LOW HURDLES (OPEN TRIAL).—First heat won by Bryan (Virginia); second, Fraatz (C. U.). Time, 6 1-5 seconds; second heat won by Finkenstein (W. & L.); second, Antrim (Virginia). Time, 6.1; third heat won by Everett (Virginia Freshmen); second, Cox (Navy). Time, 6 1-5 seconds. Fourth heat won by Scarlett (Princeton); second, Whitaker (Navy). Time, 6 2-5 seconds; fifth heat won by Newton (Navy); second, Pigott (Maryland). Time, 6 3-5 seconds.

ONE-THIRD MILE RELAY (BOYS CLUBS (100-POUND WEIGHT CLASS).—Won by Frederick Flashes (C. Keller, G. Mercer, H. Pont, J. Shelhorse); second, Hyattsville Hornets; third, Cumberland Cannonballs. Time, 1 minute 21 1-5 seconds.

50-YARD DASH (HIGH AND PREP TRIALS).—First heat won by A. Jannel (Massanutten); second heat won by F. Price (Central); third heat won by Sive (Eastern); fourth heat won by Smeltzer (Tech).

50-YARD (OPEN TRIALS).—First heat won by Ditzler (Central); second, Mackenzie (Navy); time, 5 4-5 seconds; second

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Record Crowd Sees Filly Triumph

Nears Record in Winning Fifth in Row by Five Lengths.

Cathop Second and Trombone Third in $9,725 Race.

HIALEAH PARK, Fla., Feb. 27 (A. P.).—Evening, owned and bred by George D. Widener at his Erdenheim Farm near Philadelphia, reached the peak of her career when she smashed her way to a glorious victory in the rich Florida Derby, outstanding event of the Miami Jockey Club's 39-day meeting, which ended here today.

The largest crowd of the season, including contingents from Cuba, New Orleans and northern points, let out a mighty roar as the daughter of St. James-Crepuscule, with Bobby Leischman sitting still in the saddle, swept past the Pagoda Pole a winner by five full lengths.

Cathop Up to Get Place Money.

Cathop, half-brother to Mike Hall, owned by R. M. Eastman, Chicago publisher, made a valiant effort for the West, sticking his head in front of G. W. Ogle's Trombone in the closing stride to take the place position. Bay Angon was a well-beaten fourth. Lucky Tom and Renaissance, J. J. Robinson's highly regarded invaders from New Orleans, never figured seriously. Lucky Tom, with which Robinson declared to win, acted fractious at the barrier and was placed on the outside. He finished last. Renaissance was fifth.

Evening, in winning her fifth straight race in Florida, was the cynosure of all eyes as she returned glistening in the tropical sun to the winner's circle amid great cheers. It was a popular victory, the filly ruling a close favorite at $5.60 for $2. She ran the mile and a furlong distance in the fast time of 1:50 4-5, a fifth of a second off Lightning Bolt's record, under 113 pounds, without being fully extended.

Evening's Victory Worth $9,725.

Evening's victory was worth $9,725 to her owner, who is a nephew to Joseph E. Widener. Jack Joyner, trainer in chief for the stable, received a loving cup in the stewards' stand after the running. Evening is not eligible for the Louisiana Derby.

The start was good and Bay Angon dashed to the front in the run to the first turn. Cathop was shuffled back but recovered entering the back stretch. Evening's high speed asserted itself as the field straightened out for the run up the back side and she drew into a good lead, with Renaissance, Trombone and Cathop on her trail. Through the stretch Evening was just toying with her opposition and Leischman looked back. Trombone held on surprisingly well as Cathop staged a strong finish to take the runner-up position in the final stride.

A total of $319,296 was wagered during the day, a record daily handle for the meeting.

La Golondrina Scores At Havana.

Havana, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—On a program dominated by claiming races, La Golondrina, a recent arrival from Hialeah Park, carried the silks of Jack Howard to victory in the best race at Oriental Park today. It was a 6-furlong sprint for older horses.

Buddy Ensor brought the 5-year-old daughter of Flying Ebony home an easy winner, beating L. B. Carbone's Ronald Grey by five lengths. M. G. Gonzale's Rocky Point was third.

The winner turned in the best effort of the day from the time standpoint, running the six panels in 1:13. She was the even-money favorite.

New Orleans Derby Trial To Sazerac.

New Orleans, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Sazerac, 3-year-old colt of A. B. Letellier, New Orleans sportsman, won the Derby Trial Handicap at the Fair Grounds today with Bert John second and Crystal Prince third.

Sazerac, with C. Landolt up, ran head and head with Springsteel to the home stretch, where Springsteel burned out. Then Bert John came with a rush and Sazerac barely lasted to win by a neck. The race was worth $2,540 to the winner.

FAIR GROUNDS ENTRIES.

(FOR MONDAY.)
(Associated Press.)

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $600: claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Mild. Watkins.109|11 *Cotton Time..110
2 Imelda .....111|12 *Adrian 109
3 *Cousin Judy..108|13 Dr. Rogers.....116
4 *Magna Mater.106|14 *Lofty Heights.104
5 *Wise Seller...109|15 *Chicon 104
6 *Elkhart .....111|16 *Beauty Bride.106
7 *Jane Packard.108|17 *K. Russell.....111
8 *Destro .....111|18 Big Blue 103
9 Escoba Land..109|19 Buzzy Boo.....109
10 Twis. Threads.116|20 Cloido 114

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $600: claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Marjory Nell..112|11 *Sir John K..112
2 Finger Tips...112|12 *Polylith 107
3 Shackelford...107|13 *Normadal 107
4 Kline Cherokee.117|14 *Knight Club..105
5 *Roundup .....112|15 *Scan. Sheet..109
6 Bill Looney..112|16 King Halma...117
7 *Agnes Sorel..107|17 *The Okah.....112
8 Nardz .....107|18 Believe Tornot..117
9 Slownish .....112|19 Bob Kernan....112
10 Luchon .....107|20 Crowned Head.112
*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Hialeah Race Charts

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WEATHER, CLEAR. TRACK, FAST.

FIRST RACE—Five and one-half furlongs. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 3-year-olds. Start good. Won driving; place, easily. Went to post at 2:18. Off at 2:21. Winner, J. O. Keene's blk. g. (3), by Pagan Pan—Donna Roma. Trained by A. Ayres. Value to winner, $750; second, $150; third, $100. Time, 0:23, 0:46 2-5, 1:06.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
DOM ROMIRO	106	3	2	2²	2²	2¹½	1¹ᵃ	Lewis	$2.20
MORDEN	106	5	3	1¹	1¹	1¹½	2¹	Catrone	1.70
NORWALK	106	2	4	3ʰ	3ʰ	3¹	3³	Reynolds	4.15
PARTIES	110	6	5	5⁴	5⁵	5⁵	4ʰ	Hanford	7.85
MAKE SPEED	112	1	1	4¹½	4ʰ	4ʰ	5⁴	Robertson	13.35
DON PABLO	105	4	6	6	6	6	6	Mills	16.65

Two-dollar mutuels paid—DON ROMIRO, $6.40, $3.30, $2.80; MORDEN, $3.00, $2.40; NORWALK, $2.60.

DON ROMIRO, taken back off the pace rounding the far turn, swung to outside of the leader entering home stretch and responded gamely to a drive, was inclined to swerve at end and race should improve him. MORDEN, hustled along from the start, had nothing in reserve when winner challenged. NORWALK was never able to get to the leaders, but always held others safe.

SECOND RACE—One mile. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 4-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won handily; place, driving. Went to post at 2:50. Off at 2:51. Winner, J. Edwards gr. h. (5), by Stefan the Great—Polyantha. Trained by owner. Value to winner, $750; second, $150; third, $100. Time, 0:23 1-5, 0:47 2-5, 1:12, 1:37 4-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
POLYGAMOUS	113	1	1	1¹½	1²	1²	1¹½	1¹	Allen	$3.00
SCOT FREE	108	4	3	3²	4³	4³	3¹	2¹	Stevens	2.00
KNOWLTON	111	7	3	2¹	2²	2²	2¹	3¹	S. Renick	1.55
TEA CRACKER	108	6	7	5ʰ	4¹½	3½	4⁴	4³	Montgomery	19.85
PLAYBILL	101	6	4	4¹	5½	5¹	5ʰ	5¹⁰	Mills	58.65
GOLD MAN	110	3	5	6¹	7	7	7	6¹	Hanford	27.95
MY SIS	103	2	2	3⁴	3¹	6³	6¹	7	D. Smith	20.35

Two-dollar mutuels paid—POLYGAMOUS, $8.10, $3.50, $2.70; SCOT FREE, $3.30, $2.80; KNOWLTON, $2.50.

POLYGAMOUS dashed to the front when barrier was sprung and, after opening up an easy lead, was taken in hand and raced well within himself all the way. SCOT FREEE was taken back in early stages and messed about. He worked his way through on inside rounding the far turn and, closing a big gap, finished going very strong. KNOWLTON, used up following the pacemaker, weakened when put to a drive.

THIRD RACE—One and one-quarter miles. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 4-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won driving; place, easily. Went to post at 3:18. Off at 3:21. Winner, J. M. Phillips' br. g. (4), by Man o' War—Garristown. Trained by G. E. Phillips. Value to winner, $750; second, $150; third, $100. Time, 0:24, 0:48 2-5, 1:13, 1:38 1-5, 2:03 3-5. (Equals track record).

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
ROAN ANTELOPE	108	3	2	1¹½	1¹	1¹	1¹	1ⁿᵏ	Fields	$25.75
SILVERY	102	1	1	2¹	3¹½	2ᵃ	2ᵃ	2¹⁰	Mills	2.00
FAIR BILL	107	6	6	6	6	6	6	3¹	Lewis	1.55
FETISH	115	5	3	3¹½	4ᵃ	4¹	4¹	4ᵃ	Robertson	3.05
PUPPAL	107	4	4	5¹½	5ᵃ	5¹½	5¹	5ᵃ	D. Smith	24.20
BOUNDING DEEP	105	4	5	4ᵃ	2ʰ	3ᵃ	3¹	6	Reynolds	12.90

Two-dollar mutuels paid—ROAN ANTELOPE, $53.50, $13.70, $4.00; SILVERY, $4.00, $2.60; FAIR BILL, $2.30.

ROAN ANTELOPE went to the front with a rush into first turn and raced in hand to top of home stretch. He hung on with determination when put to a drive and Fields put route Mills when it came to a finish. SILVERY hung on after moving up with a bold challenge at furlong pole. She was unable to improve her position last hundred yards. FAIR BILL, a trailer to stretch turn, finished going strong.

FOURTH RACE—Three furlongs. Purse, $1,000; allowances. Domino Purse. For 2-year-olds. Start good. Won driving; place, same. Went to post at 3:48. Off at 3:50. Winner, David J. Ely's b. c. (2), by Diomedes—Merville. Trained by J. T. Kermath. Value to winner, $750; second, $150; third, $100. Time, 0:34 2-5. (Equals track record.)

Horses	Wgt.	Post	Start	Stretch	Finish	Jockeys	Straight
HELIOS	125	1	3	2²	1½	Workman	$3.90
MEANY	128	9	1	1ʰ	2¹½	Riley	1.20
MAEANTIC	125	8	4	4ⁿᵏ	3½	Walls	10.20
BRACER	115	8	8	3ʰ	4½	Bejshak	12.35
DRY RIDGE	125	3	5	5¹½	5¹½	McGinnis	17.35
TRANSEN	122	7	6	7²	6½	Powers	45.45
LEHUYERE	115	5	7	6ʰ	7¹½	Pollard	4.75
BOLILEE	115	4	7	8¼	8³	Malley	30.90
PRINCESS VAL	112	5	9	9	9	Leyland	90.60

Two-dollar mutuels paid—HELIOS, $9.80, $3.80, $3.50; MEANY, $3.30, $2.50; MAEANTIC, $3.50.

HELIOS broke fast and showed good speed all the way. He bore over a bit to the outside at three-sixteenths pole, where MEANY swerved to inside. HELIOS recovered quickly and outgamed MEANY in final drive. MEANY was probably a bit short. He weakened when final test came. MAEANTIC suffered most when jam came at three-sixteenths pole and was knocked sideways. He ran a smashing good race under the circumstances.

FIFTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles. Purse, $10,000 added. Florida Derby. For 3-year-olds Start good. Won easily; place, driving. Went to post at 4:26. Off at 4:32. Winner, George D. Widener's b. f. (3), by St. James—Crepuscule. Trained by W. F. Mulholland. Value to winner, $9,725; second, $2,000; third, $1,000; fourth, $500. Time, 0:34 3-5, 0:47 1-5, 1:11 4-5, 1:38, 1:50 4-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
EVENING	113	7	3	2¹½	1²	1¹	1¹	1¹	Leischman	$1.80
CATHOP	118	4	5	6ʰ	4ʰ	3½	3²	2ʰ	M. Garner	2.15
TROMBONE	118	2	4	4¹	3¹	2¹	2¹	3¹	Hanford	10.00
BAY ANGON	118	1	2	3¹	2¹	4¹	4¹½	4ʰ	Riley	28.10
RENAISSANCE	118	5	1	1ⁿᵏ	2¹	4ʰ	4½	5¹½	Robertson	†2.45
SANSARICA	114	6	7	7	7	7	6¹	6⁴	Allen	33.00
LUCKY TOM	126	3	6	5ʰ	6⁴	5¹	7	7	Pascuma	†

†J. J. Robinson entry.

Two-dollar mutuels paid—EVENING, $5.60, $3.20, $3.00; CATHOP, $3.10, $3.30; TROMBONE, $3.50.

EVENING went around her field making turn into back stretch and, drawing away into an easy lead, straightened out on back stretch and was rated under slight restraint remainder of trip. She had a lot in reserve at end. CATHOP was shuffled back at first turn. He was finally taken to outside at turn out of back stretch and wore TROMBONE down in final furlong. Latter was a forward contendeer all the way. LUCKY TOM, outrun from the break, was never a factor. RENAISSANCE and BAY ANGON showed early speed.

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 3-year-olds. Start good. Won driving; place, same. Went to post at 5:03. Off at 5:05½. Winner, Killrane Stable's b. g. (3), by General Lee—Waterloo. Trained by S. L. Burch. Value to winner, $750; second, $150; third, $100. Time, 0:23, 0:46 3-5, 1:12 2-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
SOUTHCO	111	4	6	7ʰ	6¹	4½	1ⁿᵏ	Bejshak	$2.85
MY PURCHASE	111	10	1	3¹	2¹	2½	2¹	Mills	3.35
PRINCE FOX	109	1	2	2¹	3¹	3ʰ	3ᵃ	D. Smith	7.65
PANCHO LOPEZ	104	6	4	1½	1½	1¹	4¹	Lewis	24.85
SOBIEHA	108	3	8	5¹	4¹	5¹½	5¹	Long	4.05
ZEVAR	106	2	3	6¹½	7¹	7²	6¹½	Montgomery	17.10
SNEELEK	111	9	5	4ʰ	5¹	6¹	7¹	Martin	44.30
SHIVA	114	5	7	8²	8²	8¼	8¹⁰	Hanford	5.30
DR. SYNTAX	114	7	10	9½	9²	9¹⁴	9²⁰	Wolfe	29.70
FRANK GROSSMAN	111	8	9	10	10	10	10	Allen	209.05

Two-dollar mutuels paid—SOUTHCO, $7.70, $4.90, $3.10; MY PURCHASE, $3.50, $3.00; PRINCE FOX, $5.30.

SOUTHCO broke slow and was permitted to get settled in his stride before Bejshak made an effort, came through next the inside rail entering home strech and, closing with a rush, was up right at the end. MY PURCHASE bore out in the stretch turn and finished well on the outside. PRINCE FOX, as a forward contendeer all the way. He outlasted PANOHO LOPEZ in final drive. Latter tired last furlong.

SEVENTH RACE—One mile. Purse, $1,000; claiming. Au Revoir Purse. For 4-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won ridden out; place, driving. Went to post at 5:38. Off at 5:40½. Winner, Arden Farm's br. g. (6), by Sun Briar—Edwina. Trained by W. J. McKnight. Value to winner, $750; second, $150; third, $100. Time, 0:23 3-5, 0:47 1-5, 1:12, 1:38 2-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
SUN SHADOW	108	3	5	5¹	5¹	3¹½	1¹½	Long	$1.60
BOSAFABO	111	4	2	2¹	2¹	2¹½	2¹½	Catrone	3.00
NEALON KAY	106	2	4	3¹	3¹	4¹	3¹	Prain	26.20
WAR SAINT	106	2	4	3²	3ʰ	4²	4¹	Winfrey	2.45
LORD CONCORD	105	1	1	1¹½	1¹	1½	5¹	Lewis	53.15
MIKE CAREY	111	3	3	4ʰ	4ʰ	5¹	6¹	Corbett	8.25
ANGRY PLUME	103	7	3	4¹	4¹½	4¹	5²	Fowler	53.90
BLACK FEATHER	111	9	8	6²	6¹	6ʰ	8	Decamillas	11.10
FLY GUY	106	6	6	Fell				J. Renick	64.20

Two-dollar mutuels paid—SUN SHADOW, $5.20, $3.40, $3.00; BOSAFABO, $4.80, $3.20; NEALON KAY, $5.70.

SUN SHADOW broke well, but was lightly restrained for six furlongs, forced ahead rapidly when called upon and, taking the lead in the stretch, won going away. BOSAFABO showed fine speed, kept close up all the way and held on well, although no match for the winner. NEALON KAY, in last furlong, moved up with a rush after reaching stretch and overtook WAR SAINT in last furlong. WAR SAINT raced forwardly from the start, but was weakly handled and finished on his own courage. LORD CONCORD quit after setting fast pace to stretch. FLY GUY stumbled and fell approaching turn into back stretch.

AGUA CALIENTE ENTRIES.

(FOR SUNDAY.)
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FIRST RACE—About 2 miles; purse, $600; steeplechase; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1 Owlet .....138|4 †King's Own....138
2 †Fair Bob.....145|5 †Muskogee 145
3 †Huon .....166|6 †Swansea 145
†White entry.
‡Dulany and Bosley entry.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $400; claiming; special weights; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Watch Classic..100|7 Tecolote 112
2 Russet .....108|8 Dell Dale.....100
3 Susu .....101|9 Leoden 110
4 Cuevas .....115|10 Black Agate....104
5 Black Wrack...106|11 Dapper 112
6 Rain God.....100|12 Engineer Day...106

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $400; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1 *Altavar .....110|10 *Facsimile 105
2 *Woolly Meteor.107|11 *Martinas 112
3 *Hoop .....105|12 *Salona 109
4 Maxie Binder..110|13 Brown Bank 112
5 *Brown Thistle.103|14 *Golden Oriole 112
6 Cassada .....105|15 Proctor Flus 113
7 *Bapalilla .....109|16 What a Man....112
8 *Bafflorette ....105|17 *Sun Thrills....109
9 Montferrat .....116|18 *Bad Boy.....107

FOURTH RACE—Four furlongs; purse, $1,500 added; the Don Stakes; for 2-year-old colts and geldings.

1 Beeson .....118| 9 Chief Almgren..113
2 Nappus .....110|10 Parade Rest....118
3 Snipe .....107|11 Widow Boy.....115
4 Linden Tree....115|12 Poor Pan.....110
5 Mutau .....113|13 Deepie 118
6 Campdore .....113|14 Dupee 113
7 Uncle Donald..115|15 Chubasco 113
8 Joe Macaw.....113|

FIFTH RACE—Oen and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $400; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1 Ah Pet .....115| 7 *Old Times....110
2 *Westy's Broom.101| 8 *Mme. Queen...104
3 *Own Master...108| 9 Chiclero 108
4 *Hoist .....108|10 *Sea Gold 103
5 *F.'s Favorite..108|11 *Voltear 105
6 *Mekachee .....105|

SIXTH RACE—Seven furlongs; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Jeu de Bar....108|5 Bag Smasher...116
2 La Grange.....114|6 *Silver Man....106
3 *M. Cheyenne..110|7 *Red Chili.....104
4 *Clarabel A....103|8 *Graceland 114

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Tommie Kirnan.100|6 *John Bane..... 97
2 *O No.....95|7 *Fair Boy.....95
3 *Judge Austin..105|8 Garnish 107
4 *Aye Ready.....104|9 *Sir Milar.....112
5 *Long Run.....101|

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $2,500 added; the Fashion Stake; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Seth's Hope....108|7 Durango 109
2 *Ireland.....124|8 *White. Cracker.100
3 Cabezo .....102|7 Marine 100
4 Good and Hot..106|
*Creech entry.

NINTH RACE—One and one-quarter miles; purse, $400; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1 Corral Boss....109| 7 *North. Water.106
2 *Kansas Hope...109| 8 *Black Castle..101
3 Hootinany .....109| 9 *The Orleanian.104
4 *Shasta Monk..104|10 *Single Step....104
5 *V. Vengeance..106|11 Fran. Seymour.117
6 *Bonaire .....107|

TENTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $400; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1 Chatter On....102|5 *Center March..105
2 Peterkin .....103|6 *Speedy Charlie.102
3 *Diggins .....102|7 *Parawick 100
4 *Lord Alex.....102|8 Wirt 113
*Apprentice allowance claimed.

FAIR GROUNDS RESULTS.

(Associated Press.)

FIRST—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; 3-year-olds and upward.

Albazano, 112 (O. Malley)... 4.20 2.60 2.80
Make Believe, 112 (Sylvester)... 3.20 3.60
Tiger Flowers, 112 (McCoy)..... 4.00
MacFoxie, Crowned Head, *Molly Hogan, Hayes Choice, *Don T., *Trudgeon, Lady Blenville, Super Toy and Finland also ran. Time, 1:48.

SECOND—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; 3-year-olds and upward.

Worldly Lad, 102 (G Elston) 6.00 4.80 3.40
The Duke, 112 (R. Tilden)..... 13.40 6.60
Perfect Play, 112 (A. Richard)..... 3.60
Babble, *Sunny Port, Jack Barry, Burnt Brown, Don Bonito, Hasola, *Nervator, *Thomas Patrick and Yarrow also ran. Time, 1:49.

THIRD—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; 3-year-olds.

Donna Dear, 102 (G. Elston) 7.80 4.20 3.80
Analyst, 109 (H. Thomas)..... 31.20 11.00
Southland Lad, 107 (J. Neel)..... 5.60
Drury, Lawful Gamble, Escoba Land, Broom Patch and Bag o' Gold also ran. Time, 1:49.

FOURTH—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; Black Gold Purse; 3-year-olds and upward.

Chimney Sweep, 118 (Elston) 3.00 2.40 2.20
Song Hit, 119 (Olivetta)..... 3.00 2.80
Black Tyrone, 115 (Anderson)..... 2.60
Outer Harbor, Huraway and Twill also ran. Time, 1:12 1-5.

FIFTH—Six furlongs; purse, $1,000; Say It With Flowers Purse; allowances; 3-year-olds and upward.

Surfboard, 113 (H. R. Reilly)
20.40 9.40 4.80
Abdel, 105 (O'Malley)..... 10.60 6.00
Angry, 105 (G. Elston)..... 3.40
Broad Meadows, Uncommon Gold, Tannery and Knight Commander also ran. Time, 1:12 2-5.

SIXTH—One mile; purse, $3,000; added; Derby Trial Handicap; 3-year-olds.

Sazerac, 118 (Landolt)..... 10.60 4.60 3.60
Bert John, 108 (W. Garner)..... 3.00 2.80
Crystal Prince, 110 (G. Arnold)..... 4.60
Springsteel, †Prince Farthing, †Princess A O and Jimmy Sutro also ran. Time, 1:39 3-5.
†Leiter entry.

SEVENTH—One and one-half miles; purse, $600; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.

Ken Kling, 109 (Hernandez) 3.80 3.20 2.60
Curtsey, 100 (J. Neel)..... 9.80 4.20
Vanquish, 109 (Roussell)..... 3.00
Constance Ann, Cockrill, Fortune and Flag Lieutenant also ran. Time, 2:35 3-5.

EIGHTH—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; 3-year-olds.

Miss N. Conlan, 102 (Roussell)
8.80 6.40 4.60
Marcelet, 100 (G. Elston)..... 13.60 6.80
Charlie Bills, 107 (J. Neel)..... 5.60
Loyal Louie, Prince Trafalgar, War Tide, Decemsal Array and Gay Prince also ran. Time, 1:49.

HAVANA RESULTS.

(Associated Press.)

FIRST—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

Heather Blossom, 108 (Dupuy) 2-1 4-5 2-5
June Bride, 108 (Meade)..... 8-1 4-1
Brown Mole, 108 (Gief)..... 2-1 1-2
Floria Zel, Westy's Lad, Royal Charmer, Miss Hoptown, Shabby Shoes and Flying Sixty also ran. Time, 1:14 2-5.

SECOND—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Sam Sweeney, 108 (Feeney). 10-1 4-1 2-1
Sun Dance, 108 (Pernia)..... 4-1 2-1
William J., 108 (Gief)..... 2-1 1-2
Retort, Leah Jane, May Agnes K., Silver Sceptre, Chester, Moronge, Lexington Girl and Voshell also ran. Time, 1:13 2-5.

THIRD—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

Miss Mary Lou, 108 (R. Fischer)
2-1 4-5 2-5
Excursion, 108 (Ensor)..... 3-5 1-3
Plain Ben, 113 (E. Neal)..... 1-2
Alice Del, Justa Shade, Friendly Ways, Chilonda, Lily Shot and Unstained also ran. Time, 1:14.

FOURTH—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Curtsey, 100 (Dupuy)..... 1-1 2-5 1-5
Ronald Grey, 106 (Prior)..... 1-1 1-2
Rocky Point, 106 (McLaren)..... 2-5
Fast Life, Norma Jean, Pernoel, Sandals, Fair Atina, West Virginia, Perfect Alibi also ran. Time, 1:13.

FIFTH—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Best Maifon, 107 (Meade)... 3-1 1-1 1-2
Infinitus, 109 (Maier)..... 4-5 2-5
Betty Ann, 104 (Roderick)..... 2-1
All Gold, Joan K., Skibo, My Ideal, Hold, Nelie Pebbles, Stylish Mack also ran. Time, 1:13.

SIXTH—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Golden Play, 108 (Winters).. 5-2 1-1 1-2
Honest John, 107 (Gilbert)..... 1-2 1-4
Silver Canoe, 113 (Ensor)..... 3-1
Era, Isostasy, Jodhpur, Scapegoat, High Life also ran. Time, 1:46 2-5.

SEVENTH—One mile and 50 yards; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds.

Golden Sandals, 103 (Gaither) 5-1 2-1 1-1
Abstain, 100 (Roderick)..... 3-1 6-5
Real Kid, 103 (Privett)..... 1-1
Rudbeckia, Chummy, Dianamede, Ugly Mug, Rough Rider also ran. Time, 1:44.

EIGHTH—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

Chimney Swap, 118 (Elston) 3.00 2.40 2.20
Song Hit, 119 (Olivetta)..... 3.00 2.80
Black Tyrone, 115 (Anderson)..... 2.60
Outer Harbor, Huraway and Twill also ran. Time, 1:12 1-5.

FIFTH—Six furlongs; purse, $1,000; Say It With Flowers Purse; allowances; 3-year-olds and upward.

Surfboard, 113 (H. R. Reilly)
20.40 9.40 4.80
Abdel, 105 (O'Malley)..... 10.60 6.00
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Broad Meadows, Uncommon Gold, Tannery and Knight Commander also ran. Time, 1:12 2-5.

SIXTH—One mile; purse, $3,000; added; Derby Trial Handicap; 3-year-olds.

Sazerac, 118 (Landolt)..... 10.60 4.60 3.60
Bert John, 108 (W. Garner)..... 3.00 2.80
Crystal Prince, 110 (G. Arnold)..... 4.60
Springsteel, †Prince Farthing, †Princess A O and Jimmy Sutro also ran. Time, 1:39 3-5.
†Leiter entry.

SEVENTH—One and one-half miles; purse, $600; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.

Ken Kling, 109 (Hernandez) 3.80 3.20 2.60
Curtsey, 100 (J. Neel)..... 9.80 4.20
Vanquish, 109 (Roussell)..... 3.00
Constance Ann, Cockrill, Fortune and Flag Lieutenant also ran. Time, 2:35 3-5.

EIGHTH—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; 3-year-olds.

Miss N. Conlan, 102 (Roussell)
8.80 6.40 4.60
Marcelet, 100 (G. Elston)..... 13.60 6.80
Charlie Bills, 107 (J. Neel)..... 5.60
Loyal Louie, Prince Trafalgar, War Tide, Decemsal Array and Gay Prince also ran. Time, 1:49.

GODWIN AND BARRY ARE MATCHED

One of Best Cards of Season Is Listed at Portner's Mar. 8.

ONE of the best bouts of the season will be seen in Portner's Arena here on Tuesday, March 8, when Bob Godwin, of Adel, Ga., ranking light-heavyweight, meets "Reds" Barry, Washington's champion in the heavyweight division.

Terms for this match were closed out yesterday by Frankie Mann, matchmaker of the Day Nursery A. C. Godwin, who is now in Georgia, will arrive here next week and finish his training. Bob recently fought Maxie Rosenbloom, world's light-heavyweight champion, to a 10-round draw at Daytona Beach, Fla. Many of the newspapers gave him the decision.

Match Real Test For Barry.

This match is a real test for Barry. Godwin is the best boxer he has met. Barry is real shifty and Manager Patsy Donovan states his protege is in the best shape of his career.

Recently Barry underwent an operation at Garfield Hospital in Washington on his nose. He had been troubled with breathing and since the surgeons fixed him up he has been showing great form in gymnasium workouts.

Godwin, since he appeared in Alexandria two months ago, has defeated Joe Knight, of Florida, for the championship of the South. This bout was held at Miami, Fla., in the Madison Square Garden Arena there. Godwin was given a handsome belt, emblematical of the title. He also has won from Cowboy Owen Phelps, rated as the sixth best light-heavyweight in the Nation. Bob defeated Phelps at Birmingham, Ala.

The Day Nursery A. C. was fortunate in getting the services of these two boxers and hopes to make their card on March 8, the best ever held at Portner's Arena.

Navos Likely to Fight In Semifinal.

Gabe Navos, sensational Filipino, will probably appear in the semifinal. Navos has won there matches here by knockout. He is a favorite with the fans. Matchmaker Frankie Mann will either put Navos in with Frankie Murray, of Philadelphia, or Pete Powell, of Norfolk.

Membership in the Day Nursery A. C. will be placed on sale Tuesday a Vic's Store, Ahearn's Shirt Shop, and the Auto Accessories Co. here.

TROPICAL PARK ENTRIES.

(FOR MONDAY.)
(Associated Press.)

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800: claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 *Sir Alexander 97|11 Donny Johnny.113
2 Backfire .....118|12 *Little Turkey. 97
3 Timour .....113|13 *Gan Lee.....97
4 Sour Mash....118|14 Shasta Lover...113
5 *Light Nun....108|15 Dedicate 113
6 *Dunnellen ...106|16 Estin 118
7 Evelyn Barr...108|17 *Jalpur 97
8 Play Furious...118|18 *Homework 97
9 Prince Sweetan..102|19 Lapidary 107
10 *Winn's Card.108|20 *Pretty Penny.108

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 *My Windsor.108|11 *Wand'g Gold..113
2 *Gardner .....108|12 Black Stocking.118
3 *Winnie C.....92|13 Deserve 102
4 Hurtime .....113|14 *Reservation ...102
5 *Deerfield ....108|15 Miss Chilla 113
6 *Parties .....97|16 *Star Royal 97
7 *Pal to Pal....108|17 *Don Romiro....97
8 *Miss Avondale 97|18 Nana 102
9 *Hieover .....108|19 Sir Barley 113
10 Strong Tackle.113|20 *Maunaolu 101

THIRD RACE—Five furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Nardo .....99| 6 *Pancho Lopez.100
2 *Bancicocco ....97| 7 Silver Lake....112
3 The Heathen....115| 8 Fair Jack.....107
4 Margaret Lee...104| 9 Ellice 110
5 Claremont .....109|10 Pat. Callahan..107

FOURTH RACE—One mile; purse, $800; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Lady Broadcast.118|5 Thais 90
2 Rip V. Winkle..102|6 My Dandy 111
3 Uluniu .....110|7 Full Dress.....97
4 Waterway .....114|

FIFTH RACE—Seven furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1 Princess Zelda..109| 6 *Brookside 101
2 Brown Admiral.108| 7 *Calgary Kay..103
3 Battling On....111| 8 *Playbill 103
4 *Bob's Play....106| 9 Torealong 114
5 *Cock Robin....103|10 Polyamous 112

SIXTH RACE—One mile; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1 Sky way .....106| 8 Crushed Stone..111
2 *Sir Byron .....106| 9 *Corbeau 106
3 Top Hattie.....111|10 *Stellanova 106
4 Tiger Prince....111|11 *Lord Concord..111
5 Ultramarine....106|12 Pass in Review..111
6 *Tantalizing ...111|13 Bird of Prey....116
7 Jimmie L.....111|14 *Morocco 111

SEVENTH RACE—One mile; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1 Vermiculite ....106| 8 *Workless 111
2 *Prince Toy.....106| 9 Braggadoccio 111
3 *Eleanora M....101|10 Montzo'y Maid.106
4 Spectacular ....106|11 *Kavanaugh 104
5 *Big Bo.....106|12 Stretcher 107
6 *Yarzee .....111|13 *Bo Ballot.....106
7 Enro .....111|14 *Muff 106
*Apprentice allowance claimed.

FAIR GROUNDS ENTRIES.

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CAPITAL CITY LEAGUE NINES MAY REDUCE PLAYER LIMIT

Move Would Cut Clubs to 15 Players

Aim to Give Surplus Boys Chance on Other Teams.

Later Opening Would Care for Groups in High Schools.

WHETHER the player limit of teams entered in the Capital City Baseball League, sponsored by The Post, will remain at 18 or be cut to 15 this season will be decided at a meeting of the directors of the league to be held the latter part of this week. Should the proposed change be adopted it will be the second rule to be revised by the league officials within a month with a view to increasing the caliber of the teams and of placing all on an equal footing.

The need for a cut in the number of players carried by the teams has been apparent for the last two years. Year after year team managers have signed the full number of players allowed by the league, but have failed to use all of them. Those who were not quite good enough to make the grade were obliged to warm the bench, and a boy who wants to play baseball will not remain on the sidelines very long.

Managers Seeking Change.

The situation invariably resulted in the team concluding its season with a squad of from 12 to 15 players on the roster. Several team managers recognized the need for a reduction in the size of their rosters and refused to sign more than 14 men. These men also suggested that the rules be altered in this respect.

The only real objection to the change will be raised by those teams which draw from the high schools for material. High school players are not permitted to play with teams other than their respective schools until the school series is over. Heretofore the league schedule has been inaugurated about two weeks before the final series game, thus this objection could be disposed of by opening the schedule a little later than usual.

Western High Five Beats Alexandria, 28-22

Special to The Washington Post.

Alexandria, Va., Feb. 27.—Western High School defeated Alexandria High School, champion of the Third Virginia District, 28-22, in a hotly contested game played here tonight. Alexandria assumed the lead at the outset of the game and held a 10-7 advantage at the termination of the first period. Western rallied in the second quarter, overtook the home team and was never headed. The score at the half was 17-13 in the visitors' favor. Tony Latona was high man for Western, while Schreiner was best for the locals.

	G	FG	P		G	FG	P
Latona, lf	6	2	14	Horton, lf	1	1	3
Corcoran, rf	2	0	4	Schreiner, rf	4	1	9
Inat, rf	0	0	0	Bruin, c	2	2	6
Payne, c	3	0	6	Jackson, lg	1	0	2
McArthur, lg	0	0	0	Gist, lg	1	0	2
McPh'son, lg	2	0	4	Carr, rg	0	0	0
Swanson, rg	0	0	0	Cliff, rg	0	0	0
Molineux, rg	0	0	0				
Totals	13	2	28	Totals	9	4	22

Referee—Tullach (Mercersburg).

Mount Rainier High Five Completes List

Special to The Washington Post.

Mount Rainier, Md., Feb. 27.—Mount Rainier High School Basket Ball Team has closed its second season with ten wins and nine losses. A much more ambitious schedule was played by the Mounts this winter and their showing was highly satisfactory to their followers.

Besides finishing as runner-up to Hyattsville High in the Prince Georges County championship series as the result of eliminating Bowie and Maryland Park, they scored victories over Woodward and Kendall School teams of Washington, defeated Rockville High twice, Gaithersburg High and Sherwood High of Sandy Spring.

Two games each were lost to Hyattsville High, Takoma-Silver Spring High and Damascus High and tilts also were dropped to Kendall School, Sherwood High and Washington-Lee High.

The leading scorer of the squad all members of which are slated to be available next season, was Foster Mathias, guard, who totaled 104 points in all nineteen games. He counted 48 floor goals and 8 fouls. Bob Bellman, forward, with 96 points, was second, followed in order by Charles Callow and Phil Ziegler, each with 83; Bob Emery, 55; Bob Mathias, 22; Gus Chakalakis, 19, and Scott, 10.

The team scored a total of 487 points to 367 for its opponents.

TROTTERS SET RECORD.

Pinehurst, N. C., Feb. 27 (U.P.).—Two Grand Circuit trotting horses smashed the world record over a half-mile track in a double harness exhibition at the Pinehurst Matinee Club today. The horses were Coolidge, owned by the Pine Needles Stables, Pinehurst, and Happy the Great, by H. Stacy Smith, of Newark, N. J., who drove the team in 2:09½.

The previous record, held by Smith's Happy the Great and Laurel Leaf, was 2:10½.

HITTING THE 1932 BASEBALL TRAIL

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purchased Cleveland farm club, are due Wednesday.

Richardson Springs, Calif., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The Detroit Tigers will complete their ten-day preliminary training period here Monday and move to Palo Alto, where the first batting and fielding practice of the season will be started. All the Tigers did at Richardson Springs was get their legs into condition by hikes, baths and running.

Los Angeles, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—When the New York Giants' infielders and outfielders arrive tomorrow they are going to run into some fairly well advanced pitching.

Good weather has brought John McGraw's hurling staff along fast although they've been in camp only a week. Until the batsmen find their eyes they are certain to find the pitchers a little too much for them.

McGraw said today he hoped to groom his team in keen, alert, high-speed tactics such as won the National League pennant for the Cardinals last season.

Syracuse Boxers Beaten In Feature of Navy Card

Special to The Washington Post.

ANNAPOLIS, Feb. 27.—More than 6,000 boxing fans saw Joe Moran, star 155-pound boxer of Syracuse University, register his eighteenth victory via the knockout route since he has been engaging in college fighting, in the annual meet with the Annapolis Midshipmen tonight.

The Naval lads came through victors of the meet, one of the closest ever seen here, by a score of 4 to 3, the same score by which they bowed to the Orange last year at Syracuse. That loss was the first the Middies had sustained in a dual contest in twelve years of campaigning.

Coach Webb Crosses Up Program.

"Spike" Webb, Navy coach, crossed up the program when he substituted Lee for the battle with Moran, the Orange mauler, and placed McNaughton, regular in that division, in the 165-pound bout.

Moran and Lee engaged in a heavy slugging engagement from the outset and to the credit of the Middie, it must be said that he made Moran feel he had been in a real fight, his powerful right hand jabs landing frequently to the face and body. Moran, however, picked up a slight edge in the first two rounds and forcing the issue from the bell in the third delivered terrific rights and lefts to Lee's jaw and body until he finally went down and Referee Heinie Miller awarded the decision to the Syracuse fighter on a technical knockout. Lee got to his feet but it was plainly evident that he could not continue the battle.

The defeated Middie received as much applause as did his conqueror.

The boxing meet featured a big program here, which resulted as follows:

Varsity events: Wrestling—Navy, 34; Brown, 0. Gymnastic—Navy, 45; Temple University, 9. Fencing—Navy, 9; Princeton, 8. Rifle—Navy, 1,413; West Virginia University, 1,358.

Plebe events: Boxing—Plebes, 3½; Augusta Military Academy, 3½. Wrestling—Plebes, 16; Virginia Military Institute Freshmen, 16. Swimming—Plebes, 32; Mercersburg, 30. Water polo—Plebes, 58; Baltimore Polytechnic, 3. Rifle—Plebes, 1,312; Western High, of Washington, 1,342.

VARSITY SHOOT.

NAVY.

	Prone.	Kneel.	Stand.	Total.
McDougal	100	97	92	289
Hunter	99	96	87	282
Short	98	92	91	281
Baker	99	94	88	281
Morrow	98	91	91	280
Total	494	470	449	1,413

WEST VIRGINIA.

Lea	91	92	97	280
Arsenbright	96	89	90	275
Webb	97	88	86	271
Stewart	99	81	87	267
Hall	99	88	78	265
Totals	488	437	433	1,358

PLEBE SHOOT.

NAVY.

	Prone.	Kneel.	Stand.	Total.
Rutherford	99	90	83	272
Burdick	97	79	85	261
McCallum	99	83	74	261
Wood	100	88	73	261
Lynch	97	87	73	257
Totals	492	432	388	1,312

WESTERN.

Grimm	99	96	80	275
Wilkinson	98	90	85	273
Claggett	98	92	79	269
Parkhill	99	87	80	266
Long	99	82	78	259
Totals	493	447	402	1,342

PLEBE SWIMMING.

220-YARD FREE STYLE—Won by Byland (Plebes); Taylor (Mercersburg), second; Hutchinson (Plebes), third. Time, 2 minutes 34.8 seconds.

50-YARD FREE STYLE—Won by Kelly (Mercersburg); Rohlmeyer (Mercersburg), second; Pichta (Plebes), third. Time, 25.2 seconds.

FANCY DIVING—Won by Lundwall (Mercersburg); Bright (Plebes), second; McEntee (Plebes), third.

100-YARD FREE STYLE—Won by Bristol (Plebes); Burke (Mercersburg), second; Messner (Plebes), third. Time, 1 minute 16.3 seconds.

100-YARD BREAST STROKE—Won by Brest (Mercersburg); McKusick (Plebes), second; Griswold (Mercersburg), third. Time, 1 minute 15.3 seconds.

100-YARD FREE STYLE—Won by Kelly (Mercersburg); Pichta (Plebes), second; Hyland (Plebes), third. Time, 57.2 seconds.

200-YARD RELAY—Won by Plebes (Cooke, Stevens, Pichta, Hyland); Mercersburg (Whiting, Patterson, Kihlmeyer, Brest). Time, 1 minute 45.3 seconds.

Score—Plebes, 32; Mercersburg, 30.

Plebes.	Position.	Poly.
Langlois	R. F.	Murphy
Clark	L. F.	Hasley
Outlaw	Center	Dorsey
Woodward	R. B.	Parsey
Shaffer	C. B.	Hucht
Fitzpatrick	Goal	Glaser

WATER POLO.

Score by halves:

Plebes	28	30—58
Poly	0	3—3

Substitutes: Plebes—Crosley for Langlois, Brandt for Clark, Steinmetz for Outlaw, Charrocks for Woodward, Bennett for Shaffer, Shaffer for Fitzpatrick. Poly—Vandusen for Parsey. Nicodemus for Hucht, Jacober for Hasley. Mahlinfield for Flynn. Scoring touch goals: Plebes—Outland (2), Langlois, Clark, Fitzpatrick, Brandt, Steinmetz, Bennett, Shaffer, Woodward, Crosley. Thrown goals—For Plebes, Fitzpatrick; for Poly, Hucht.

VARSITY WRESTLING.

118 POUNDS—Martin (Navy) defeated Linkamper. Time advantage, 5 minutes 21 seconds.

126 POUNDS—White (Navy) defeated Quattrochi by a fall, using a half nelson and grapevine hold. Time, 7 minutes 44 seconds.

135 POUNDS—Goodman (Navy) defeated Quillo by a fall, using a double bar hold. Time, 37 seconds.

145 POUNDS—Flagstaff (Navy) defeated Spiwak by a fall, using a bar and chancery hold. Time, 4 minutes 23 seconds.

165 POUNDS—Solomon (Navy) defeated Chapman by a fall, using a half nelson and body scissors. Time, 3 minutes 19 seconds.

175 POUNDS—Lehman (Navy) defeated Gilbane; decision. Time advantage, 1 minute, 53 seconds.

UNLIMITED WEIGHT—Kane (Navy) defeated Tritz; decision. Time advantage, 6 minutes, 40 seconds.

Navy, 34; Brown, 0. Referee—Hollebaugh (Penn State).

PLEBE BOXING.

115 POUNDS—Morris (Augusta) defeated Matthews, decision, three rounds.

125 POUNDS—Davilla (Augusta) defeated Boyle, decision, three rounds.

135 POUNDS—Bourgeois (Augusta) and Bodie fought three rounds to draw.

145 POUNDS—McCluns (Augusta) defeated Phillips, decision, three rounds.

160 POUNDS—Harold (Plebes) defeated Payne, technical knockout in second round.

175 POUNDS—Lambert (Plebes) defeated Powell. Latter defaulted after second round.

175 POUNDS (by agreement)—G. Powell (Plebes) defeated Carson, decision, three rounds.

Plebes, 3½; Augusta, 3½. Referee—Heinie Miller (Washington).

PLEBE WRESTLING.

118 POUNDS—Dalton (V. M. I.) defeated Fargas by fall, using a head lock and bar hold. Time, 4 minutes 29 seconds.

126 POUNDS—Douglas (Plebes) defeated Jones, decision. Time advantage, 2 minutes 30 seconds.

135 POUNDS—Lagilla (V. M. I.) defeated Winters by a fall, using a body scissors and arm hold. Time, 6 minutes 40 seconds.

145 POUNDS—Wright (Plebes) defeated Currance, decision. Time advantage, 1 minute 14 seconds.

155 POUNDS—Adams (Plebes) defeated Zimmerman by default. Zimmerman being unable to continue after wrestling 2 minutes of extra period.

165 POUNDS—Hunter (Plebes) defeated Emory by a fall, using hammer lock and bar hold. Time, 2 minutes 41 seconds.

175 POUNDS—Burzess (V. M. I.) defeated Schacht, decision. Time advantage, 1 minute 41 seconds.

UNLIMITED WEIGHT—Lowe (V. M. I.) defeated Wideman, decision. Time advantage, 2 minutes 55 seconds.

Score—Plebes, 16; Freshmen, 16. Referee—Hollebaugh (Penn State).

VARSITY GYMNASTICS.

HORIZONTAL BARS—Won by Curtse (Navy), 632; second, Grant (Navy), 551; third, Webb (Temple), 524.

ROPE CLIMB—Won by Connally (Navy), 4.7; second, Fahy (Navy), 5.6; third, Fawkes (Navy), 6.0.

SIDE HORSE—Won by Neussle (Navy), 560; second, Balen (Temple), 558; third, Atchison (Temple), 466.

PARELLEL BARS—Won by Curtse (Navy), 588; second, Munger (Navy), 549; third, Balen (Temple), 522.

FLYING RINGS—Won by Denton (Navy), 646; second, Stone (Navy), 544; third, Pfenld (Navy), 543. Highest score ever made in the league. Olympic prospect.)

TUMBLING—Won by Jukes (Navy), 596; second, Wiechec (Temple), 567; third, Matthews (Navy), 566.

Final score—Navy, 45; Temple, 9.

VARSITY FENCING.

EPEE—Van Evera (Navy) defeated Neary, 2-1; Galantin (Navy) defeated Curtis, 2-0; Neary (Princeton) defeated Galantin, 2-1; Van Evera (Navy) defeated Martin, 2-0.

Epee score—Navy, 3; Princeton, 1.

FOIL—Tilburne (Navy) defeated Tutt, 5-4; Waters (Princeton) defeated Grubbs, 5-4; Kait (Navy) defeated Pecora, 5-3; Waters (Princeton) defeated Tilburne, 5-3; Pecora (Princeton) defeated Grubbs, 5-4; Kait (Navy) defeated Tutt, 5-2; Pecora (Princeton) defeated Tilburne, 5-4; Grubbs (Navy) defeated Tutt, 5-3; Waters (Princeton) defeated Browne, 5-3.

Foil score—Princeton, 5; Navy, 4.

SABER—Dimitrijevic (Navy) defeated Young, 5-2; Pecora (Princeton) defeated Adams, 5-2; Young (Princeton) defeated Douglass, 5-4; Dimitrijevic (Navy) defeated Pecora, 5-4.

Saber score—Navy, 2; Princeton, 2.

Summary—Navy, 9; Princeton, 8.

Director—Pasche (New York Fencers Club.

VARSITY BOXING.

115 POUNDS—Wright (Navy), defeated Ray Burkett, decision, three rounds.

125 POUNDS—Capt. Al Werthelmer (Syracuse), defeated Miller, decision, three rounds.

135 POUNDS—Herb Fulmer (Navy), defeated Charlie Burns, decision, three rounds.

145 POUNDS—Ross (Syracuse), defeated Kenna, decision, three rounds.

155 POUNDS—Joe Moran (Syracuse), defeated Lee, technical knockout in third round.

165 POUNDS—Jimmie McNaughton (Navy), defeated Mike Kortch, technical knockout in third round.

175 POUNDS—Arthur (Navy) defeated Al Gutzman, decision, three rounds.

Referee—Heinie Miller, of Washington.

V. P. I. Wrestlers Win Over Davidson, 22-8

Special to The Washington Post.

Blacksburg, Va., Feb. 27.—Winning all bouts except the 155 and 165 pounds, Virginia Polytechnic's wrestling team defeated Davidson College matmen, 22 to 8, in the final contest of the indoor sports season here this afternoon.

Capt. Graves, 135 pounds, and Bob Gibbs, unlimited, won their bouts for Poly by falls. Taylor, 165 pounds secured the only fall for the visitors, by pinning White in 5 minutes 17 seconds.

Capt. Graves made more secure his nomination for all-Southern honors by versatile display of mat science in pinning Tyack in a rough and tumble bout. The Poly leader closed his career with only two defeats to his credit in four years of college wrestling.

115-POUND CLASS—Price (Tech) defeated Porbis. Time advantage, 6:30.

125-POUND CLASS—Mitchell (Tech) defeated Capt. Gorham. Time advantage, 2:57.

135-POUND CLASS—Capt. Graves (Tech) defeated Tyack. Fall in 6:33.

145-POUND CLASS—Allison (Tech) defeated Ashcraft. Time advantage, 5:40.

155-POUND CLASS—Conway (Davidson) defeated Hardwick. Time advantage, 1:56.

165-POUND CLASS—Taylor (Davidson) defeated White. Fall in 5:17.

175-POUND CLASS—Waldrop (Tech) defeated Wilson. Time advantage, 7:45.

UNLIMITED—Gibbs (Tech) defeated Whitfield. Fall in 4:21.

Cards Hope to Add Mobile Club to Chain

St. Louis, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Sam Breadon, president of the St. Louis National League Club, said tonight that the Cardinal management was negotiating for the Mobile franchise in the Southeastern League, with plans to use the club as a Cardinal farm. He said he expected to announce completion of the deal soon.

Company F to Meet Annapolis Foe Today

Special to The Washington Post.

Hyattsville, Md., Feb. 27.—A basket ball game bringing together old First Regiment rivals will be staged on the National Guard Armory court here tomorrow afternoon as Company F of Hyattsville meets Company M of Annapolis in the feature contest of a double-header. Company F Reserves will face Maryland Aces of Capitol Heights in a preliminary at 2:30 o'clock.

Company M is the first team of the Maryland National Guard that the Hyattsville Soldiers have met this season.

Four Prince Georges County basket ball quints will compete in the District A. A. U. tournament next week in Washington. One unlimited, two 130-pound and one 100-pound teams are listed to appear.

Company F of Hyattsville is the unlimited combination, Shipleys and Mount Rainier Boys Club are the 130-pound quints and another Mount Rainier Boys Club Team will hold forth in the 100-pound whirl.

Draw for A. A. U. Court Tourney Due Tomorrow

THE serious business of making the draw for the District A. A. U. basket ball tournament, which starts Tuesday, is being attended to by officials of the big joust over the week-end, but probably will not be completed until late tomorrow.

In order to keep strong contenders from meeting in the early rounds of the tournaments, the practice of "seeding" teams will be followed this year. The method is to have an impartial board pick out the several potentially best teams in each division, and plant them as far apart from each other in the tournament draw as is possible.

This will go far toward preventing such instances as marked the opening night of the tournament last year when the strong Jewish Community Center team, in the unlimited division, was removed from play by the equally strong Calvary M. E. five. On the other hand the separation of the supposedly favored teams in the race will spur on the many "dark horses" who will be placed against them.

A gala opening night is the prospect for Tuesday at Tech High when Dr. George C. Havenner, executive vice president of the George Washington Bicentennial Commission, will toss up the first ball, sending the first of 100 teams into spirited conflicts for seven District A. A. U. championships.

Players whose amateur registration cards expire during March, after the start of the tournament, are urged to secure new cards before Tuesday. Players will not be eligible to play without up to date cards. Any player who has not yet received his amateur card, but who has sent in his application, should get in immediate touch with the Boys Club.

G. W. BEATEN BY A POINT BY RIDER

Parrack Is Star as Colonials Bow by 40 to 39 Score.

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY'S Basket Ball Team ended a sad season sadly last night at Tech High Gymnasium when it succumbed to Carnegie Tech, 36 to 26, capping a fiscal campaign in which defeat overtook it 12 times out of 18 starts.

Carnegie Tech, roaring into Washington with a first-rate record and a coterie of outstanding basket ball players, bid fair to give Georgetown the worst defeat in recent Hoya history at the start of the game, when Georgetown was unable to score from the floor until 15 minutes of the game had ticked away, and Carnegie was coasting along on the crest of a 16-1 lead, led by the fiery-headed Jim Fergus.

Carolan and Bonniwell checked the flow of Carnegie Tech baskets to some extent by injecting their own marksmanship into the fray in the last 2 minutes of the first half. The score was 19-10 at the turn.

King Leads Attack.

Dick King, dogged Georgetown forward, picked up the frayed ends of his team's play after Carnegie had gone to 25-10 after three minutes of the second half. King, fighting his way out of rough play beneath the Georgetown basket, took the ball the length of the floor and sank the first two points of his individual rally. On successive plays he eluded the ponderous and fleet visitors to sink a snowbird, a foul and a potshot.

Georgetown climbed to 21-26 midway in the period, but Fergus returned to the game, and Lou Jagnow, one of the best players to show here this year, worked beautifully conceived block and pivot plays to send their club safely away, and home to victory.

In the preliminary game Tech High wound up its season in fine fashion by beating the Hilltop Freshmen, 40 to 30.

Georgetown.	G	FG	P	Carnegie.	G	FG	P
King, lf	3	1	7	Smith, lf	3	1	7
V.Murphy, lf	1	0	2	Silverman, lf	0	1	1
McCarthy, rf	1	0	2	Jagnow, rf	7	2	16
Bonniwell, rf	3	1	7	Webster, rf	0	0	0
Connors, c	0	0	0	Stentz, c	1	0	2
Heide, c	0	0	0	Edelblut, c	0	0	0
Crowley, lg	0	0	0	Leonard, lg	0	0	0
Gordon, lg	0	0	0	Roudab'gh, lg	0	0	0
Carolan, rg	1	7	9	Fergus, rg	4	2	10
				Seisel, rg	0	0	0
Totals	8	10	26	Totals	15	6	36

Referee—Eberts (C. U.).

Tech.	G	FG	P	G. U. Frosh.	G	FG	P
Reichardt, lf	3	0	6	Hardigan, lf	10	4	24
Thomas, rf	0	3	3	Korman, rf	0	0	0
Daly, c	2	0	4	Fox, rf	0	0	0
Russell, lg	1	0	14	Young, c	1	0	2
Wheeler, rg	6	1	13	Corliss, lg	1	0	2
				DelVechio, rg	1	0	2
Totals	18	4	40	Totals	13	4	30

Loudoun Represented In Kentucky Derby

Special to The Washington Post.

Upperville, Va., Feb. 27.—Several Loudoun thoroughbreds appear in the list of nominations for the fifty-eighth renewal of the Kentucky Derby, to be run at Churchill Downs, Louisville, Ky., May 7. In the lot is Electra, son of Prince of Wales, purchased for the account of Mrs. John Hay Whitney at a recent sale here of thoroughbreds owned by E. B. McLean. Mrs. Whitney also has nominated Over Time, son of The Porter, and Stephen Fetchot.

Other northern Virginia breeders who hope to get their thoroughbreds to the post in the turf classic include Mrs. W. Plunkett Stewart, of the Plains, with Rash Moment; H. T. Archibald, The Plains, with Westy Junior; Miss Isabelle Dodge Sloan, Upperville, with Maca, Monday and Snap Back.

Lynchburg Five Beats Hampden-Sydney, 35-28

Special to The Washington Post.

Lynchburg, Va., Feb. 27.—Jumping off to a 14-to-0 lead in the first few minutes of play on some spectacular field goals, Lynchburg College's attack then wilted and they had to depend upon their accuracy from the foul line in the second half to hold the lead, finally defeating Hampden-Sydney here tonight, 35 to 28. After the Hornets' early lead the Tigers spurted and at half time the score was 19 to 15, with the former ahead. Moore was the only Tiger able to score consistently, leading all with 16 points. Wiebel was hurt in the second half and had to leave the game, but not until he topped the Hornet scorers with 11 points.

Lynchburg.	G	FG	P	Ham.-Sydney.	G	FG	P
Wiebel, f	4	3	11	Berryman, f	2	0	4
Johnson, f	0	0	0	Talbot, f	0	1	1
Barnum, f	2	4	8	Gordon, f	0	0	0
Hurt, c	4	1	9	Moore, c	5	6	16
Eckstine, c	0	0	0	Crawford, c	0	1	1
Younse, c	0	1	1	Bradford, g	0	0	2
Sartick, g	2	2	6	Dingwall, g	2	0	4
Totals	12	11	35	Totals	10	8	28

St. John's Varsity, Frosh Beats Hopkins

Annapolis, Md., Feb. 27—St. John's College tossers brought their basket ball season to a close tonight by scoring a double victory over their ancient rivals of Johns Hopkins in varsity and freshmen contests. The varsity came through, 34 to 23, after a hard battle, but the Johnnie freshmen buried their Blue Jay rivals under a score of 50 to 13.

Tonight's win was the second plastered against Hopkins this season, the teams having met a few weeks ago in Baltimore. By these victories alone, St. Johns counts the season a big success. The local lads won a majority of the games, though the few losses included one at the hands of Maryland by a close score.

St. John's.	G	FG	P	Hopkins.	G	FG	P
Carpenter, f	5	2	12	Kelly, f	1	2	4
McCartee, f	3	0	6	Stude, f	3	0	6
Trader, f	0	0	0	Wood, c	2	1	5
Zeigler, c	5	0	10	Siegel, g	1	1	3
Lotz, g	2	0	4	Russell, g	2	1	5
Sanford, g	1	0	2				
Cassassa, g	0	0	0	Totals	9	5	23
Totals	16	2	34				

Referee—Menton (Baltimore). Umpire—Schmid (Bucknell).

MISS WILLIAMS WINS.

Ormond Beach, Fla., Feb. 27 (A.P.). Miss Frances Williams, Allentown, Pa., withstood the threat of Miss K. Bragaw, Orange, N. J., today and won the South Atlantic women's golf crown when she dropped a seven-foot putt on the seventeenth green for a 2-and-1 victory.

SEEKS RECORD.

Santa Fe, Argentina, Feb. 27 (A.P.). Seeking a world's distance record, Pedro Candioti, Argentine swimmer, started to swim from here to Buenos Aires, 300 miles to the south, via the Parana and Plata rivers, today. His two previous attempts to complete the swim resulted in failure.

HICKEY WINS C. U. MEET FEATURE

Capital Boy Breaks Conger's Mark in Ryan 1,000.

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heat won by McMahon (C. U.); second, Ryan (unattached). Time, 5 4-5 seconds; third heat won by Lyons (C. U.); second, Schencker (Temple). Time, 6 seconds; fourth heat, won by Sheridan (Lafayette); second, Meyers (Tech); time, 5 4-5 seconds; fifth heat won by Love (Virginia); second, R. Ade (W. & L.); time, 5 4-5 seconds; sixth heat won by Edmond W. & L.); second, Scarlett (Princeton); time, 5 4-5 seconds; seventh heat won by Franz (C. U.); second Languin (Lehigh); time, 5 4-5 seconds; eighth heat won by Widmeyer (Maryland); second, Baumberger (Navy). Time, 5 3-5 seconds.

440-YARD OPEN HANDICAP—First section, won by L. Dykas (Stonewall Jackson Club); time, 56 seconds; second, Thomas (Maryland), 56 1-5 seconds; second section won by Weaver (Princeton); time, 54 4-5 seconds; second, Dranganis (C. U.); time, 55 3-5 seconds; third, Clark (Lafayette); time, 56 seconds.

FINAL—Won by Weaver, handicap 10 yards; second, Dranganis, handicap 12 yards; third, tie between Clark and Dykas (new record; old mark set by J. Davis (C. U.) at 55 1-5 in 1931).

50-YARD LOW HURDLES, OPEN (SEMIFINALS)—First heat won by Finkelstein (W. and L.); second heat of semifinals won by Franz (C. U.); second, Whittaker (Navy).

50-YARD LOW HURDLES, OPEN (FINALS)—Won by Finkelstein (W. and L.); second, Everett (Virginia); third, Franz (C. U.). Time, 6 1-5 seconds (meet record).

THREE-MILE DISTRICT A. A. U. CHAMPIONSHIP—Won by E. Wiles (Central Y. M. C. A.); second, John Duncan (Maryland); third, Hammerlund (Maryland). Time, 17 minutes 20 seconds.

ONE-MILE HIGH AND PREP—Won by J. King (N. Baltimore Poly); second, Hayes (Hyattsville); third, Wilson (West Catholic). Time, 4 minutes 49 2-5 seconds.

50-YARD LOW HURDLES, HIGH AND PREP (FINALS)—Won by Slye (Eastern); second, Carron (Eastern); third, Stoffer (Eastern). Time, 6 2-5 seconds. (Ties old record, made by Slye in 1931.)

INTERCOLLEGIATE 1-MILE VARSITY RELAY, SECTION A—Won by Lafayette (Dyson, Ward, Siegfried, Nagle); second, Maryland; third, Lehigh. Time, 3:44 1-5. (Meet record. Old record held by Lafayette at 3:49 4-5, in 1931.)

TWO-THIRDS MILE RELAY, JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS—Won by Hyattsville; second, La Salle of Cumberland. Time, 2 minutes 42 seconds.

880-YARD OPEN HANDICAP—Won by Tom Campbell (C. U.), handicap 10 yards; second, Mel Sheppard, jr. (Princeton), handicap 18 yards; third, C. Sparrow (W. and M.), handicap 12 yards. Time, 2 minutes 6 2-5 seconds.

60-YARD DISTRICT A. A. U. CHAMPIONSHIP—Won by Bob Connor (C.U.); second, Pete Dranganis (C.U.); third, Reichel (Maryland). Time, 1 minute 34 2-5 seconds.

1-MILE OPEN—Won by Hishley (Navy); second, Hagley (Navy); third, Averhoff (C.U.). Time, 4:42.

440-YARD DASH, HIGH AND PREP—Tie for first between Neary (LaSalle, Philadelphia) and (Babcock (Central); third, Hartman (Tech). Time, 55 seconds.

RYAN 1,000—Won by John Hickey (C. U.); second, Hartman (Navy); third, Johnson (W. & M.). Time, 2:20 4-5. (New record; old record held by Ray Conger at 2:22 4-5 in 1931.)

TWO-MILE RUN, INTERCOLLEGIATE—Won by Gibson (Navy); second, W. Griffith (Navy); third, Baker (Villa Nova). Time, 10 minutes 15 3-5 seconds. (New record; old mark held by Gwynne, of Baltimore Police, at 10 minutes 32 1-5 seconds, in 1931.)

INTERCOLLEGIATE HIGH JUMP—Won by Bacon (W. and M.); second, Lipschutz (Temple); third, Read (Temple). Height, 6 feet 2 inches. (New record; old mark held by Conway, of Navy, at 5 feet 11 inches, set in 1931.)

880-YARD HIGH AND PREP—Won by P. Bullard (John Marshall of Richmond); second, C. Sholtes (Western); third, Kent (La Salle). Time, 2 minutes 16 seconds.

ONE-MILE INTERCOLLEGIATE RELAY—Won by Princeton (Johnson, Whitton, Keown, Darby); second, Navy; third, W. and M. Time, 3 minutes 42 1-5 seconds. (New record. Old mark held by Lafayette at 3 minutes 49 4-5 seconds, set in 1931).

Hurler Ray Benge Signs Phil Contract

Winter Haven, Fla., Feb. 27 (A.P.). Ray Benge has come to terms with the Phillies, Business Manager Gerald P. Nugent announced today, and will sign his 1932 contract when he arrives here from Huntsville, Tex., to begin training next week.

With Benge signed, every member of the pitching and catching staffs will be in line. The right-hander won 14 games for the Phils last season and lost 18. He had an excellent earned run average.

Northeast Hup Pinmen Beat Richmond Team

Although Maxie Rosenberg's Northeast Hupmobile bowling team last by 2 pins to the Richmond Royals, 2,770 to 2,768, at Convention Hall last night, the locals, nevertheless, won the match by virtue of the 83-pin lead obtained at Richmond a week ago. Joe Harrison was high for the Hups, rolling a game of 139 and set of 572.

N. E. HUPMOBILE (2,768).

Clark	114	112	99	—	—
Pricci	105	107	89	100	120
J. Harrison	102	139	114	131	86
Wolstenholme	114	123	109	111	114
McPhilomy	121	119	120	111	105
Rosenberg	—	—	—	106	106
	548	600	531	578	531

RICHMOND ROYALS (2,770).

Hanson	113	125	117	110	109
Elnford	108	101	106	118	108
Baker	100	100	111	109	107
Dobson	132	101	98	104	115
Baugh	98	115	139	135	91
	551	542	571	576	530

Shore, Buchanan Still in Running

Four Other D. C. Netmen Eliminated From Maryland Indoor Title Play.

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 27.—Of six Washingtonians who started play today in the seventh annual Maryland State men's indoor tennis championship tournament, only two—Frank Shore and William Buchanan—remain.

After winning by default from Leonard Johnson in the first round, Buchanan advanced by turning back Edward Griepenkerl, 7—5, 10—12, 6—4, at the Fifth Regiment Armory. Buchanan is scheduled to oppose Ralph Robinson at noon tomorrow i nthe third round, and the winner will meet Price Colvin at 1:30 in the quarter finals.

Shore has a tough assignment on his hands tomorrow. He will meet Eddie Jacobs, sixteenth in national ranking, and seeded No. 1 in the other quarter finals match, also at 1:30 p. m.

Shore was victorious twice today, his victims being Joseph Skrentney, by 7—9, 6—1, 6—4, and Benjamin Gart, 6—0, 6—1.

Scores of other Washingtonians:

First round—Elmer Rudy defeated Arthur Atwood, Washington, 6—0, 6—3. Joseph Hogan defeated M. G. Martinez, 6—2, 6—1.

Second round—Wilson Duvall defeated Joseph Olhausen by default. M. Page Andrews defeated Burton Decker, Washington, 6—0, 6—4. Aaron Miller defeated H. Ritzenberg, 6—2, 6—2.

ONE MISSED KICK.

Raleigh, N. C. (A.P.).—Stove-side athletic contests here have recalled that "Runt" Faucette played four years, 1919-22, on the North Carolina State varsity football team and kicked every point after a touchdown, except the last one of the last game.

St. John's and Georgetown Gain 2 All-Prep Positions

THE POST'S ALL-PREP SELECTIONS

Name, School.	Position.	Name, School.
Tom Keating (Georgetown Prep)	L. F.	John Hartnett (St. John's)
Roger Lao (Gonzaga)	R. F.	Fred Scheele (St. John's)
John McCarthy (St. John's)	Center	Joe Nurre (Georgetown Prep)
Mike Scanlon (St. John's)	L. G.	"Bits" Chesley (St. Alban's)

TY COBB NOT INTERESTED IN BASEBALL AS SPECTATOR

Former Star Now Golf 'Addict'

To Help Coach Seals Between Forays on Links.

Says Baseball Bores Him in Role as Noncombatant.

By PAUL MICKELSON.

CHICAGO, Feb. 27.—Ty Cobb has thrilled millions of baseball fans in his diamond career, but as a spectator he can't get one thrill from the game in return. "It's a funny thing," the famous Georgian admitted during a fanning bee, "but I can't get a single kick out of the game now that I'm through as a player.

"Sure, I think baseball is a great game, the one and only national pastime, but when I watch it from the sidelines—well, frankly, I'm bored.

"Maybe it's because I played the game so hard when I was in it. Maybe it's because I have to have a bat in my hand or go charging down the base lines. Anyway, I usually go to twelve games or so a year and then find myself walking out about the fourth inning."

Good Old Days Gone Forever.

"It's funny, too," he mused, "that I can't seem to get any satisfaction in talking about the good old days. I know a lot of old-timers who like nothing better than to recall some of their biggest thrills as a player, of how they cracked a home run with the bases full or of how they struck out the side with the bases loaded and won the game 1 to 0 in the last inning. When I try to reminisce, I find myself thinking about golf."

"How do you think big league baseball as played now compares with that of your best days?" he was asked.

"Well, I think the lively ball has spoiled the game for the spectators," he shot back. "With the old dead ball, we used to keep the spectators on their feet and in the ball park until the last man was out the ninth inning.

"Why? Because the scores were close and hard to get. The players had to play smarter baseball to get their precious runs. But now many games are over after the first few innings. A team cracks out a lot of hits and runs in a lot of scores. The rest of the game is a drag. It's no fun watching a game with one side leading by several runs with no hopes of winning.

"And another thing. Baseball is in a critical era. Something must be done to make it the undisputed national pastime. Just take a look at our public playgrounds, for instance. Appropriations are made there for almost every sport except baseball.

Baseball Passed Up In Olympics.

"Just think of it—America is playing a football game as its representative sport in the Olympic Games. Football isn't our national game. It's baseball. Yet they're going to play football just the same!"

Baseball hasn't seen the last of Cobb. Between rounds of golf he will assist the San Francisco Club of the Pacific Coast League as guest coach this spring. Sometime he may become a director of a club.

"But I'll never be seen on the field again," he snapped. "I've had enough there. I've given the best in me for 25 years, and I don't want to compete mentally or physically any more except from a business angle."

Golf, his new hobby, is bringing Cobb back to baseball this spring.

The famous Georgian, who thrilled millions for almost a quarter of a century with his exploits on major league diamonds, will join the San Francisco Seals of the Pacific Coast League at their spring training camp as soon as possible and act as guest coach between whacks at the elusive golf ball.

STRONG LEGS CONSIDERED ASSET FOR ANY ATHLETE. —By Robert Edgren

Post's Weekly Round-Up of Bowling News, Comment From Capital Alleys

SANICO LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
La Belle	49	11	King	27	36
Fagan	46	11	Fuller	24	33
Upperman	38	22	Willis	24	36
Tiencken	36	24	Hendrick	18	39
MacFall	30	33	Wynn	5	52

RECORDS.

High team game—Fagan, 622. High team set—La Belle, 1,733. High individual average—Bittenbender, 110-25. High individual game—Reid, 155. High individual set—Bittenbender, 384. High strikes—8, Thorpe, 32. High spares—Bittenbender, 132.

LUTHERAN LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
St. Mark's	46	20	Luther Place	31	32
Georgetown	46	20	Incarnation	30	36
St. Paul's	42	24	Takoma Grays	29	37
Takoma Blues	40	26	Grace	24	42
St. John's 2	38	28	Christ	23	43
Trinity	38	28	Zion	22	44
St. John's 1	36	30	Reformation	17	49

RECORDS.

High team set—St. Paul's, 1,639. High team game—St. Paul's, 566. High individual set—Morrisette (St. Paul's), 382. High individual game—Morrisette (St. Paul's), 149.

NAUTICAL DUCKPIN LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Wash. Canoe 1	43	23	Colonial	29	37
Drifters 1	43	23	Wash. Canoe 2	23	38
Bonzai Canoe	42	24	Potomac Boat	28	38
El Dorado	33	33	Anchor	28	38
Drifters 2	33	33	Wash. Canoe 3	25	41

BRONZE MEDAL CONTEST.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Drifters 2	8	4	Wash. Canoe 3	4	8
Colonial	7	5	Anchor	3	9
Potomac Boat	4	8			

RECORDS.

High team game—Colonial, 602. High team set—Washington Canoe No. 1, 1,794. High individual game—Nuber, Washington Canoe No. 1, 162. High individual set—Frederick, Washington Canoe No. 1, 406. High individual average—Frederick, Washington Canoe No. 1, 114-1. Greatest number of strikes—Frederick, Washington Canoe No. 1, 46. Greatest number of spares—Frederick, Washington Canoe No. 1, 152.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Patents 2	9	0	B. of Mines	2	4
Patents 1	8	1	B. of Standards	2	7
F. & D. Com.	5	1	C. & G. Survey	1	8
Patents 3	6	3	B. of Census	0	9

RECORDS.

High team game—Bureau of Standards, 593. High team set—Patents, No. 2, 1,718. High individual game—Price (Bureau of Mines), 145. High individual set—Woods (Patents, No. 2), 386. High individual average—Roeser (Bureau of Standards), 117.

ODD FELLOWS LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Phoenix	42	21	Central	33	36
Mt. Pleasant	42	24	Friendship	29	34
Amity 1	37	26	Eastern	32	40
Amity 2	39	30	Langdon	29	37
Harmony	36	30	Fred. D. Stuart	22	38
Mt. Nebo	35	34	Columbia	19	50

RECORDS.

High team game—Amity, No. 2, 603. High team set—Amity, No. 2, 1,749. High individual game—N. Groff, 152. High individual set—N. Groff, 397. Greatest strikes—C. H. Groff, 32. Greatest spares—F. Donaldson and P. Elett, 152. High individual average—P. Elett, 112-35.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Genoa	44	25	Nina	35	34
Marquette	41	25	Columbia	34	35
Cortez	38	28	Ovando	33	36
Balboa	34	29	Pinta	32	37
San Domingo	37	32	Soto	30	36
Champlain	37	32	Palos	28	41
Salvador	36	33	Santa Maria	28	41
Trinidad	34	32	La Salle	19	44

RECORDS.

High team game—Marquette, 603. High team set—Marquette, 1,749. High individual game—Houlihan (Ovando), 156. High individual set—Smith (Columbia), 390. Weekly prize—Houlihan (Ovando), 156 (50 pins over average).

ELECTRICAL LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Gen. Arm. 1	53	13	Elec. Stor. Bat.	32	37
Pot. El. Power	53	16	Doubleday-Hill	30	39
Creel Bros. 1	48	21	Pepco, F. 2	28	41
Natl. El. Sup.	42	24	Elec. League	25	41
Pepco, F. 1	41	28	Graybar Elec.	24	45
Warren & Co.	41	28	Gen. Arm. 2	23	46
Evans & Bro.	40	29	Miller-Dudley	20	46
Westinghouse	37	32	Creel Bros. 2	8	61

RECORDS.

High team game—Pepco, Station F, No. 1, 596. High team set—Pepco, Station F, No. 2, 1,680. High individual game—Brill (Moyer), 160. High individual set—Moyer, 397. High individual average—Brill, 110-11. High strikes—Brill, 37. High spares—Brill, 152. High weekly game—Pillsbury, 147.

TAKOMA DUCKPIN ASSOCIATION.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
B'wood P. O.	47	22	Mattingly	36	33
Cathedrals	44	22	Pk. Inn Lunch	29	31
Park Pharm.	43	24	Bliss Electrical	31	36
Fruit Gr. Exp.	42	24	Colo. Serv. Sta.	33	36
B. of B'wood	41	28	Pk. Auto Sales	31	39
Tak. Journal	39	30	Tak. Phillies	26	40
Youngblood	39	30	Pk. View Bears	23	46
Old Col. Laun.	38	31	Sou. Bldg. Sup.	16	47
City Cab Co.	35	31	San. Grocery	8	55

High team game—Takoma Phillies Co., 638. High team set—Takoma Phillies Co., 1,730. High individual game—Barrett, 169. High individual set—Barrett, 401. High individual average—Strickler, 114-10. High strikes—McDonald, 38. High spares—Deffenbaugh, 155.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION. LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Mails and Files	45	24	Directors	34	35
Land Section	44	25	Valuation	33	36
Examiners	40	29	Shortened Pro.	31	38
Traffic	39	30	Informal Cases	28	41
Recapture	38	31	Engineers	24	45
Attorneys	35	34	Accountants	23	46

WAR DEPARTMENT LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDING.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Hydrographic	42	18	Ft. Humphreys	30	30
Engineers	36	24	Reproduction	30	30
Statistics	36	24	Adjutants	28	32
Finance	36	24	Firing Squad	26	34
Pickles	34	26	Howitzers	24	36
Construction	32	28	Panama Canal	27	37
Auditors	32	28	War College	20	40
Barracks	31	29	Officers	19	41

High team game—Statistics, 603. High team set—Hydrographers, 1,726. High individual average—Penfold, 111-54. High individual game—Feaster, 160. High individual set—Penfold, 402. High individual strikes—Warman, 30. High individual spares—Penfold, 150.

NATIONAL CAPITAL LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Pale Drys	43	17	King's Palace	30	30
Rinaldi Tailors	36	24	Farnan's	26	31
Lucky Strike	35	25	Barnes Auto	23	37
Takoma	32	28	Judd & Det	21	36
Temple	32	25	Y. & Simon	15	45

DISTRICT LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
N. E. Temple	43	17	Petworth	30	33
Hecht Co.	28	23	Lucky Strike	28	29
Conven. Hall	31	26	Rendezvous	27	33
Fount. Hams	29	28	King Pin	26	37
Hyattsville	32	31	Columbia	23	36

MEN'S AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Farm Mgt.	42	21	Horticulture	30	33
Grain	39	24	Cooperation	29	34
Fruits & Veg.	32	31	Standards	27	36
Nomics	31	32	Crop Estimates	22	41

RECORDS.

High individual averages—Dixon, 113-47; McClure, 108-21; Lewis, 108-13; Barber, 107-30; Palmer, 106-41. High individual games—Dixon, 166; Huntington, 154; Park, 152; Lewis, 147; Cooper, 146. High individual sets—Dixon, 437; Rohrman, 393; Terwisse, 376; Barber, 369; Ferrall, 367.

CLARENDON BUSINESS LEAGUE NO. 2.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Ballston Mkt.	45	24	Arnold Op. 2	35	34
Bluege A. C.	44	25	Clarendon A. C.	34	35
Arnold Op. 1	41	28	Clarendon Hdw.	8	61

RECORDS.

High individual average—Johnson, 102. High individual game—Ball, 154. High individual set—Berge, 357. High spares—Wright, 106. High strikes—Sahnow, 16. High team game—Arnold Operated No. 1, 544. High team set—Ballston Market, 1,531.

CLARENDON FRATERNAL LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Jr.O.U.A.M. 1	44	16	Fraternal Dec.	26	31
Jr.O.U.A.M. 2	37	23	Ch'ydale Jr.	23	34
Monarch Club	31	26	Cap. Tr. Relief	21	39
Fraters	32	28	I. O. F. 193	20	40

RECORDS.

High individual average—Weakley, 104. High individual game—C. Stewart, 162. High individual set—C. Stewart, 381. High team game—Jr. O. U. A. M. No. 1, 564. High team set—Jr. O. U. A. M. No. 1, 1,632.

COMMERCIAL DUCKPIN LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Daily News	42	21	Wonder Bread	30	33
Peoples Drug	37	26	Sterrett Service	30	33
Evening Star	36	27	Times-Herald	26	37
Diamond Cab	34	29	W. & Lothrop	26	37
Carry Ice Cr.	33	30	Occiden. Hotel	21	42

RECORDS.

High team game—Times-Herald, 605. High team set—Daily News, 1,711. High individual average—Burrows, 111-6. High individual game—Hamilton, 165. High individual set—Baird, 392. High strikes—Bailey, 33; Crane, 33; Magee, 33; Weidman, 33. High spares—Bailey, 143. High game for the week—Burrows, 150. High set for the week—Burrows, 370.

AUTOMOTIVE LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
S. H. Horner	45	18	Skinker Motor	33	30
L. P. Steuart	44	19	Packard Motor	30	33
Em. & Orme	44	19	H. B. Leary	25	38
Buick	43	20	Trew Motor	23	40
Steuart	42	21	Mott Motors	15	48
Pohanka	34	29			

PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND PARKS LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Surveyors	51	15	Shops	31	35
Administrative	43	23	Accounts	29	37
Parks	42	24	Potomac Park	29	37
Triangle No. 1	41	25	Main	27	39
Supply office	38	28	Park Police	14	52
Horticulture	37	39	Engineers	13	53

METHODIST PROTESTANT LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
First Church	50	10	Calvary	27	33
R. I. Ave. No. 1	43	17	Mt. Olivet	27	33
Cherrydale	38	22	Mt. Tabor	26	34
N. C. Avenue	35	25	Asbury	22	38
Congress St.	33	27	R. I. Ave. No. 2	22	38
Lewis Memor.	30	30	Ministers	18	42

RECORDS.

High team game—Rhode Island Avenue, No. 1, 585. High team set—First Church, 1,625. High individual game—Weakley (Mount Olivet), 149. High individual set—Haeghe (North Carolina Avenue), 376. High strikes—Howard (First Church) and Deck (First Church), 29 each. High spares—Kline (Rhode Island Avenue, No. 1), 123.

MASONIC LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Parker	45	21	Mt. Pleasant	34	32
Centennial	42	24	Hiram	34	32
Singleton	39	24	Arminius	32	31
Naval	40	26	Columbia	33	33
King David	40	26	Joppa	31	32
Pentalpha	40	26	Takoma	30	34
St. John's	40	26	National	30	36
Whiting	39	27	Petworth	28	35
Potomac	39	27	Harding	27	36
Lebanon	37	26	Roosevelt	27	39
New Jerusalem	37	26	Hope	24	42
La Fayette	36	28	Dawson	23	43
Stansbury	38	28	Federal	21	42
Harmony	38	28	West Gate	22	44
Barrister	38	28	Albert Pike	19	44
Gompers	35	31	Cathedral	17	46
Acacia	33	30	King Solomon	13	50

High team game—King David, 643. High team set—King David, 1,819. High individual averages—Phillips, King David, 115-63. High individual game—Stoner, Singleton, 173. High individual set—Stoner, Singleton, 416. High strikes—Phillips, King David, 41. High spares—Litchfield, King David, 182.

KING PIN BUSINESS MEN'S LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Chest. Farms	49	17	Hecht Co.	33	33
Five Greeks	44	22	Hecht Annex	33	33
Lansburgh 1	36	27	Natl. Litho.	32	34
First Amer.	37	29	Lansburgh 2	25	41
King Pin 2	35	23	Nationals	18	48
Union W. Pap.	34	32	Maccabees	16	50

RECORDS.

High team game—Hecht Co., 662. High team set—Hecht Annex, 1,866. High individual game—Miller (Chestnut Farms), 154. High individual set—Royall (Chestnut Farms), 418. High individual average—Holtz Smith (King Pin), 114-12. High strikes—Yeager (First Americans), 39. High spares—Logan, 145.

CLARENDON BUSINESS LEAGUE. NO. 1.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Havens Ice	49	21	Spitzer Service	43	26
Cla. Lunch	46	23	Quality Shop	42	27
Marcey Bros.	43	23	Arlington Tile	31	29

RECORDS.

High individual average—McIntyre, 111. High individual game—McShea, 156. High individual set—McIntyre, 403. High spares—Talbott, 126. High strikes—McShea, 30. High team game—Havens Ice Coal, 619. High team set—Havens Ice Coal, 1,800.

CLARENDON COMMERCIAL LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Boyer Drug	42	24	Kelley & Son	33	33
Cla. C. & D.	35	28	Dean	29	31
F. & George	35	31	Rucker Lumber	18	48

RECORDS.

High individual average—Furr, 109. High individual game—Manning, 152. High individual set—Crutchley, 398. High spares—Manning, 121. High strikes—Goff, 28. High team game—Dean, 594. High team set—Floyd & George, 1,696.

FRATERNITY LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Kappa Phi	44	16	Chi Sig. A.S.L.	24	36
Alpha A. I. K.	42	18	Sig. Lambda Nu	23	37
Sigma Delta	41	19	Kap. Sig. A.S.L.	23	37
Phi Sigma Chi	38	22	Phi Delta Zeta	20	40
Sig. Phi A.S.L.	28	32	Eta A. I. K.	17	43

RECORDS.

High individual set—Miller, 403. High individual game—Potter, 150. High individual average—Cotter, 114-16. High team set—Phi Sigma Chi, 1,684. High team game—Alpha A. I. K., 600.

SPORTS WRITERS LEAGUE.
TEAM STANDINGS.

	W.	L.
Costello-Ferrall	3	0
Warren-McAlwee	2	1
Fitzgerald-Rubinton	2	1
Stan-Blick	2	1
Fuller-Thomas	2	1
Katznell-Simi	2	1
Flynn-Wood	1	2
Fry-Haight	1	2

RECORDS.

High individual average—Ferrall, 109. High individual game—Ferrall, 146. High individual set—Ferrall, 365. High team game—Costello-Ferrall, 843. High team set—Costello-Ferrall, 662.

BLAEHOLDER SIGNS.

St. Louis, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—George Blaeholder, St. Louis Brown pitcher, who has been a holdout, signed a one-year contract today and will leave for training camp with other batterymen tomorrow. Terms were not disclosed.

SPEAKING OF TENNIS

By BOB CONSIDINE

THE SENSITIVE schnozzle of that grand old promoter of rassling matches, Mons. Joe Turner, sniffed eloquently at the portals of tennis last week, but reconsidered, and the local game prematurely lost the hand of a man who might well do the sport much good in Washington, particularly in winter months when tennis players have been known to degrade themselves to the extent of ping pong and badminton because there are no indoor courts on which to play.

Joe was up in New York mapping out the wrestling campaign for the coming fiscal year, when who should he bump into but Joe "Toots" Mondt, a partially reformed bone bender. Toots and Jack Curley are just like that, and Jack had pouted to toots that Mons. Turner was a very good customer for wrestlers, but why didn't he put on a little class and bring William T. Tilden the twice to Washington.

Well, Joe said he'd see about. The N. E. A. conference had dug all the chairs in the Auditorium out of their sockets and a great wide-open space resulted. The only drawback was that the court would have had to be marked off under the gallery, which left only a 14-foot clearance Tilden would have bumped his ears on the girders. And Tilden was booked up all during March.

So the plan collapsed. But it must not be allowed to pass. Toots took it upon himself to acquaint Joe with the lowdown on Tilden and his local appearance. "He has not been to Washington since he turned pro in 1925, right after he beat that Chink three games in the Walker Cup Matches."

Maybe I'm cuckoo.

Glue an orb on Miss Sarah Moore, if you're looking around for one of the topnotch women players here next season. Miss Moore has a game besides which the games of many local men fade into puerility. She bangs a ball with first class speed and seems to know where they are going.

Miss. Moore has adopted the only sure way of improving—playing against masculine competition. Her brother is hardly competition for her any more. She gives Gene Hermann, Washington's leading midwinter player, a real battle.

It looks like the National Public Parks Association can begin to brag about Lester Stoefen, the 19-year-old, 6-foot 5 Californian, who capped a fine year of play not long ago by handing Ellsworth Vines that worthy's first defeat since "Oh Yeah?" was acceptable patois.

Stoefen played in the National Municipal championship in 1928, at Cleveland, going to the final round only to lose to George Jennings. For a whole week he was a public parks player.

Stoefen, however, learned to play in the parks. He claims he mastered every stroke in the category in a week.

I'm a stanch believer in professional tennis, but I am rather fearful about what is going to become of it when the flagpole shafts of Bill Tilden propel him across the backline for the final time. Tilden believes he can maintain his game for five more years, until he is in his 45th year. I hope so.

The trouble is this matter of competition. After the first rush of signing up amateurs, Mons. Curley seems to have lost his touch. Tildren is wearing out his opponents, until Hans Nusslein seems to be the only one capable of drawing a gate in a match with Tilden. Kozeluh, Richards, Burke, Hunter and Pare are still as good as every, but Tilden has beaten them all so decisively and without remorse that people are staying away from matches in droves. Tilden is holding the professional game together, but the fodder for his lethal racquet is becoming as scarce as Government efficiency reports without a decimal addition.

DROP SHOTS.

George Mashall's superduplex court, in back of the Shoreham, is being readied. . . . Wardman Park Hotel and Columbia will be the first to open up on clay. . . . Tom Mangan and Doug Love were at the final game of The Post's prep school tournament. . . . Ray Gable is lawyering for Needham C. Turnage. . . . They're showing racquet presses in the shape of a Gothic arch. . . . No good player in the world carries a racquet case with partitions for balls and shoes . . . Johnny Doeg, in his book, says Helen Wills Moody wears an eyeshade to keep the sun out of her eyes . . . Now there's something that's been troubling us for years.

Gilbert Hunt is back in form, safely over a bad case of eye strain . . . You ought to see Anthony Latona play basket ball.

McCall-Cascade Dog Derby Won by Stover

McCall, Idaho, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Roy Stover, Cascade musher, drove his dog team to victory in the 60-mile McCall-Cascade Dog Derby which finished today.

In today's 30-mile heat, however, he ran behind Mrs. Thula Geelan, only woman driver in the race.

Stover's total time for the 60-mile dash from Cascade to McCall and back to Cascade was 4 hours 37 minutes 25 seconds.

Mrs. Geelan finished second in the total time with 4:39:35, and Glen Rape, driving the Stonebraker team from Cascade, finished third in 4:41:30.

The last three miles of the course was over bare road, the sleds dragging heavily.

Crowley Declines Iowa Coaching Bid

East Lansing, Mich., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—James H. Crowley, head football coach at Michigan State College, today rejected the offer of the University of Iowa to take over the gridiron coaching assignment at the Hawkeye institution.

Pancho Seeks Delay Of Wolgast Match

Honolulu, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Midget Wolgast, of Philadelphia, and Young Pancho, of Manila, arrived today from opposite sides of the globe for a battle of flyweights scheduled March 12.

Pancho's manager, saying Pancho had been seasick all the way from Manila, asked for a postponement until March 26.

SKIER BREAKS LEG.

Take Tahoe, Calif., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Casper Olmcen, of Canton, N. Dak., defending national amateur ski jump champion, broke his ankle today during a practice jump at the twenty-eighth annual national championships here.

DEMPSEY BOOKED.

Columbus, Ohio, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Jack Dempsey, former world heavyweight boxing champion now seeking a comeback, will fight two two-round exhibition matches here March 7, Matchmaker Herman Hamer announced today. His opponents have not yet been named.

From Tee to Green

Henry Litchfield West

Though in putting I will never be a hero,
Though I can not hit a long and screaming drive,
Just because I still am living,
I have reason for thanksgiving,
And I thank the gracious Lord that I'm alive.

I can never be a really champion golfer,
I can not make an average of five,
But with health and strength possessing,
I accept them as a blessing,
And thank the gracious Lord that I'm alive.

So I wander 'round the course in deep contentment,
Nor to emulate the experts will I strive;
Though my game be far from snappy,
I will manage to be happy,
And I thank the gracious Lord that I'm alive.

DESPITE the fact that only three club invitation tournaments are scheduled for the coming spring, Washington golfers have every reason to be satisfied with the program of major events. Qualification rounds for both the national open and national amateur are to be played here, followed in the early fall by the National Capital open at Kenwood, while the national amateur championship is to be staged on the Five Farms course, near Baltimore, only an hour's ride by automobile from this city.

Both the qualifying rounds will bring to Washington the leading professionals and amateurs of the Maryland, Virginia and District of Columbia section, insuring a large and representative field in each event. The national open qualification comes first, on June 6, with entries closing on May 17.

Two criticisms have already been advanced regarding the conduct of this contest. In the first place, June 6 comes on Monday, and with the course selected crowded on the preceding Saturday and Sunday, the professionals will be compelled to play their last practice round on Friday.

Later Date Would Have Been Better.

A date some time later in the week would have been more satisfactory to the professionals, to say nothing of the fact that Monday is their weekly holiday. However, the day has been fixed, so that the discussion is purely academic.

The question of the number of professionals who will be allowed to qualify is also a matter of consideration. Last year the limit of eligibles was three, and A. L. Houghton, the Kenwood Club professional, thinks that the number should be increased. It is pointed out, however, by "Sandy" Armour, the professional at the Congressional Country Club, that this is a matter altogether dependent upon the professionals. "We are allowed one entry," he says, "for each ten entrants, and unless the professionals and their assistants all combine and enter, the number is necessarily restricted. As you know, McLeod and I always go to Pittsburgh to qualify, for we have a better chance in a large field. If we can increase the number of entrants in our sectional qualification we can secure a larger representation in the national event."

In the national amateur qualification all players are eligible who have a handicap of four and under, and the same basis of representation, one in each ten entrants, prevails. A canvass of the golfers in this section, including Baltimore, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington, made last year, showed that there are between 80 and 100 golfers who meet the handicap requirement. Last year six amateurs were allowed to qualify but with a larger entry list this year, which is possible, the number will be increased.

The selection of the Chevy Chase course for the amateur qualification on August 16, announced definitely and exclusively in The Post last week, gave universal satisfaction, especially to the board of governors of the club when they learned the fact at their regular monthly meeting last week.

Hopes to Make Event Successful One.

"We greatly appreciate the compliment which is to be paid us," said Robert Stead, jr., chairman of the golf committee, "and we will do everything in our power to make the event successful. We ought to have a large field. Hitherto, the would-be qualifiers have been confronted with a long and expensive trip to the scene of the national tournament. This year the competition will be held in Baltimore, which is easily accessible. We will cooperate fully with the national, sectional and local golf associations in arranging the numerous details, and will make every effort to have our course in perfect condition. Everything that can be done will be done."

William Ullman, playing the course of the Congressional Club last week, had ten one-putt greens in his round of eighteen holes. As his foursome were playing for putts, Ullman added materially to the princely fortune he has already accumulated as an expert golfer.

Since the first of the year, Fred McLeod, the Columbia Club professional, has been playing his course with some remarkably fine rounds. He has never been over 74 and several of his scores have been between 67 and 69.

The point of the story is that McLeod has been accomplishing these feats with the so-called balloon ball, and will probably continue to use it instead of the ball with the new weight. It is true that numerous low scores are being made in California and Florida with the new ball, but McLeod is thoroughly satisfied with the one in use last year.

In this connection it is worth while to note that Ralph Beach, former Chevy Chase and Burning Tree professional, now connected with the Suburban Club, Baltimore, and president of the Middle Atlantic Professional Golfers Association, is of the opinion that the standard ball last year was not as unsatisfactory as many golfers claimed.

Present Ball Too Heavy For Its Size.

On the contrary, he says that the present ball is too heavy for its size and is not the best weight for many golfers who are handicapped by their physique. Of course, the 1.55 ball is still legal and the latitude which is allowed is quiet agreeable to Bob Barnett, the Chevy Chase professional, who thinks that any golfer ought to be allowed to play with any ball that suits him best.

Mrs. Otis F. Glenn, chairman of the women's golf committee of the Kenwood Club, is doubtful whether her club can furnish a team for the women's interclub team matches owing to a lack of players with low handicaps. "We may develop enough good golfers by the time the season opens," she said last week, "but otherwise it would be unwise for us to go into the series. We want to play, but we need the players."

At the annual meeting of the Indian Spring Club tomorrow night, Herbert A. Mihills will be elected president for the fourth consecutive time. H. P. Brown, a well-known patent attorney, will be elected vice president.

Like all the other clubs, with one notable exception, Indian Spring allows its members to exercise their judgment in voting for members of the board of governors. Ten names have been submitted, with six to be elected. The nominations include Dr. George A. Baker, Thomas M. Belshe, C. F. Brookes, J. William Harvey, jr., Frank Kennedy, Dr. George W. Maxfield, D. M. McNeale, Charles F. O'Connell, William H. Pattison, Forrest Thompson and Fred Walen.

Two Approaches Holed Out on Same Hole.

On the Indian Spring course last week L. T. Souder was playing against Hugh Phillips. On the twelfth hole Souder pitched his ball into the cup from a considerable distance on the green for a 5 and expected, of course, to get a half with his opponent, whose ball was 30 yards off the green. Did he? He did not. Phillips chipped his ball into the cup for a 4. Two approaches holed out on the same hole is not an every-day performance, and Souder says that it isn't fair.

Dr. S. T. Noland, playing the course of the Washington Golf and Country Club last week with Charles W. Healy as his partner against Dr. R. N. Sutton and Dave Thomson, the club professional, had an unusually good score. He covered the second nine in 33 strokes as follows: 4 3 4 3 2 5 4 4 3 —33.

While this was a low score, it might have been much lower. His ball hit the cup for a 3 on the tenth, for a 2 on the eleventh and for a 3 on the twelfth. He missed an eagle on the thirteenth by 2 inches and on the eighteenth his second shot rolled around the cup and stopped on the edge, narrowly missing another eagle. His only bad hole was the sixteenth, where he was one over par, not reaching the green with his second shot. If the balls that hit the pin but failed to drop into the cup had registered he would have rivaled P. W. Calfee's famous card of 30 for the second nine.

Making Good Scores at Army-Navy Club.

When the Army-Navy Club holds its spring invitation tournament next May, the members of the club hope that some of them will be included among the winners. Capt. H. K. Fielder played the course last Sunday with a fine 74, while Maj. E. A. Noyes, who has figured prominently in local tournaments, went around in 76. Capt. R. B. Luscomb and Capt. James Notestein are also

SOUTHEAST SECTION SPONSORS PAGEANT

Colonial Costume Dance to Be Part of Bicentennial Function Thursday.

The contribution of the Southeast section of the city to the Bicentennial celebrations, through the Community Center Department of the Public Schools, will be a pageant and colonial costume dance at the Buchanan Auditorium, Thirteenth and D streets southeast, on Thursday evening.

"Living Pages from Washington's Diary" will be depicted by members of the Southeast Drama Club, assisted by members of the community. The colonial dance to follow the pageant is one of a series of Thursday night dances given at this branch of the Southeast Community Center. Prizes of gold will be presented to the contestants wearing the most attractive colonial costumes.

The affair has been arranged by Mrs. H. E. Cournyn, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Titlow. A chorus of young people will sing the colonial songs and dance the colonial minuet.

The stage properties have been planned and constructed by E. Olson.

Members of the cast are Freida L. Koegel, taking the part of the Archivist, whose candle weaves the spell; Cordelia Pollard, the spirit of bygone years; Louis Hesen and Mable Hesen, as George and Martha Washington; Mary Taltavul as the mother of George Washington. The symbolic characters are taken by Louis Hesen, jr., Melvin Gillott, Dorothy Taltavul, Florence Hesen and Betty Titlow. Guests at Mount Vernon are taken by members of the community, including Mrs. Helen M. Garges, Mr. R K. Higgins, Mrs. Clara Kuell and others.

Democratic Economic Plank Is Seen as Need

Indianapolis, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The 1932 Democratic platform must contain a plan for correcting the present economic situation or the party will be defeated at the polls next November, Senator Edward J. Costigan (Democrat), Colorado, told the Indiana Democratic Editorial Association in winter meeting here tonight.

"Democracy will make a supreme mistake if it relies on victory by default in 1932," the senator said. "It will neither win nor deserve to win if it pursues the course charted out by faithless and insincere spokesmen in a world in which economic storm clouds lower as never before in our history."

4,700-Pound Shark Killed in Hard Fight

San Francisco, Feb. 27 (U.P.).—A 4,700-pound shark, subdued and killed only after several shots from an elephant gun had been pumped into it, was brought here today by the crew of fishing boat No. 8 of the San Francisco International Fish Co.'s fleet. The shark was said to be the largest caught on the Pacific Coast in years.

According to Capt. Pete San Filipo, the shark, leading a school of other monsters, became entangled in the boat's sardine net off Santa Cruz. It destroyed a $4,000 net and ruined the boat's chances of sardine fishing, he said. The shark measured 26½ feet from snout to tail.

400 Armed Men Stop Labor Lecture inFinland

Mantsala, Finland, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Four hundred armed men, some with machine guns, broke up a labor meeting here tonight with a fusillade of bullets, and warned Mikko Erich, Social Democrat member of the Diet, who was lecturing on Marxism, never to show his face in Mantsala again.

The lecturer and his audience fell flat on the floor when the firing began. Local authorities had been warned of the intended attack and had 40 police at the meeting, but they were powerless to prevent the raid.

ARMY DAY INCLUDES WASHINGTON THEME

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A similar communication has been received from Department Commander Charles B. Jennings, of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, that the Overseas Band, Drum and Bugle Corps of about 80 pieces, the department officers and staff and the massed colors of the 14 posts will participate. Similar communications are being received from the other veteran and patriotic organizations.

President Hoover has advised Gen. John Ross Delafield, commander-in-chief of the Military Order of the World War, that he would be pleased to accept the invitation to review the parade with his Cabinet and official staff. Senator Simeon D. Fess, chairman of the United States George Washington Bicentennial Commission, has notified Maj. Bettelheim as follows:

"My dear Maj. Bettelheim:

A reply to your letter of the twentieth was delayed because of my absence in Chicago at the time it was received.

I note your suggestion as to a place in the parade on Army Day for the George Washington Bicentennial Commission and also a place in the reviewing stand.

This suggestion will meet with the approval of the commission, and I shall be very glad to have you make the arrangements in accordance with your letter.

Yours very truly,

SIMEON D. FESS.

Vice President, U. S. Commission.

Maj. Edwin S. Bettelheim, jr., at the headquarters of the Military Order of the World War, is general chairman to whom communications concerning participation in the parade should be addressed.

Army Day cermonies will culminate with a banquet and dance at the Hotel Mayflower, in the evening, to which prominent officials have signified their intention of attending.

Today's Happenings

Breakfast—League of Laymen's Retreats, Mayflower Hotel, 9:19 a. m.

Diplomatic salon—Bureau of Commercial Economics, Shoreham Hotel, 9 p. m.

Address—J. Russell Smith, Friends Meeting House, 8 p. m.

Lecture—Secular League, 1006 E street northwest, 3 p. m.

INTRODUCED TO WASHINGTON YESTERDAY

New Nash convertible sedan—one of the five of the new series cars just announced. All the models are long and low with slanting windshields, wide graceful streamline bodies and "beavertail" backs.

7 SCOUTS HONORED WITH EAGLE BADGES

More Than 100 Life and Star Awards Are Also Made to Troops.

At the Boy Scout Court of Honor held last night at Powell Junior High School, Eagle badges were awarded to the following seven scouts: Eugene Kefauver, of Troop 9; James E. Gammon, of Troop 12; Myron Smith, of Troop 17; Joe Simpson, of Troop 22; John McBurney, Iverson Hutton and Randall Jones, of Troop 57.

More than 100 Life and Star awards were made in addition to the presentation of Troop Efficiency Rating Stars to Troop 3, conducted by the Christ Church, Georgetown; Troop 7, conducted by the Foxall Village Citizens Association; Troop 8, conducted by All Souls' Memorial Episcopal Church; Troop 12, conducted by the Sherwood Presbyterian Church; Troop 17, conducted by the Western Presbyterian Church; Troop 20, conducted by the Epworth M. E. Church; Troop 25, conducted by the Church of the Covenant; Troop 28, conducted by the Lincoln Road M. E. Church; Troop 33, conducted by the Takoma Park Presbyterian Church; Troop 34, conducted by the Masonic and Eastern Star Home, and Troop 36, conducted by the Takoma Park Baptist Church.

Others included Troop 38, conducted by the Takoma Trinity Church; Troop 43, conducted by the National Baptist Memorial Bible School; Troop 49, conducted by the Park View Community Center; Troop 51, conducted by the Mount Pleasant Congregational Church; Troop 52, conducted by All Saints Episcopal Church; Troop 54, conducted by Chevy Chase Baptist Church; Troop 57, conducted by the Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church; Troop 69, conducted by the Columbia Heights Christian Church; Troop 70, conducted by the Fourth Presbyterian Church; Troop 72, conducted by the Church of the Pilgrims; Troop 77, conducted by the First Baptist Church; Troop 88, conducted by All Souls' Memorial Church; Troop 92, conducted by the Christ Child Society; Troop 95, conducted by St. Joseph's Home and School; Troop 96, conducted by the Nativity Church; Troop 98, conducted by the Langdon M. E. Church; Troop 100, conducted by the Y. M. C. A.; Troop 101, of Ballston, Va.; Troop 104, conducted by the Clarendon M. E. Church South; Troop 125, conducted by the Sunday school of Cherrydale M. P. Church; Troop 150, conducted by the Annandale Community League; Troop 208, conducted by the Mount Rainier M. E. Church South, and Troop 233, conducted by the Warner Memorial Presbyterian Church.

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when ratified by the Legislatures of the several States as provided in the Constitution:

ARTICLE.

"Section 1. The terms of the President and Vice President shall end at noon on the twentieth day of January, and the terms of senators and representatives at noon on the third day of January, of the years in which such terms would have ended if this article had not been ratified, and the terms of their successors shall then begin.

"Section 2. The Congress shall assemble at least once in every year, and such meeting shall begin at noon on the third day of January, unless they shall by law appoint a different day.

"Section 3. If at the time fixed for the beginning of the term of President, the President-elect shall have died, the Vice President-elect shall become President. If a President shall not have been chosen before the time fixed for the beginning of his term, or if the President-elect shall have failed to qualify, then the Vice President-elect shall act as President until a President shall have qualified; and the Congress may by law provide for the case wherein neither a President-elect nor a Vice President-elect shall have qualified, declaring who shall then act as President, or the manner in which one who is to act shall be selected, and such person shall act accordingly until a President or Vice President shall have qualified.

"Section 4. The Congress may by law provide for the case of the death of any of the persons from whom the House of Representatives may choose a President whenever the right of choice shall have devolved upon them, and for the case of the death of any of the persons from whom the Senate may choose a Vice President whenever the right of choice shall have devolved upon them.

"Section 5. Sections 1 and 2 shall take effect on the 15th day of October, following the ratification of this article.

"Section 6. This article shall be inoperative unless it shall have been ratified as an amendment to the Constitution by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several States within seven years from the date of its submission."

2 Burned as Gas Well At University Blazes

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—A natural gas well on the campus of the University of Buffalo caught fire today and two men were severely burned, one so badly he may die.

The men, Andrew Brunner, 63, and his son, Norman, 27, were pumping out water which had seeped into the well. The father was burned on the head and body and hospital physicians said his condition was critical. The son was less seriously injured.

Glassford Orders Diaries For Efficiency on Beats

Modern Business Methods Will Be Applied to Each Patrolman's Area with Any Lawlessness to Be Reported in Detail.

Modern business methods are to be applied to every beat patroled by a policeman in the District of Columbia.

Brig. Gen. Pelham D. Glassford, superintendent of police, has evolved a plan by which every characteristic of a beat is to be indexed and kept up to date by the beat men under supervision of their commanding officers.

Gen. Glassford has designed a compact portfolio which he expects to have duplicated many fold and distributed among the precincts. One of these will be marked for each beat.

Every alleged speakeasy, gambling house, and other places of disrepute will be listed in a loose-leaf folder to be contained in the portfolio.

All three men assigned to the 24-hour beat will be required to give a careful study of the data in the portfolio before going on duty. This is expected to cut down the time usually taken for roll call at the precincts. Instead the men will be allotted a certain amount of time to perusethe portfolio's contents.

All complaints involving the beat in question will be immediately filed in the folder. Warrants to be served, summonses and other duties falling upon patrolmen will be inserted in the portfolio by the station clerk.

Another purpose to be served by the portfolio will be its aid in cases where men are transferred from one beat to another, on days off of the regular patrolman. Thus a new man coming on the beat can obtain a comprehensive knowledge of its characteristics by a survey of the reports in the portfolio.

Among Us Motorists

Discussing Those Matters That Concern Us All

By WILLIAM ULLMAN

In State motor vehicle departments they do not believe that automobiles are a luxury. It would be impossible to do so after the contrary evidence that has been adduced during the period of the depression and, very particularly, during the interval of reregistration of cars now ending.

When a man sends in a gold watch that obviously is a family heirloom, or a cherished gift, asking the State officials to reissue his driver's permit and hold the timepiece as security until he gets the two or three dollars, it means he wants and needs his car.

The same is true when a woman collects her prized rings and other jewels and forwards them to the motor vehicle department for the same purpose.

Are these isolated, exaggerated cases? They are not. Many a desperate car owner followed this course in an effort to get his operator's license renewed or new tags for his car this year. So many, in fact that one State, Pennsylvania, found it necessary to issue a bulletin upon the subject which read:

"Watches, rings or other pieces of jewelry will not be accepted as pledges for payment of the $2 fee for motor vehicle operator's licenses.

"Recently we have had a number of applicants for 1932 operators' licenses offer their watches as security for payment of the $2 fee until such time as they have the cash. While the department likes to accommodate residents of the State, we can not accept collateral of any sort. Only checks, postoffice money orders, or money will be accepted."

Are those who have tried to obtain licenses in this unusual way stubbornly clinging to a standard that they no longer can hope to support? Motor vehicle officials make no such sweeping indictment of those who thus put up a fight for their favorite method of transportation.

Many of them, they say, are farmers. Their land has yielded them enough foods—meat, fruits, vegetables—to take care of that aspect of living. They have shelter. Likewise, they have fuel, another product of the land they own.

Two of their primary needs thus are taken care of without the expenditure of money. They lack the cash that is needed to provide them with transportation which, in turn, is essential to breaking their isolation. They have no other means of hauling their produce to market than their cars and the exchange which brings them in their pitifully small amount of cash is thus interrupted.

It is not a matter of clinging to a false, excessively high standard, in the opinion of those who have seen car registrations drop nearly one-half million in the last twelve months. On the contrary, it is an effort to sustain a necessity.

The offering of jewels as security in the obtaining of a license is rather a convincing proof of that point of view.

A Sign of Progress.

A friend was lamenting to a prominent traffic official that motorists and pedestrians were making exactly the same mistakes they always had.

"Not exactly," was the reply. "I'll bet it has been many a day since you saw any pedestrian try to walk diagonally across a downtown street intersection.

Midget Life in England.

If it were not recounted by England's foremost motoring publication, the veracity of the story could not be credited for a moment. But, that is where it is told and this is the story:

A motorist, driving a midget car, ran up too close behind a hay-laden wagon, out of the rear end of which a long pole protruded. The pole went through the windshield and pierced the rear window glass. The driver was unhurt, but no end embarrassed. His embarrassment increased when the driver of the wagon, oblivious of its suddenly acquired appendage, kept right on going. The motorist tried to break free by applying the brakes. The horses kept plodding ahead and the little car went with them, brakes and all.

Finally, the motorist opened the door, jumped out of the car and ran around to the wagonneer and induced him to stop and help free the car.

Significant Figures.

Those who propose periodic mechanical inspection of automobiles offer some large figures to sustain the wisdom of such campaigns. More than 2,000,000 defects in headlights, nearly 1,000,000 faulty brakes and 217,000 inefficient steering mechanisms were found in 3,500,000 cars tested in nine States in their last campaigns.

From Here and There.

A motor vehicle commissioner of more than average prominence points out that the rigid economy motorists are practicing in maintaining their cars is affecting safety adversely. * * * And, right on top of it, comes the announcement that service rates on repairs and maintenance are lower than they have been in years. Big and little shops are trying to keep their good mechanical staffs together rather than to make a profit. * * * Collision accidents are on the increase—indicating that motorists are driving faster and stopping more slowly * * * Persons with the quickest reaction time are not always the safest drivers. Sometimes the nervous energy that makes them react quickly also accounts for them going to pieces in an emergency.

Did You Know That—

The principle of decarbonizer which dissolves carbon in the combustion chamber by means of a liquid has the wider ratification of car manufacturers this year?

That Michigan has a law which requires that all passenger cars be fitted with nonbreakable glass by 1934?

The most powerful passenger automobile engine is not a sixteen-cylinder type, but an eight with 265 horsepower.

Another name for the clock type or dial type speedometer with which so many of the latest model automobiles are equipped is "tachometer" type.

At the rate cars are being lowered, it will not be long until the running board must disappear altogether, many designers think. A running board on a really low model actually makes entrance to the body more difficult.

Many Saloons in Berlin Bar Beer in Tax Protest

Berlin, Feb. 27 (U.P.).—Berlin was a virtually beerless city tonight. Most saloons bore placards reading "No beer." These were the yellow strike placards prepared as part of a concerted opposition to newly devised governmental taxes.

While an occasional saloon was to be found offering beer in some sections, the north and east sections were actually beerless. Saloons in those parts of Berlin offered cheap wines and ciders, but the customers made wry faces at these beverages. Places still selling beer were doing heavy business. Railroad station restaurants were especially crowded.

$135 in Chandelier Vanishes.

Mrs. Ida Epps, of 629 Rhode Island avenue northwest, told police that $135 which she had secreted in a chandelier of her home was missing. She discovered the loss yesterday.

Noted Contractor Files Petition in Bankruptcy

Boston, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—George W. Harvey, of Newton, a building contractor who was nationally known for his developments in Florida, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in Federal court today listing his liabilities at $7,833,040.42. His assets were set at $126,904.33.

Harvey listed secured claims at $3,029,619.50 and unsecured at $4,719,198.46. One of the largest creditors was C. C. Chillingsworth, of West Palm Beach, Fla., and a note on the petition said "Obligations under lease of property on land at West Palm Beach, Fla.—99-year lease, $3,560,000."

Mooney Host to Anglers Club.

William M. Mooney, District Postmaster, was host to the Anglers Club at its semiannual dinner last night. The feast was held in the Columbia Country Club, Chevy Chase, Md. The Anglers group is one of the city's oldest clubs.

NASH-ORR TO OPEN NEW DISPLAY TODAY

27 Models in Five Groups to Be Shown at Storeroom in Fourteenth Street.

Twenty-seven new models in five groups are announced today by the Nash Motor Co. and having their initial display at the salesroom of the Nash-Orr Motor Co., local distributor, located at 1522 Fourteenth street.

In the line there are four straight eight groups and a big six series. Leading the presentation is the Ambassador Twin-Ignition Eight Series, with 125 horsepower and a wheelbase of 142 inches.

The Advanced Twin-Ignition Eight series, with 133-inch wheelbase, develops 125 horsepower; the Special Twin-Ignition Eight, with 128-inch wheelbase, 85 horsepower, and the big six, on 116-inch wheelbase, affords 70 horsepower.

Silent, underslung worm drive axles—a major engineering advancement of the Ambassador 8, Advanced 8 and Special 8 Series—are among the most important of the new Nash comfort, economy and performance achievements.

Other Features of Line.

Other features of the entire line include the new X-Dual, twist-proof frames with the massive X-Dual member extending practically the entire length of the chassis, to supply virtually two frames in one and afford battleship strength; new dash regulated, full range shock absorber control; new centrifuse cast iron lined brake drums on all eights; aluminum alloy connecting rods, drilled for oil—an exceptionally costly engineering practice in all of the motors—and aluminum alloy pistons; silent synchro-shift transmission and synchro-shift free wheeling; new improved carburetion with air-cooled gasoline lines; complete sound-proofing of all bodies and chassis; new silent dual mufflers; larger tires on smaller, sturdier wheels, and body and chassis refinements.

The new Nash "slip-stream" body designs constitute one of the most important advancements of recent years. Two principal factors are involved in this basic design, which adds infinitely to the grace and beauty of the entire line. The first tends to minimize air resistance, making it possible for the cars to slip through the air with less effort, with less fuel consumption and at higher speeds. The second leads to a better utilization of the space within the bodies for the comfort and pleasure of driver and passengers.

A number of interesting details contribute to these accomplishments. The attractive V-shaped fronts of all the cars serve to split the wind at high speeds. Slanting windshields slip the air stream upward instead of offering a flat surface to air pressure, and the curve of the new fenders merging into the new steel-and-rubber running boards also reduces the elemental pressure. The sweeping curve of the roof line continues the slipping action. New Nash bodies are widest at their center, narrowing down toward the rear. This also tends to slip the air away at both sides. The curving or "beavertail" back design, which is a dinstinctive feature, is another important factor. It reduces the "pull" set up by swirling air which ordinarily whirls behind a swiftly moving car and creates a vacuum behind the body, thus holding the car back.

Underslung Worm Drive.

The new underslung worm drive, which actually improves with use and is one of the longest-lived, most silent and trouble-free units known to motor car engineering, permits two essential improvements. It reduces the over-all height of the cars without decreasing headroom, thus increasing driving safety and roadability, and makes it possible to cradle the rear seat in a position ahead of the rear axle, instead of directly over it, as in conventional bodies. With both front and rear seats located between the axles and consequently away from direct axle contact, road jars and vibration, a new and sensational "cradled" riding action is produced.

Outstanding engineering features, in addition to twin-ignition and other established Nash developments, include new, ribbed type rear axles in Standard 8 and Big Six models; full range ride control operated from a convenient lever on the dash; effortless synchro-shift transmission with silent second gear and perfected synchro-shift free wheeling; automatic chassis lubrication, which cares for vital chassis bearings as the car runs, in Ambassador 8, Advanced 8 and Special 8 models; exceptionally long chassis springs with new metal spring covers on the big eights. A new vacuum pump on the Ambassador and Advanced 8 models provides positive windshield wiper action at all speeds.

Additional Features.

Additional features are reinforced motor blocks; new camshafts providing silent valve action; nine big main bearings in all eights and seven main bearings in the big six; hollowed crankpins; new oil filters; improved water temperature control in the motor block to aid quick warm-up; new, air-cushion rubber motor mountings; exceptionally quiet fans; extra large axle bearings and propellor shafts; wider wheel treads, and improved road shock eliminators.

Dozens of new body attainments add to the appeal of the entire line. Bodies are unusually long and wide for solid comfort and riding pleasure. They are completely sound-proofed and insulated against heat and cold. All possible chassis points are likewise silenced by types of insulation best suited to the purpose. Wider front and rear doors and wider seats with high, restful backs and wide arm rests add to car luxury. New, roller-type adjustment of the front seat is operated by "fingertip" control instantly and easily to suit the driver as a matter of utmost convenience. Two handy glove compartments flank the artistic and highly visible new instrument panel, with its dial speedometer and complete driving instruments. All new Nash doors lock from the inside as a protection for driver and passenger against outside intrusion. Rich new upholstery of mohair broadcloth, Bedford cord or leather contributes added elegance to the interiors.

Harris' Condition "Satisfactory."

(Associated Press.)

Surgeons attending Senator Harris of Georgia, who is in Georgetown Hospital with a kidney ailment, pronounced themselves "entirely satisfied" with his condition yesterday. An operation is to be performed when he has gained strength sufficient to endure it.

TRIP TO MOON IN ROCKET HELD IMPRACTICABLE BY SCIENTIST

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county, and the town of Arlington become as famed for its flowers as are Pasadena and Portland in the Golden West.

It is not with his flowers and plants and vegetables, or garden clubs, however, that we shall concern ourselves in this quiet piece. Most any man would envy Dr. Schuster his knowledge and his ability to apply it; all of us, perhaps, of middle life, surely do envy him his retired nook in a busy world where he can clothe himself in solitude and watch the procession go by.

As an astronomer he is just as interesting as he is in his role of gardener or botanist or plant pathologist. My attention was first directed to the astronomer by my friend, former Senator Henry Clay Hansbrough, who at 83, or some such youthful age, began to study the stars under the tutorship of this remarkable man. I have sat by the hour and listened to Senator Hansbrough talk astronomy and Schuster, until I got the impression that one was a religion and the other a deity.

Astronomy Hard Study.

With all that poets and philosophers say of it, astronomy is no easy subject to learn. Don't I know! How often, when a lad in breeks, did I fall asleep over Young's Astronomy and wake up as ignorant as when my eyes closed. But for the stars and the planets I might with pride—as might many another good and valiant man—show my children and grandchildren a diploma from one of the most distinguished colleges in the land. They flunked me and many a better man than myself. But then I didn't have Dr. Schuster for a tutor, or a career of twenty years in the Senate as a background, or 83 years of fast and hard living as a tradition to stand on.

Many people have often wondered about old Cato taking up the study of Greek at 80. That is the classic illustration. I take it his mind had rather grown tired of Roman literature and history and politics, for it had nothing more to teach him, and had begun to ossify. He had arthritis of the brain, creeping paralysis of the intellect, as it were. And his family physician, a wise old owl, said to him: "Cato, what you need is a new business, a new experience in life. Your brain cells have stopped working. Take up Greek and it will rejuvenate you and add ten years to your life."

You'd probably never get that sort of advice at Walter Reed or at the Naval Hospital and medical school. Our lawmakers, in their wisdom, have set set. 64 as the dead line for all Army and Navy men, and just when they are at the highest point of efficiency, they are turned out in the pasture like an old war horse to graze and die. As they can not always adjust themselves mentally and spiritually to another routine, they grow restless and then many of them become helpless and soon they cross the Styx.

Some day some man of genius is coming along with a program that will put these splendid old soldiers and sailors to work for Uncle Sam or for his children, the States, in some capacity that will stimulate cerebration, give them a renewed outlook on life, and keep their well trained brains at work in fields of usefulness. Few of those I know have not dreaded reaching the age of retirement; not many of them have begun the study of the stars and of Greek.

About Old Cincinnatus.

We might make farmers of them. Referring once more to our Roman history, who does not recall Cincinnatus, the great soldier and statesman, who was never so happy as when tilling his little farm. On two occasions, when Rome was in extreme danger, he was sent for to come to the Imperial City and take the helm of state as dictator, and on both occasions he was found at the plow.

Cincinnatus has found some exemplars in American history. Israel Putnam was one, and the great Judge John Haywood, reputed father of President Andrew Johnson, was another. Haywood was known as "the Mansfield of the Southwest," and his opinions are cited even now as if they were the oracles of God. Whenever court was not in session, the old judge went to his farm and plowed his red acres. Many and many a time he held a bar examination in the cornfield, the applicant walking down one row answering questions while the judge plowed another. That experience gave rise to the expression, "cornfield lawyer," which means, among the knowing ones, a lawyer who had passed Judge John Haywood's terrible examination.

Dr. Schuster does not, like Judge Haywood and Cincinnatus, confine his studies to corn and the law. His electric mind is always filing itself on the questions that are constantly agitating the finest scientific intellects in the country. I am sure if he should drop in on the company of brethren at the National Museum, who are said to be "the ablest group of research students in the world," he would not have to ask them, as old Omar did his beloved disciple, Saki, "to turn down an empty glass." He could drink the strongest wine of knowledge and speculation any of them could stomach.

Authority in Astronomy.

At this particular moment, the garden-astronomer of Arlington, who is no amateur scientist, but is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin, 1886, and a teacher with a generation of service back of him, is interested in the proposition of reaching the moon in a rocket. He is the author of a popular work on astronomy, called "Other Worlds," which has been read with approval by many of the leading astronomers of the country. So he is not unfitted to speak from the chair on this subject.

In one of our Eastern colleges, Yale, I believe, a rocket has been built for an excursion to the moon. It is now on exhibition, and probably is awaiting a sacrificial victim to accompany it on its epochal voyage. Through my friend Hansbrough and my friend Dawson, of Arlington, I have succeeded in getting Dr. Schuster's reaction to this experiment. If you think he does not speak from a depth of knowledge, you mistake your man.

"People talk glibly of flying to the moon in an airplane," said he, throwing one leg across the arm of his chair, as Abraham Lincoln was wont to do when talking about a subject on which he had made up his mind. "They do not realize that an airplane can no more travel where there is no air than an ocean liner can lift itself out of the water and begin sailing through the air. As the atmosphere merely forms a blanket, a few miles thick, around the earth, nearly all of the 240,000 miles that separates us from the moon must be made in a vacuum. In a vacuum, the propeller of an airplane, no matter how fast it might spin, would not exert an ounce of pressure and so could not move a ship no matter how light it might be. It is doubtful if an airplane can ever attain an altitude of 25 miles."

"aiHoka, doctor," as old Pushmataha said to Gen. Jackson, "but what about the rocket at Yale and its coming voyage to the moon?"

"There is no doubt," said he, picking up the idea as if it were an old one in his thinking; "there is no doubt but that rocket propulsion would be quite as effective in a vacuum as in air, or even more so. When a gun is fired it is kicked backward with the same force with which the ball moves forward. So we may assume that the ship in which we are to journey to the moon is kicked away from the earth by rocket explosions in its rear end.

7 Miles a Second.

"How great is this kicking force? That is the question. The highest speed at which a bullet leaves a gun is about a half-mile a second. It would have to be shot upward with an initial velocity of 7 miles a second in order to insure its leaving the earth permanently. The most powerful gun on a battleship, discharged directly upward, will send a missile only a short distance before it is stopped by gravity and brought back to earth. It would take several hundred times as much force to kick the bullet forward with sufficient speed to insure its leaving the earth completely."

Down swung the long legs and the astronomer began to walk up and down his library.

"Well, the force to drive the rocket is not in sight," said his inquiring interviewer. "Are there any other obstacles?"

The astronomer stopped his walk in the midst of a stride, and turning on a pivot made by his left heel, he sat down again, and quietly proceeded:

"Let us assume," he replied, "that you can build a torpedo-shaped rocket sufficiently large to hold three persons, and that you can find somewhere the power or force to propel it to the moon. The first explosions will necessarily kick the ship forward with such force as will throw the passengers against the backs of their seats with such force as might break their bones and dislocate their joints. To insure their safety, you would have to swing the passengers in hammocks, so constructed as to be first-class shock absorbers. Even this would not obviate the danger of broken bones, for the shock would be much severer than the occupant of a sleeping car berth receives from the severest bump the Pullman ever receives."

480 Degrees Below Zero.

"But suppose that you can get around this obstacle and make it perfectly safe to ride in such a ship," he went on, "what will happen when the rocket gets beyond the atmosphere of the earth, as it will in a few moments, and reach a temperature of 480 degrees below zero? Experts are not agreed that you can heat a cabin to withstand such a temperature. We find it difficult now to heat our best homes, even insulated homes, when the temperature drops to even 20 or 30 degrees below zero. To protect the occupants of the rocket from 480 degrees below zero is a thousand times more difficult than to heat a shack at the South Pole."

"You have raised three obstacles," said the interviewer. "Are there any more?"

Dr. Schuster smiled and, brushing back his long locks that had tumbled for a moment in his eyes, he said:

"Air of the right proportion and density must be provided in that rocket to enable its occupants to sustain life. This means that the compartment must be airtight and that provision has been made to generate more air as it is needed, and constantly eliminate the impurities given out from the lungs and skin of the passengers. As there is no air on the moon, provision for an ample supply of air for the outward journey, for the stay on the moon, and for the return journey must be made. The ablest engineers are not yet prepared to say that this difficulty can be properly met."

It was apparent from his manner that the astronomer had not exhausted his list of difficulties, and the reporter frankly asked him if that were not so.

Would Weigh Nothing at All.

"When the rocket has reached a distance of 20,000 miles from the earth," he said slowly, pondering every word, "the passengers will weigh only one twenty-fifth as much as they do at the earth's surface. By the time they have reached half way to the moon, a man who weighed 160 pounds at starting would weigh about 2 ounces, and in a little while he will weigh nothing at all.

"How will this affect him?" he asked.

The reporter shook his head. He could imagine Aesop's fable of the frog blowing himself up to the size of an ox being true, but not of an ox letting himself down to the size of a frog.

"We do not know the answer to that question," the astronomer went on. "It may seriously interfere with the beating of the man's heart, the circulation of his blood, and other bodily functions. And his mental faculties will be greatly influenced by his bodily status.

"Even if mind and body function as under normal conditions, when he tried to eat, his food would choke him to death, for it is as apt to go down the windpipe as it is to go down the gullet to the stomach. If he tries to drink water from a glass, the water just stays in the glass no matter in what position the glass is held, unless the glass is suddenly moved toward its closed end, in which case the water will remain suspended just where it was when the glass was drawn away from it. And the water will keep the shape it had while in the glass."

The faintest trace of a smile played across the philosopher's mouth, as he saw in his mind's eye the plight of the man in the rocket.

Would Sleep in Midair.

"A passenger may be placed in any position in his compartment in the rocket and he will remain in that position indefinitely. If he is placed midway between the floor and ceiling, his body parallel to the long axis of the rocket, he may sleep there with air for a mattress, for his pillow and for his covering blanket. He weighs literally nothing, so he needs no support for any part of his body."

"Is that all?" gasped the reporter, holding on to both arms of his chair.

"Many other serious obstacles will be encountered in planning a trip to the moon," he concluded. "While all of them may *some time* be overcome, it is not at all likely that any person now living will make a trip to the moon and return safely to earth."

Dawson looked exactly as if he had changed his mind about wanting to go to the moon in a rocket. He shifted uneasily in his chair. Noting his state of mind, I got up to go. As we bid the old astronomer good-by, he said:

"The crocuses will be blooming soon. The earth is already warming up for their appearing."

And so we left him.

BOARD'S ALLOCATION OF SCHOOLS PRAISED

Civic Associations Send Protest to Supreme Court on Racial Issues.

A protest against appointment of persons to membership on the Board of Education notorious for their rejection of racial issues in public discussions was directed sent to the judges of the Supreme Court by the Federation of Civic Associations Friday night at a meeting held in the board room at the District Building. Appreciation of the board for sustaining the principle of allocation of colored and white schools on the basis of school population and distance traveled by pupils was expressed.

A communication was directed sent to constituent associations in interest of financial support of a colored Juvenile Court worker during the present year in cooperation with the Federation of Parent-Teacher Associations.

The associations also were invited to cooperate with the committee on civic activities of the Bicentennial Commission, through federation auspices, headed by W. H. Lewis, with special reference to Independence Day and Labor Day.

Colored Airport Considered.

Consideration of establishment of an airport here giving employment to colored aviators with transport licenses and to colored aero mechanics was referred to the committee on recreation. The Eastland Gardens Civic Association was admitted to membership in the federation. Establishment of a bus line on Central avenue northeast to Capitol View was referred to the committee on public utilities for report at the next federation meeting.

Standing committees of the federation were named by Dr. George H. Richardson, as follows:

Education: W. H. Lewis, J. C. Payne, R. H. Ashton, Jacqueline Cuney Charles G. Young, H. D. Queen, J. W. White. Legislation: S. D. Matthews, W. W. Hall, H. A. Clark, J. P. Atkinson, W. A. Grant, G. W. Beasley, E. H. Lawson. Commercial interest: John E. Hall, T. H. Lloyd, W. W. Murray, H. H. Banks, Corinne E. Martin, Sedgwick N. Landers, Enoch Gray. Public works: A. L. Munday, H. D. Queen, Patrick M. Toliver, W. R. Giles, Arthur Chichester, Edward Turner, Eva M. Richardson.

Other Committees.

Public health and sanitation: V. S. Bumbry, J. J. Porter, Percy J. Jernigin, W. E. Branch, W. P. Edmonds, Hezekiah Randolph, Arthur M. Clomax. Public safety: Allen Jackson, W. W. Horad, E. T. Hawkins, J. A. Cuney, H. H. Banks, J. H. Reed, I. T. Montgomery.

Civil service: O. W. McDonald, E. P. Harris, R. N. Carter, W. D. Nixon, A. H. Huff, A. L. Munday. Public utilities: J. C. Payne, John P. Atkinson, R. H. Ashton, S. J. Murray, Morrissey S. Koonce, Walter Stewart.

Credentials: W. W. Murray, Arthur Chichester, C. B. Ashton, Ethel Jenifer, L. H. Ferguson, Raymond Taylor. Publicity: George T. Beason, J. A. G. LuValle, E. H. Lawson, W. E. Branch, E. P. Harris, H. H. Banks, W. D. Nixon. Recreation: C. E. Martin, O. W. McDonald, J. A. Cuney, J. F. N. Wilkinson, Charles A. Young, E. V. Smith, Hugh Bradford, George T. Beason. Collation: Sedgwick N. Landers, Walter Sedgwick, Charles Humphries, Fred Coles, M. D. McCain, W. A. Jackson, Hezekiah Randolph.

The Weather

TODAY'S SUN AND TIDE TABLE

	A.M.	P.M.
Sun rises	6:44	
Sun sets	5:58	
High tide	1:17	
Low tide	7:20	8:07

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

U. S. Dept. of Agri., Weather Bureau, Washington, Saturday, Feb. 27—8 P. M.

Forecast for the District of Columbia, Maryland and Virginia—Cloudy and colder Sunday; Cloudy and warmer Monday.

The disturbance that was over northern Wisconsin Friday night has advanced southeastward to Virginia, Richmond, 29.58 inches. Another disturbance is moving eastward, being a short distance southeast of Bermuda, 29.60 inches, and a third disturbance is moving east-southeastward in the region of Great Slave Lake, Fort Smith, 29.42 inches. High pressure prevails on the north Pacific coast, Northhead, 30.40 inches, with an extension southeastward to western Texas. A high-pressure area is moving eastward over eastern Hudson Bay, with a maximum pressure of about 30.15 inches. Rains have occurred on the North Pacific Coast and at scattered points in the lower lake region and the northern Appalachian region. Temperatures have fallen in the southern lake region and in portions of the Middle Atlantic States, while they have risen over the Northern Plains States.

Local Weather Report.

Temperature—Midnight, 60; 2 a. m., 57; 4 a. m., 50; 6 a. m., 44; 8 a. m., 43; 10 a. m., 54; 12 noon, 62; 2 p. m., 67; 4 p. m., 65; 6 p. m., 60; 8 p. m., 54; 10 p. m., 51. Highest, 67. Lowest, 42. Relative humidity—8 a. m., 75; 2 p. m., 41; 8 p. m., 66. Rainfall (8 p. m. to 8 p. m.), 0.01. Hours of sunshine, 3. Per cent of possible sunshine, 27.

DEPARTURES FROM NORMAL.

Accumulated excess of temperature since January 1, 1932, 618 degrees.

Excess of temperature since February 1, 1932, 199 degrees.

Accumulated excess of precipitation since January 1, 1932, .55 inch.

Deficiency of precipitation since February 1, 1932, .74 inch.

Temperatures and Precipitation.

Temperatures and precipitation for 24 hours ended 8 p. m., Saturday:

	Highest Fri.	Lowest Sat. night.	Sat. 8 p. m.	Rainfall.
Washington, D. C.	67	42	54	0.01
Asheville, N. C.	64	50	58	....
Atlanta, Ga.	66	54	64	....
Atlantic City, N. J.	48	42	40	....
Baltimore, Md.	60	48	58	....
Birmingham, Ala.	74	52	66	....
Bismarck, N. Dak.	66	44	60	....
Boston, Mass.	38	30	36	....
Buffalo, N. Y.	40	36	30	0.10
Chicago, Ill.	46	38	38	....
Cincinnati, Ohio	64	50	52

DRY ACT VOTE BILL BEFORE VIRGINIANS

Assembly Gets First Gesture Against Prohibition Since State Banned Liquor.

Richmond, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The first bill calling for a referendum on repeal of the State prohibition law introduced in the Virginia Assembly since the State went dry came today under the signature of Delegate Vivian L. Page, of Norfolk.

It immediately drew a vigorous denouncement from Senator George W. Layman, author of Virginia's enforcement law.

Delegate Page introduced the measure in the midst of 94 bills and two resolutions which flooded the legislative hoppers on the last day for acceptance of general bills in the present session. Among others was a bill to place treasurers and commissioners of revenue on a flat salary, identical bills designed against "gasoline bootlegging," and resolutions to investigate the recent changes in public school textbooks, and the expenditures and efficiency of the various State departments.

Under provisions of the Page measure the governor would be required to issue a writ of election at least 60 days prior to the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1932, calling for an election to be held concurrent with the general November election.

Page Is Author.

It came as the climax to a series of prohibition measures offered during the past six weeks by Delegate Page. Among them was one bill liberalizing the existing law by reducing prohibition fees paid by the State and removing the mandatory jail sentence for the transportation of spirits in amounts up to a half gallon for personal use. This bill was defeated by a close vote. It still is alive, however, on a motion to reconsider.

In support of his bill today Delegate Page said that since members of the Assembly did not seem inclined to reduce criminal costs and wanted prohibition at any price, he presented the measure in view of the recent report on criminal costs in the State and to see how the people in Virginia stand.

Delegate Stuart Moffett, of Staunton, introduced the bill abolishing the fee system of compensating treasurers and commissioners of the revenue, and providing for a searching investigation into the entire fee system as practiced throughout the State.

Salaries for Treasurers.

In lieu of the fees paid the treasurers and commissioners of the revenue the bill provided that they should be paid flat salaries ranging from $1,750 to $1,500, respectively, in counties with a population less than 5,000; to $7,000, respectively, in counties adjoining cities of more than 100,000.

As in the case of the Page bill, the Moffett measure topped off a series of bills affecting fees. And, it followed the passage, in the House yesterday, of the Harman bill abolishing county road levies and the return of a portion of the gasoline tax to the localities. Members of the House said the latter would materially reduce the fees received by the officers in the counties.

With scarcely a quorum present in the Senate, the last batch of bills introduced in the upper house numbered 18.

The textbook resolution was presented by Senator W. Worth Smith, of Louisa, for Senator R. O. Norris, who was absent, and the economy resolution carried the signature of Senator William Tuck, of Halifax.

Gas Tax Bills Up.

Identical bills, designed to stop "gasoline bootlegging" were introduced in both houses—in the Senate by Senator A. P. Staples, of Roanoke, and in the House by Delegate King Harman, of Pulaski.

The bills provided that in the event a dealer fails to pay tax, penalty and interest within 30 days after it is due the attorney general or the commissioner of motor vehicles shall bring suit for recovery and judgment shall be rendered with costs assessed.

It was provided further that if failure to pay be found willful judgment shall be rendered for double the amount of the tax due.

Under the bills it would be the duty of every person buying gasoline from a dealer for the purpose of resale to maintain and keep for a period of a year the amount of tax paid the dealer as part of the purchase price, together with delivery tickets, invoices and other records which the director of motor vehicles may require.

By previous agreement no bills were acted upon today except those of a noncontroversial nature. Both houses advanced all uncontested bills on the calendars. With no debates, the introduction of the Page and Moffett bills held the attention of the House, while the Norris and Tuck resolutions were outstanding in the work of the Senate.

Two Weeks of Work.

Senator Smith emphasized that the Norris resolution was not a reflection on the State Board of Education, but was presented in view of present economic conditions.

When the Assembly reconvenes Monday the representatives will face two weeks of hard work. The Senate expects the budget bill on its floor during the coming week, and the roads subcommittee has promised to have the huge motor code bills before the body before the week is out. In addition to these matters, the Ferguson bill carrying out the "Byrd plan" for local tax reduction is out of committee and due on the House calendar Monday.

The controversial fisheries commission bill providing for the leasing of barren oyster rocks within the Baylor survey, which are found to be incapable of self-rehabilitation, still is in committee, but with the hearing already held, it is due on the floor during the week.

Rotarians of 3 Cities Gather in New Market

Special to The Washington Post.

Woodstock, Va., Feb. 27.—Eighteen Rotarians from Woodstock headed the tricity gathering of Woodstock, New Market and Luray Rotarians at Shenvalee Hotel at New Market Thursday night.

It was the first tricity gathering in the State during the year, said District Gov. Charles K. ("Brownie") Brown, who attended from Staunton, Va. Approximately 60 Rotarians from the three clubs attended. Fred H Moorehead, president of the host club, acted as chairman of the evening.

EVENTS OF INTEREST IN SUBURBAN SOCIETY

Alexandria

The outstanding social event of the week was the Birthnight Ball, in historic Gadsby's Tavern and City Hotel buildings, with the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Colonial Dames of Virginia as hostesses, together with the Washington Society of Alexandria.

A partial list of those who attended representing an ancestor who was at the original ball in 1799, or living at that time and prominent in the social life of their respective sections of the country, is most interesting.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alexander Swann Sinclair represented their ancestors, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alexander, members of the family that gave the land for Christ Church and the original owners of the land on which Alexandria is located and from whom the name of the city is derived.

To begin with the illustrious guests of honor and their impersonators, Gen. and Mrs. Washington, John Augustine Washington, Miss Patty Washington; Col. and Mrs. Simms, Maj. and Mrs. Charles Ellett Cabell; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Taylor, Lieut and Mrs. Edmund McClelland Callaway; Anne Roberdeau Swift, Mrs. Richard Hammett; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller Reese; Mrs. Dennis Ramsay, Miss Kitty Reese; Col Dennis Ramsay, Clement Ellis Conger, jr., of Harrisonburg, Va.; Miss Lucy Lee, Mrs. William J. Boothe (nee Miss Lucy Lee); Nellie Custis, Miss Elizabeth Lee Boothe; Dolly Madison, Miss Anne Madison Washington, who was the official hostess at Mount Vernon at the Colonial Exposition in Paris last summer.

Capt. and Mrs. Daniel Nevin, Mr. and Mrs. D. Mauchlin Nevin; Mrs. Sarah Penington, Mrs. Lydia L. Spofford; Mrs. John Hooff, Mrs. B. L. Wallace, of Dobbs Ferry, N. Y.; Polly DeLand, Mrs. Olaf Saugstadt; Miss Hartshorne, Miss Clara A. Moore; Mistress Joseph Lawrence, of Long Island; Mrs. I. Harrison Hutchison, of Johnstown, N. Y.; Mistress Joseph Tulley, of New Jersey, Mrs. William Spohn Baker, of Rancocas, N. J.; Mrs. John Taliaferro, Mrs. Rathbone Smith; Betty Washington Lewis, Mrs. J. D. Logan, of Salem, Va.

Ann Carter Willis, who led the dance at the surrender ball at Fredericksburg, with Gen. George Washington, Mrs. Wallace Lawrence; Capt. James Lawrence, later famous in the War of 1812, Wallace Lawrence; Fielding Lewis, Fielding Lewis Logan, of Philadelphia; Lady Elinor Gooch, later Mrs. Warriner Lewis, of Warren Hall, Miss Anne Lewis Jones; Mrs. William Payne, Mrs. Cora Jones Davis; Lord Bryan Fairfax and Lady Fairfax, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Alexander Lee; Hannah Ball, the sister of Mary Ball, Mrs. N. L. Hatchell; Seogneuer Aubert de Gallion, Maj. Charles Pozer; Mrs. Hancock Lee, Mrs. Charles Pozer; Col. and Mrs. Levin Powell, Dr. and Mrs. Llewellyn Powell; Mrs. Edwin Conway, Miss Caroline Fitzhugh Morton; Parson and Mrs. Davis, the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. William Jackson Morton; Charles Alexander, jr., Charles Alexander Swann Sinclair, jr.; Miss Frances Alexander, Miss Frances Sinclair; Mr. and Mrs. Edmund I. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Lloyd Boothe, 2d.

Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Peyton, Dr. and Mrs. Louis S. Greene, of Washington; Mary Ball, the mother of Washington, Mrs. Holland Ball Judkins; Mr. and Mrs. William Herbert, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Herbert; Mr. and Mrs. John Carlyle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Hooff; Capt. and Mrs. David Arrell, Mr. and Mrs. David N. Rust; the Rev. and Mrs. James Keith, Dr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Cochran; Col. and Mrs. Philip Marstellar, Dr. and Mrs. Emelyn Marsteller, of Manassas; Mr. and Mrs. Philip Marsteller, jr., Mr. and Mrs. Philip G. Marsteller, of Warrenton; Mrs. Silas Coffer, Miss Corinne Marsteller Milburn, the great-great-great-granddaughter of Col. Philip Marsteller; the Misses Coffer, Mrs. John M. Johnson and Mrs. Albert Bryan; Capt. and Mrs. Thomas Minor, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett C. Dunn.

Sara Ball, Mrs. Frank McCormick; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson Peale, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Newell; Chief Justice and Mrs. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Coke Marshall; Mr. and Mrs. George Steptoe Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Starr Wattles; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nelson Rust; Robert Nelson, jr., Robert Nelson Rust, jr.; Mrs. John Ashby, Mrs. Hubert Snowden, Mrs. Benjamin Grymes, Miss Edith Snowden; Col. and Mrs. John Champe, Mr. and Mrs. William B. McGroarty.

Col. and Mrs. William Augustine Washington, Dr. and Mrs. Henry Augustine Latane; Miss Eliza Fontaine Armistead, Miss Nellie Selden Sommers; Capt. and Mrs. Charles Venable, Mr. and Mrs. John Talley, and Betsy Ross, Miss Betsy Ross Nickolson, of Portsmouth, Va.

Former Representative and Mrs. Charles Creighton Carlin were at home on Monday, when among their guests were Mrs. Woodrow Wilson and Mrs. Oscar Underwood.

Miss Adelyn Apperson had as her guests for the week-end and holiday, her niece, Miss Nancy Cabell Painter, of Culpeper, Va.; her father, Mr. Barbour M. Apperson, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Davenport, all of Culpeper; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cook, of Franconi, and Mr. G. W. Ramby, of Washington.

Miss Susan Fawcett, Miss Ellen Fawcett and Mr. Lewis Fawcett had as their guests for the recent holiday Mrs. Lawrence Washington, Miss Patty Washington, Miss Anne Madison Washington, of Washington; Mr. John Augustine Washington, of Charleston, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Preston Washington and Miss Lilly, of West Virginia; Mr. Lawrence Fawcett, of Red Bank, N. J.; Mrs. Benjamin L. Wallace, of Dobbs Ferry, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. George Gentzmer, Mrs. Harris Starr, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mitchell, Miss Ethel Dobson, Miss Mildred Palmer, Miss Kathryn Varella, Miss Mary Heath, Miss Mary Baker, Miss Mildred Terrett, Mrs. Ethel Simonson, Miss Mary Larabe, Miss Frank Ross, Miss Luella Chase and Mr. Beach, of Washington.

Mrs. Carroll H. May was the hostess last Wednesday afternoon at the meeting of the Sarah Franklin Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde B. Lanham entertained at dinner last Sunday, in honor of the State commander of the American Legion, Dr. Finch, and Mrs. Finch. Other guests were Mrs. Margaret F. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Richard B. English, Mr. and Mrs. James T. Preston, jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Howell, of Philadelphia, were guests the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Elliott F. Hoffman.

Miss Julia Duncan, of New York, passed the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolfe Robertson, of Haymarket, Va., were guests the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Shepperson.

Mrs. Ralston Pound and children, of Charlotte, N. C., have been the guests the past week of Mrs. Pound's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Calvert Smoot 3d.

Mrs. Marian Civilier Holmes, of Baltimore, was the guest the past week of friends in Alexandria, her former home.

Mrs. James Blackburn, of Fredericksburg, and Mrs. E. S. Nalls, of Washington, were guests the past week of Mrs. Charles W. Howell.

Mr. and Mrs Herbert Claiborne and Mr. and Mrs. Addison Reynolds, of Richmond, were the guests the past week of Col. and Mrs. Charles B. Moore.

Mrs. Granville G. Valentine and Mrs. Edward C. Darling, both of Richmond, were the house guests of the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. William Jackson Morton, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis H. Hullings entertained at a luncheon on Monday last, at the George Mason Hotel, when covers were laid for thirty guests, principally relatives from Boston, Harrisburg, Pa., Washington and Chevy Chase, Md.

Miss Helen Norris, of Fredericksburg, Va., has been the guest the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Hannon E. Norris.

Gen. Paul B. Malone, U. S. Army, and Mrs. Malone, were the guests of Judge and Mrs. William P. Woolls, at dinner last Sunday evening.

Miss Constance King, of Richmond, and Miss Katie Dietz and Miss Minnie Dietz, of Chevy Chase, were the week-end and holiday guests of Miss Alice Gronau.

Miss Effie Broaddus and Miss Elinor Broaddus, of Newtown, Va., were the guests the past week of their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Wheat.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest D. Turner, of Richmond, were the guests the past week of Mrs. Turner's aunt, Mrs. C. B. Chilman.

Midshipmen Samuel W. Moncure and William Ruffin Cox, of the United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, were the week-end guests of Mrs. William A. Moncure.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Johnson, of Philadelphia, were the week-end guests of Mrs. Charles W. Howell.

Mr. Frank Michelbach has issued invitations for the marriage of his daughter, Miss Helen Frances Michelbach, to Mr. Charles James Bradley, on Wednesday evening, March 9, in the home at Mount Ida, Alexandria.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Taylor Gause, of West Chester, Pa., were the guests the past week of Mrs. Gause's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Sidney Douglas.

Mrs. William S. Baker and Mrs. Harry Hutchison, of New Jersey, were the guests the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Rathbone Smith.

North Woodside

Dr. and Mrs. John H. McDermott had as their guests last week-end Mr. and Mrs. Tetzloff and son, Paul, of Harrisburg, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond M. Emmerich, of Montgomery Hill, had as their guests last week-end Mrs. Emmerich's sister, Mrs. Lowden Jessup, of South Norwalk, Conn., and Miss Margaret Gillon, of Glasgow, Scotland.

Mr. Louis Titus, of Leesburg, Va., spent last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Titus.

Last Friday Mr. and Mrs. Melvin F. Bergmann had as their dinner guests Mrs. Bergmann's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Folger, and her sister, Miss Katherine H. Folger, of Nantucket, Mass.

Miss Mary Evelyn Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams, was among the graduates of George Washington University on Monday, when she received the A. B. degree.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pratt entertained a small group of their friends at a George Washington dinner party on Monday.

Mrs. Howard Dozier entertained the Woman's Club last Wednesday. Miss Annie Wilson, of Kensington, was the guest speaker, her subject being "Art."

Mr. Leroy Leonard, of Atlanta, spent last week-end as the guest of his parents, Maj. and Mrs. M. C. Leonard.

Mrs. L. V. Kreh spent last week-end in Frederick, Md., where she was a guest.

Mrs. Franklin Frey has been visiting friends in Florida for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Benner, of Montgomery Hill, had as their week-end guests Miss Josephine McCarmack, of New York, and Mrs. Archer Cummings, of Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Titus had as their guests last week Mrs. George M. Reynolds and Mrs. W. T. Reynolds, of Alexandria, Va., and Mrs. Bibb, of Manassas, Va.

Mrs. A. B. Birch, of Falls Church, Va., spent last week-end as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Dulin.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Bowling, jr., entertained the Glen Ross Road Bridge Club last Wednesday evening. The prize winners were Mrs. Bowling and Mr. Northrup.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Barnhart had as their dinner guests last Sunday Mr. Barnhart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Barnhart, and Mrs. Barnhart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Miller.

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. C. Bailey Scrimgeour entertained at a birthday dinner in honor of Mrs. Scrimgeour's mother, Mrs. K. Thornton. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. William Scrimgeour and Miss Roberta Braddock, of Washington.

Miss Josephine M. Shaw had as her supper guests last Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. John Condo and Mr. and Mrs. George Sidenstinner.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. McGuire, of Clifton Forge, Va., were the guests last week-end of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Titus.

Glen Echo

Mrs. Harry Irons, of Glen Echo, entertained at a luncheon at her home on Tuesday. Those present were Mrs. Harry Arnold, Mrs. Fred Arnold, Mrs. S. Bradshaw, Mrs. May Arnold, Miss Gussie Arnold, Miss Eva Arnold and Miss Doris Arnold.

Mrs. C. B. Norton, of Brookmont, spent last week with her mother in New York City.

Miss Florence Ricketts, of Great Falls, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. M. Davis, of Glen Echo.

Capt. and Mrs. Fred Bolduc, of Glen Echo, entertained at luncheon on Monday. The guests were Maj. and Mrs. Felch and daughter Margaret, Maj. Kinderman, Mr. and Mrs. Moreau and daughter Jeanne.

Miss Ethel Lynch, the organist of the Little Flower Chapel, has been spending a month at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Whittaker in the mountains near Winchester, Va. During her absence Miss Angela Russell, of Brookmont, played the organ.

Miss Andree Charles, of Glen Echo, entertained the following guests at tea last Sunday afternoon: Miss Eleanor Tretler, Mr. Karl Lusby, Miss Mildred Tretler, Miss Doris Ryon, Mr. Karl Lusby.

Potomac

Mr. and Mrs. William Meade have returned from a visit to relatives in Lynchburg.

Mrs. Irma A. Hornthal has returned to her home in Mount Vernon avenue, after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Walter F. Dusch, at the Mayflower Hotel, Washington.

Mr. Frank A. Dusch, of Norfolk, was the guest the past week of his cousin, Dr. Henry A. Hornthal.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ford visited relatives in Richmond for several days last week.

Mrs. T. Shaw, of Woodbridge, Md., was the week-end guest of Mrs. Frank Stevens.

Mrs. George Kirby, of Baltimore, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Julia Purdy.

Mrs. Grace Walters and her daughter passed the week-end with Mrs. Edward Jones, at her home at Riverdale, Md.

Mrs. William Lewis is visiting relatives in Bowling Green, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Raymond have returned to their home in Westmont, N. J., after a visit to the latter's sister, Mrs. J. F. Robey.

Mr. and Mrs William Morton have returned from a visit to relatives in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. John Grover passed the week-end at Bon Air, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Driver were the week-end guests of relatives in Baltimore.

Miss Hilda Fairfax passed the week with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Loven, at their home in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Morrison are visiting relatives in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mills visited relatives in Warrenton the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Norton are passing several weeks in Florida

Miss Mary White, of Berryville, Va., is the guest of Mrs. Louis Hough.

Miss Ida Miles, of Harrisville, Pa., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W Varney.

Round Hill

A silver tea in honor of Washington's Birthday was sponsored by the Community League Monday evening in the school auditorium. The following distinguished men and women were represented: George Washington, by Owen Thomas, jr.; Martha Washington, by Miss Virginia Wynkoop; Mary Ball Washington, by Mrs. J. H. Harrison; Thomas Jefferson, by J. F. Harrison; Sally Fairfax, by Miss Kate White; John Adams, by Mr. Mullen; Dolly Madison, by Mrs. Max Forrester; Patrick Henry, by H. W. Cooley; Betsy Ross, by Mrs. Harry Trussell; Gen. Lafayette, by M. L. Paulson, and Betty Washington Lewis, by Miss Lola Davis. All were in colonial costumes. Following a short program of music and old songs, the Virginia reel was danced.

Miss Kate Bates, of Paeonion Springs, Va., was the week-end guest of Misses Kate and Sue White.

Virgil Copeland, of the University of Virginia, passed the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Nellie Copeland.

James Melton visited his parents in Rockville, Md., over Sunday and Monday.

A. M. Wood and C. A. Baker were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Larsen, Sunday.

Mrs. R. R. Larrick left Sunday for a stay of several weeks in New York City.

Mrs. Laura Summers and daughters, Misses Katherine, Mary and Sara Summers, and Miss Mary Lynch, all of Washington, were week-end guests of relatives in town and attended the tea given by Mrs. Daisy Harley Saturday.

Mrs. L. B. Phillips was the guest of her mother in Washington several days last week.

Mrs. Jennie Poulsen, Miss Esther Paulsen, N. R. Paulsen, Mrs. Helen Sisson, and R. N. Davis attended the Bicentennial celebration in Alexandria Monday.

Miss Dorothy Costello, of Upperville, Va., is passing some time with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thompson.

Mrs. Floyd Simpson had as her dinner guests on Saturday, Mrs. A. I. Thomas, Mrs. Annie Rogers, of Barnesville, Ohio; Mrs. Mary Cochran, and Miss Elizabeth Thomas.

Miss Elizabeth Hawthorne, of Washington, was the week-end guest of Mrs. N. B. Hawthorne.

Miss Dolly Chamberlain has returned to Washington, following a short visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Chamberlain.

Leesburg

Special to The Washington Post.

Leesburg, Va., Feb. 27.—Miss Elizabeth White has returned home from Summit Point, W. Va., and has as her guest Miss Mary Scott Thomson, of Summit Point.

Miss Mary Carter, of Washington, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Carter.

Miss Maria Harrison is spending this week with Miss Virginia Bowie at her home in Washington.

Miss Betty Craighill has been the recent guest of the Rev. and Mrs. Crosby Bell in Alexandria.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rust, of Pittsburgh, and Mr. Billy Rust, of the Episcopal High School, spent the week-end at their home near Leesburg.

Mrs. Harry Harrison is spending a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Harrison in Washington.

The Misses Janet Harrison, Betty Gibson, Betty Craighill, Emily Lewis and Katherine Miller attended the midwinter dance on Friday at the Shenandoah Military Academy.

Mrs. Charles Seldon Miner, of New York City; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Paul, John Paul, and Paul Henderson, of Washington, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dean Paul.

Mrs. Holcombe Chamberlain, of Richmond, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Rollins.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hutchison and family, of Washington, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Slack.

Mr. William Lefferts, of Pittsburgh, has been the recent guest of his parents, Elder and Mrs. H. H. Lefferts.

The Misses Ruth Christopher and Martha McNevick, Mr. John Baki, of Trenton, N. J., and Miss Margaret Carter, of Washington, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Carter.

Miss Nancy Harrison, of Washington, spent the week-end with Miss Catherine Miller.

Among those who were home from school for the week-end were Sam Alexander and Gray Hume, from Washington and Lee University; George Martin, Paul Wainwright, and Clayton Orr, from Shenandoah Military Academy; Miss Katherine Miller, from Holton Arms, and Miss Betty Gibson, from Miss Madeira's School, Washington.

Rockville

Rockville, Feb. 27.—Mrs. Valentine Wilson entertained at bridge on Monday evening at her home. Her guests were Mrs. Randolph Talbott, Mrs Harry Beard, Mrs. Shirley Prescott, Miss Daisy Hege, Mrs. John Hughes, Mrs. Guy Meem, Miss Catherine Smith, Mrs. Eugene Van Veen, Mrs. Thomas Kelly, jr., Mrs. Thomas Anderson, Mrs. Clifton Viers, Mrs Adolph Gude, Mrs. Nicholas Brewer, Mrs. Charles Beard, Miss Bessie Brewer, Miss Bonnie Holmes, and Mrs. Alan Havard.

Mr. George Rein, of Baltimore, spent last week-end as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Rohrbaugh.

Mrs. Donald Delashmut entertained on Wednesday evening at her home at a bridge party given in honor of Mrs. William H. Wiley, of Hackensack, N. J., who is the guest of Mrs. Hazel Cashell. Her other guests were Mrs. Theodore Mason, Mrs. Nicholas Brewer, Mrs. Somervell Dawson, Mrs. Charles Beard, Mrs. Shirley Prescott, Mrs. G. V. Hartley, Mrs. Lloyd Brower, Miss Eliza Choate, and Mrs. Almus Spear.

Mrs. Walter Williams, Mrs. Nicholas Brewer, Mrs. Alexander Kilgour, and Mrs. George H. Lamar visited the Rev. and Mrs. Forest J. Prettyman at Fredericksburg, Va., during the week.

Mrs. Barnard Welsh and Mrs. Darby Bowman entertained Mrs. Hazel Cashell and her guest, Mrs. William Wiley, at luncheon and theater on Wednesday.

Mrs. Somervell Dawson entertained at dinner in honor of Mrs. Cashell and Mrs. Wiley on Tuesday.

Mrs. Lloyd Brewer entertained one of the afternoon bridge clubs this week at luncheon and bridge at her home.

Mrs. Vinson Peter entertained at bridge on Monday evening at her home. Her guests were Mrs. William Linthicum, Mrs. Bache Abert, Mrs. William Pate, Mrs. Somervell Dawson, Mrs. Lloyd Brewer and the Misses Alice and Lillian Brand.

Mrs. Hazel Cashell and Mrs. William H. Wiley attended the ball at Gadsby's Tavern in Alexandria, Va., on Monday night.

Miss Dorothy Howard, a student at the State Normal School, spent last week-end with her parents here.

Mrs. Mary Birchnard, of Kensington, Md., has been visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. William A Linthicum.

Mr. Oliver Perry is convalescing from an operation at Mount Alto Hospital, Washington, D. C.

Miss Elizabeth Smith, a student at Notre Dame, Baltimore, spent last week-end with her aunt, Miss Eleanor Smith.

Mr. G. T. Barnsley and Mr. William Vanderbilt, of New York, spent last week-end at the home of Mr. Barnsley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Barnsley.

Miss Lydia Prettyman is spending the week-end in Baltimore as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hugh Magruder.

Mrs. Albert Ady entertained at two tables of bridge on Friday evening at her home. Her guests were Mrs. Harry Beard, Mrs. Austin Rohrbaugh, Mrs. Valentine Wilson, Miss Catherine Smith, Mrs. Lloyd Brewer, Mrs. Shirley Prescott, and Miss Brand.

Mrs. Clifton Viers has been visiting in Middleburg, Va.

Misses Alice and Lillian Brand entertained one of the evening bridge clubs at their home on Wednesday evening. Those present were Mrs. William Linthicum, Mrs. Vinson Peter, Mrs. William Pate, Mrs. Bache Abert, Mrs. Robert Tolson, and Mrs. Adrain Brunette.

Miss Rose Abert, a student at the Visitation Convent, in Washington, spent the week-end at her home. She had as her guest, Miss Eleanor Spalding, of Atlanta, Ga.

Miss Dorothy Viett entertained one of the evening bridge clubs at her home, on Monday evening. The party was later turned into a kitchen shower for Mrs. John Stone. Those present were, Misses Virginia and Mildred Karn, Mrs. LaMar Kelly, Miss Elizabeth Larcombe, Mrs. Charles Hickman, Miss Catherine Benson, Mrs. Oliver Perry, Mrs. Phillip Gates, Mrs. John Stone, Miss Margaret Tyler, and Mrs. Gordon Keys.

Miss Martha Comfort has returned to her home in Chester, Pa., after being the guest of Mrs. J. Frank Wilson for a week.

Warrenton

Mrs. Samuel Goodman 3d, of Philadelphia, spent the past week-end with his aunt, Mrs. S. A. Appleton, at her home, Marshfield.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lewis left last week for their winter home in St. Augustine.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. R. Chardington attended the Yale-University of Virginia boxing match last week in Charlottesville.

Mrs. R. H. Reed, of Front Royal, is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ambler at their home on the Waterloo road. Mrs. Reed is the niece of Mrs. Ambler.

Capt. and Mrs. Llewellyn Wood were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Creighton Carlin, of Alexandria, during the George Washington anniversary celebration on Tuesday last.

Miss Nan Blackwell, of Washington, spent the past week-end with her mother, Mrs. E. S. Blackwell.

Mrs. Richard Brooke, of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute of Blacksburg, Va., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newton M. Brooke.

Mr. James Keith, cadet in the senior class at the V. M. I., was the week-end guest of his mother, Mrs. John A. C. Keith, at her home on Winchester street.

Mrs. Frances Sublett, of Washington, spent Sunday and Monday here with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Thornton.

Miss Emily North King, of Oldsfield School, spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin B. King, at Stuyvesant, having Miss Doris Foote, of Boston, and Miss Jean Croye, of Niagara, as her house guests.

Mrs. Ruth Buchanan left this week to spend some time in New York.

The costume ball was given Monday evening at the Warrenton Country School for Girls. Among the costumes worn was the one belonging to "Rex," king of Mardi Gras, in New Orleans, his daughter being a student at the school.

Mrs. Henry Robertson left Saturday for New York, where she will spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Mason Cabell.

Mrs. M. C. Pilson, of Washington, is spending a few days here with Mr. Pilson, who has recently rented the "Spilman" cottage on Winchester street.

Miss Lucy Elaine McIntosh, of George Washington University, spent a few days here this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McIntosh.

Mr. Robert C. Winmill returned this week to New York after a week spent here at his country home, Clovelly Farm.

Miss Drusilla Davis and Miss Margaret Thompson, of William and Mary College, who spent the week-end with Miss Davis' parents, Dr. and Mrs. George H. Davis, have returned to Williamsburg.

Mrs. McNeill, of New York, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Isham Keith.

Mrs. Philip G. Marsteller and Mr. William H. Gaines attended the George Washington Birthday ball at Gadsby Tavern Tuesday night, as Mr. and Mrs. Marsteller, son and daughter-in-law of Col. Philip Marsteller, one of the associates of Gen. Washington.

Mrs. L. S. McClung entertained at her home on the Bethel road Monday evening for her daughter, Miss Lucy Steptoe McClung.

Kensington

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph E. Moebs had as recent guests the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. James C. Gripp and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Middleton, of Tarrytown, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Freeman, who attended the N. E. A. convention in Washington, have returned to their home in Stamford, Conn., after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cogswell, for a week. Mr. Carl Gildersleeve and Mr. Ben Mowbray, of Germantown, Pa., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cogswell.

Mrs. Ernest Hartshorn and her sister, Miss Betty McCutcheon, returned Monday from a trip to Philadelphia.

Mrs. John Raney and Mrs. Franklin Frea are spending a couple of weeks at Miami, Fla.

Miss A. C. Reinhardt held a George Washington pageant at her private school on Tuesday evening. Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. James McKinley Cannon, of Chevy Chase, the former a nephew of the late Hon. Joe Cannon.

Mr. B. L. Viond directed the chorus of 21 women in colonial costumes when they sang old songs at the Bicentennial celebration, held last Sunday afternoon at the State Armory. The chorus included Mrs. J. A. Kaiser, Mrs. Edgard W. Moore, Mrs. R. R. Graves, Mrs. J. H. Taylor, Mrs. Edward A. Farrell, Mrs. W. S. Pratt, jr., Mrs. Ernest J. Wakefield, Mrs. Henry M. Milburn, Mrs. Wilson L. Townsend, Mrs. Ellen Harrison, Mrs. LeRoy Rogers, Mrs. E. W. Shepard, Mrs. G. W. Ashworth, Mrs. G. H. Snyder, Mrs. Gerald Worthen, Mrs. B. L. Vipond, Mrs. Welles Meriam, Mrs. J. G. Scrivener, Mrs. E. L. Hungerford, Mrs. John Trader and Mrs. A. B. Hastings.

Among those in the pageant given last Sunday at the Armory were Miss Rose Wakefield, of Washington; Walter Buell, Bob Warthen, Mrs. George Garner, Mary Louise Duvall, Stanley Clark, Thomas Clark, Martha Meriam, Dorothy Jones, and George Hawthorne. The play, "Mother and Son," was directed by Mrs. G. L. Ryan.

Lieut. Charles Pugh, whose funeral took place Tuesday from the Blessed Sacrament Church, Chevy Chase, formerly lived in Kensington.

Mrs. Ralph Burdette gave a reading commemorating the thirty-fifth anniversary of the Parent-Teacher Association at the meeting held Wednesday at the school auditorium. Plans were made for the P. T. A. to sponsor a fine arts exhibit to be held at the school on March 16-18. Many of the famous pictures will be reproduced. The meeting was closed with a delightful musical program.

Mrs. John R. Haslup, of Baltimore, State president of the W. C. T. U., and Mrs. Philena Fenby, of Carroll County, were the guests of honor at the luncheon given by the Montgomery County president, Mrs. Frank T. Chapman, at her home on Thursday. The program consisted of a reading by Mrs. B. A. Hammond on "Frances E. Willard—and Music."

Oxon Hill

The Oxon Hill Women's Community Club will serve a lunch at the Farmers Institute to be held at Oxon Hill Consolidated School Friday, March 4. This will be an all-day meeting, with good speakers, and all farmers and their wives are invited to attend. Mrs. R. Walter Brooke, Mrs. Wentworth C. Jones and Mrs. Charles E. Janes were appointed a committee to attend to the lunch.

The club agreed to make colonial costumes for elementary school children for the spring festival of the county schools, at the request of the elementary school principal, Miss Bertha Moreland.

The club decided to hold its Bicentennial tree-planting ceremony jointly with the Parent-Teacher Association and the 4-H Club in the near future, at which time three new trees will be dedicated on the front lawn of the school.

Mrs. Charles Grimes was appointed chairman of American citizenship; Mrs. William G. Breen, chairman of education; Mrs. William H. Cusick, fine arts, and Mrs. William W. Cohen, of legislation.

Mrs. Rackey, who came with Miss Ethel M. Regan, home demonstration agent, demonstrated the making and baking of pastry.

The Oxon Hill Volunteer Fire Company is planning a dance for March 17, St. Patrick's Day.

Gaithersburg

Mrs. Charles Koontz, of Washington, spent several days of the past week as guest of Mrs. Harvey Selby.

Miss Julia Johnson of Garfield Hospital spent last Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Towers and daughter, Patsy, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Walker.

Miss Mattie Ledbetter and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Knight, of Washington, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crawford.

Miss Martha Robertson has returned to Washington after spending the week-end with her parents here.

Mr. William Troxell returned to Franklin, Pa., Monday after spending the week-end with his parents, Mr and Mrs. Thomas Troxell.

Miss Ruth Kane and Mr. Elsworth Waters have returned to New York after being the week-end guests of Mr. Water's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Jacobs.

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Week-End Quiet in Official Set as Mrs. Hoover Visits in South

Noted Group at Dinner Given by Italian Envoy

Lady Lindsay Will Rejoin Ambassador March 14; Chilean Diplomat to Entertain Secretary and Mrs. Stimson at Dinner Wednesday.

The Italian Ambassador and Donna Antonietta de Martino entertained at dinner last evening, when the ranking guest was the Polish Ambassador, Mr. Tytus Filipowicz. The other guests were the Brazilian Ambassador and Mme. de Lima de Silva, the Secretary of Commerce and Mrs. Robert Patterson Lamont, Senator and Mrs. William H. King, Senator and Mrs. Felix Hebert, the Minister of Denmark and Mme. Wadsted, Representative and Mrs. Hamilton Fish, Representative Ruth Bryan Owen, the Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs. Wilbur J. Carr, the Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs. James Grafton Rogers, Mr. Robert F. Kelley, chief of the Eastern European Division of the State Department; Mr. and Mrs. George B. McClellan, Miss Meta Morris Evans, Miss Josephine Patten, Baron and Baroness Robert de Doblhoff, Mr. Ronald Owen, nephew of Representative Ruth Bryan Owen, who is visiting here from England; the Counselor of the Embassy, Count Alberto Marchetti di Muriaglio; the Air Attache and Signora Sbernadori and the Assistant Naval Attache, Lieut. Nobile Giulio Pigarolo dei Conti di Gropello.

The Cuban Ambassador and Senora de Ferrara will entertain at luncheon tomorrow in the embassy. The Ambassador and Senora de Ferrara will entertain at dinner on March 9 for the Secretary of State and Mrs. Henry L. Stimson.

The French Ambassador, M. Paul Claudel, will return to Washington today from New York.

The British Ambassador, Sir Ronald Lindsay, will be joined March 14, by Lady Lindsay, who has been in Florida.

The Chilian Ambassador, Senor Don Miguel Cruchaga Tocornal, will entertain at dinner tomorrow evening in honor of the Secretary of State and Mrs. Henry L. Stimson. The Ambassador will entertain again at dinner on Wednesday.

The newly appointed Spanish Ambassador, Senor Don Juan Francisco de Cardenas and Senora de Cardenas, have arrived in Washington and have taken up their residence in the Embassy. They were accompanied by Count de Serramagna, who was attached to the legation in Tokyo.

The Austrian Minister and Mme. Prochnik have as their guest for a fortnight, the latter's sister, Miss Violet James, of Boston. Miss James is on a short motor trip over the week-end with a group of young friends.

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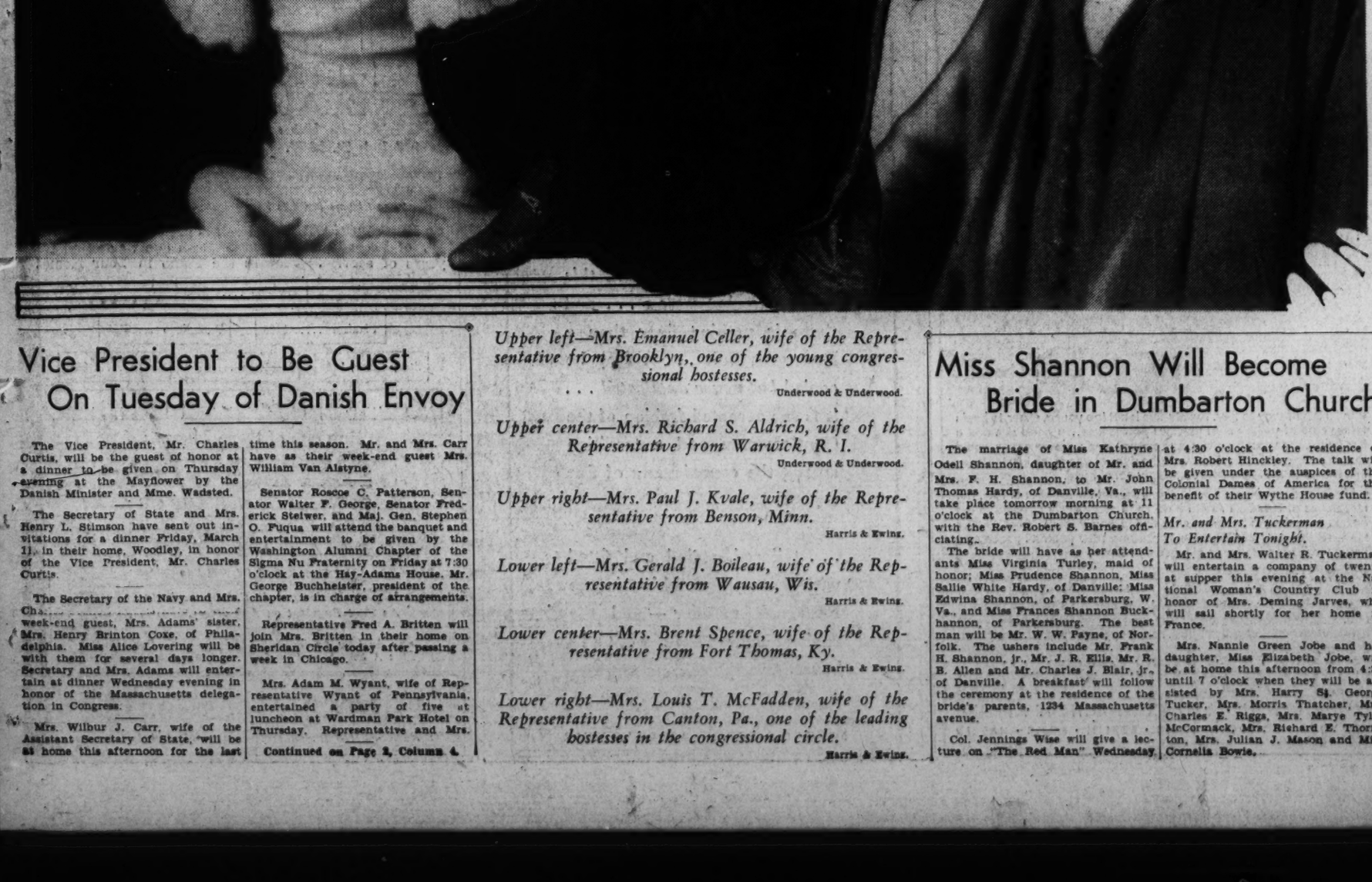

First Lady on Vacation After Daily Entertaining

Proves Charming Hostess at White House Teas; Society Sees Fort Myer Drill; Exhibits of Various Kinds Feature of Lenten Season.

IT is a very quiet week-end in comparison with the last one, when every road leading into Washington was filled with people coming in for the various festivities which opened the Bicentennial year. Today nearly all of these visitors have gone, and Mrs. Hoover is on a week's vacation in Florida, and there is no quieter place roundabout than the White House, where for many days and many weeks there have been "groups" of people received every day at the noon hour and again at almost every hour of the afternoon until the last call for tea.

It is a pretty fashion, this afternoon tea at the White House, when visitors, who have been specially asked by the First Lady, are graciously received and have an opportunity to see her at her best, have a cup of tea and a sandwich with her and enjoy a little "intimate" view of the stately old parlors. Mrs. Hoover is a charming conversationalist. She makes conversation when there is none, and she keeps it going brilliantly when there is some. She has lived in so many different countries during her youth and early womanhood, and imbibed the most interesting phases of life in them, that her conversation is not only intelligent and interesting, but educational many times.

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SHE has a graceful way of twisting conversation into the very channels where she wants it, and an equal knack of guiding it right out of the channels she wishes to avoid. At a recent party she had, a guest made the comment that she (Mrs. Hoover) must be intensely interested in the news each day from China, and she replied quickly that she was and could hardly wait from one paper to another to scan the news dispatches. A bright young girl who was sipping tea near her put forth, in a conspicuous voice, the question, "Mrs. Hoover, have you ever been in China?" The First Lady replied, gently, she had "lived in China some years," without a hint of rebuke to her for not having read some of the many stories of Mrs. Hoover's rather thrilling experiences in the Orient when she was a young married woman.

Mrs. Hoover is having a well-earned rest from receiving "groups" at the White House and having early breakfasts and luncheons with women's organizations, in all of which she is deeply interested, and always lends a helping hand wherever she can. She has with her on her trip congenial friends, and has enjoyed a short sea trip on the way South, which she particularly is fond of. The party will return some time this week. It will be but a short time before the week-end trips to the President's fishing camp on the Rapidan will begin, which they so enjoy and which are so restful and invigorating after the strenuous days in the White House.

Society took advantage of the wonderful weather Friday to go over to Fort Myer for the last one this season of the thrilling Cavalry drills given each Friday afternoon through some weeks of the late season each year. No more exciting scenes may be witnessed, except real warfare, than the marvelous feats performed by the horses and men at Fort Myer. It is as good as Buffalo Bill's old Wild West Show and creates just as many hysterical emotions. The audiences are among the most brilliant of a Washington season.

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THE Lenten season is taken advantage of for exhibits of all kinds, and one of the most interesting and beautiful of this early spring season will be the showing of historic and modern gardens of Virginia, where the quaintest, oldest and mose perfect of the colonial gardens are to be found. It will be on March 7 at 8:30 in the evening in the ballroom of the Mayflower, when Mrs. Arthur Lloyd, of the Virginia Garden Club, will give an illustrated lecture on authentic colonial gardens of the State, with colored lantern slides. It will be one of the festivities of the Bicentennial celebration, and will be quite one of the prettiest features of this spring season of the Bicentennial year. It is being made an important social affair, to be preceded by dinner parties and followed by buffet supper parties. Mrs. Louis B. Greene is the moving spirit in it.

Ball scenes will be shifted tomorrow night in New York from the colonial to the old Spanish, when the Imperial Club will make a Spanish night of its Monday night dance at the Waldorf-Astoria. There will be an authentic Spanish setting and the women will wear Spanish dress with mantillas and gayly colored embroidered shawls, making a colorful scene.

Massachusetts Society Plans Dinner-Dance.

Mr. Frank E. Hickey, the president of the Massachusetts State Society, called a meeting of the entertainment committee when the matter of the March affair was discussed. It was decided to hold a combination dinner and dance at the Shoreham Hotel on Tuesday, March 15.

The committee to take charge of the affair consists of the secretary, Mr. Robert H. Kempton, Mr. Louis R. Hart, Mr. Walter O'Brien, Mr. Lawrence Lawlor, Mr. John T. Slattery, jr., Mr. Thomas J. Flavin, Mesdames Frank E. Hickey, Lawrence Lawlor, Robert H. Kempton, and the Misses Eleanor Carleton, Hazel Batchelder and Gladys Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bernard Gooding entertained at dinner on Friday evening when they had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Eustace C. Owen, Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Hillyer and Miss Anne Tuohy.

Mr. and Mrs. Hampson Gary, sailed yesterday from New York on the Monarch Bermuda, for Bermuda, where they will spend a short vacation. Mr. and Mrs. Gary formerly made their home in Washington, but have been residing in New York for several years.

Vice President to Be Guest On Tuesday of Danish Envoy

The Vice President, Mr. Charles Curtis, will be the guest of honor at a dinner to be given on Thursday evening at the Mayflower by the Danish Minister and Mme. Wadsted.

The Secretary of State and Mrs. Henry L. Stimson have sent out invitations for a dinner Friday, March 11, in their home, Woodley, in honor of the Vice President, Mr. Charles Curtis.

The Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Cha... week-end guest, Mrs. Adams' sister, Mrs. Henry Brinton Coxe, of Philadelphia. Miss Alice Lovering will be with them for several days longer. Secretary and Mrs. Adams will entertain at dinner Wednesday evening in honor of the Massachusetts delegation in Congress.

Mrs. Wilbur J. Carr, wife of the Assistant Secretary of State, will be at home this afternoon for the last time this season. Mr. and Mrs. Carr have as their week-end guest Mrs. William Van Alstyne.

Senator Roscoe C. Patterson, Senator Walter F. George, Senator Frederick Steiwer, and Maj. Gen. Stephen O. Fuqua will attend the banquet and entertainment to be given by the Washington Alumni Chapter of the Sigma Nu Fraternity on Friday at 7:30 o'clock at the Hay-Adams House. Mr. George Buchheister, president of the chapter, is in charge of arrangements.

Representative Fred A. Britten will join Mrs. Britten in their home on Sheridan Circle today after passing a week in Chicago.

Mrs. Adam M. Wyant, wife of Representative Wyant of Pennsylvania, entertained a party of five at luncheon at Wardman Park Hotel on Thursday. Representative and Mrs.

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Upper left—Mrs. Emanuel Celler, wife of the Representative from Brooklyn, one of the young congressional hostesses.

Underwood & Underwood.

Upper center—Mrs. Richard S. Aldrich, wife of the Representative from Warwick, R. I.

Underwood & Underwood.

Upper right—Mrs. Paul J. Kvale, wife of the Representative from Benson, Minn.

Harris & Ewing.

Lower left—Mrs. Gerald J. Boileau, wife of the Representative from Wausau, Wis.

Harris & Ewing.

Lower center—Mrs. Brent Spence, wife of the Representative from Fort Thomas, Ky.

Harris & Ewing.

Lower right—Mrs. Louis T. McFadden, wife of the Representative from Canton, Pa., one of the leading hostesses in the congressional circle.

Harris & Ewing.

Miss Shannon Will Become Bride in Dumbarton Church

The marriage of Miss Kathryne Odell Shannon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Shannon, to Mr. John Thomas Hardy, of Danville, Va., will take place tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock at the Dumbarton Church, with the Rev. Robert S. Barnes officiating.

The bride will have as her attendants Miss Virginia Turley, maid of honor; Miss Prudence Shannon, Miss Sallie White Hardy, of Danville; Miss Edwina Shannon, of Parkersburg, W. Va., and Miss Frances Shannon Buckhannon, of Parkersburg. The best man will be Mr. W. W. Payne, of Norfolk. The ushers include Mr. Frank H. Shannon, jr., Mr. J. R. Ellis, Mr. R. B. Allen and Mr. Charles J. Blair, jr., of Danville. A breakfast will follow the ceremony at the residence of the bride's parents, 1234 Massachusetts avenue.

Col. Jennings Wise will give a lecture on "The Red Man" Wednesday at 4:30 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Robert Hinckley. The talk will be given under the auspices of the Colonial Dames of America for the benefit of their Wythe House fund.

Mr. and Mrs. Tuckerman To Entertain Tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Tuckerman will entertain a company of twenty at supper this evening at the National Woman's Country Club in honor of Mrs. Deming Jarves, who will sail shortly for her home in France.

Mrs. Nannie Green Jobe and her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Jobe, will be at home this afternoon from 4:30 until 7 o'clock when they will be assisted by Mrs. Harry St. George Tucker, Mrs. Morris Thatcher, Mrs. Charles E. Riggs, Mrs. Marye Tyler McCormack, Mrs. Richard E. Thornton, Mrs. Julian J. Mason and Miss Cornelia Bowie.

Colonial Relics To Be Exhibited At Georgetown

Formal Reception Is Planned Next Sunday; Curtis Will Be Guest.

The president and officials of Georgetown University will be hosts at a formal reception and historical exhibit arranged in connection with the George Washington Bicentennial next Sunday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock, at which the Vice President and Mrs. Edward Everett Gann will be the guests of honor.

Dr. W. Coleman Nevils, S. J., president of the university, will receive the guests in the Hall of the Cardinals at the College of Arts and Sciences. Assisting him in the receiving line will be Mr. Curtis and Mrs. Gann, and the president of the students' council, Gerard J. O'Brien, of the senior class. A military touch will be given the reception by Maj. William H. Hobson, U. S. A., members of his staff and the senior R. O. T. C. student officers in uniform, who will serve with Dr. Edmund A. Walsh, S. J., vice president of the university, as a reception committee. There will be music during the reception by the R. O. T. C. Orchestra.

The wives of several senators and members of the faculty will receive the guests in the various parlors where the historical exhibits will be arranged. Since Georgetown University is the only educational institution in Washington associated with early memories and visits of George Washington, its archives contain a number of documents pertaining to the First President and numerous relics of the colonial period. These Dr. Nevils is arranging for the exhibits.

The ladies who will receive in the Shandelle reading room include: Mrs. Henry Ashurst, wife of the Senator from Arizona; Mrs. John H. Bankhead, wife of the Senator from Alabama, who is a graduate of Georgetown; Mrs. Robert D. Carey, wife of the Senator from Wyoming; Mrs. Marcus A. Coolidge, wife of the Senator from Massachusetts; Mrs. James Couzens, wife of the Senator from Michigan; Mrs. Felix Hebert, wife of the Senator from Rhode Island, whose son is a Georgetown student; Mrs. Key Pittman, wife of the Senator from Nevada, and Mrs. James E. Watson, wife of the Senator from Indiana, whose son formerly was on the staff of the military department of the university.

Mrs. William F. Notz, wife of the dean of the school of foreign service, and Mrs. Alexander Johnson will preside over the lace collection in the Beauchamp Hughes Room. In the Carroll Parlor will be Mrs. William Gerry Morgan, wife of the dean of the school of medicine; Mrs. Thomas H. Healy, wife of the assistant dean of the foreign service school, and Mrs. William H. Hobson, wife of the commandant of the military department.

It has been necessary to limit the number of invited guests. These will include, however, Government and diplomatic officials, besides a number of prominent alumni of Georgetown.

Vice President Curtis will place a wreath before a Houdon bust of George Washington just before the reception begins, in honor of the Bicentennial observance.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lindsay Luke, of Tyrone, Pa., are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter Friday. Mrs. Luke before her marriage was Miss Hester Anne LeFevre, of Washington.

The Phi Chi Medical Fraternity of the Georgetown University held a dance last evening at the Carlton Hotel. Mr. Roy Peacock was in charge of the arrangements and the company numbered about 140.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall J. LeBoeuf, of New York, are guests at the Mayflower.

Plans have been completed for an Easter dance to be given by Theta Alpha Chi Sorority, Thursday, March 31, at the Kennedy-Warren Hotel. The committee in charge has for its chairman, Mrs. Otho Hammond, and her assistants are Miss Gertrude Blakeslee, Miss Ada Alexander and Mrs. Robert Smythe Pilgrim.

Judge and Mrs. Edward R. Finch, of New York, have arrived at the Carlton to remain over the week-end.

The annual dance and card party of Gavel Chapter, No. 29, O. E. S., will be held at the Kennedy-Warren on Saturday evening. The worthy grand matron, Miss Edith A. Williams, will be guest of honor. Mrs. Coates, general chairman, is assisted by Miss Nora Heim, Miss Louise Reed, Mrs. Lucy Jones and Miss Florence Lippard.

The following will act as hostesses and hosts: Miss Kate Lear, Mrs. Jeannette Praetorius, Miss R. May Hall, Mrs. Anna Vierbuchen, Mrs. Effie Kessler, Mrs. Florence Lippard, Mrs. Louise Darby, Mrs. Lillian Rowzel, Miss Nora Heim, Mrs. Ruth Coates, Mrs. Harriet Shomo, Mrs. Conrad Praetorius, Mr. Clyde Nichols, Mr. B. F. Shaffer, Mr. George Rowzee, Mr. Van Lippard, Mr. Brooke B. Nyce and Mr. Donald Kessler.

Mrs. Clifford Evans Ankney entertained about 50 guests at tea Sunday at the Broadmoor in honor of her daughter, Mrs. W. Byron Morrow, of Chicago. Those assisting Mrs. Ankney were Mrs. F. A. Harper, Mrs. Gordon Ascher and Mrs. William B. Reid.

In Authentic Colonial Costume

Lipp Studio, Phila.

Mrs. James Francis Sullivan, of Radnor, Pa., who spent the week in Washington. She came to represent the wife of her ancestor, the first British Colonial Governor of New York, Sir Richard Nicolls, who captured the Dutch fort on Manhattan Island, which gave control of the island to the British.

Notables Guests Of Italian Envoy

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The Swedish Minister, Mr. Bostrom, will be joined on Friday by Mme. Bostrom, who will arrive that day from Europe where she has been spending several weeks at her home in Sweden.

The Minister of the Netherlands and Mme. van Royen will entertain at dinner on Friday evening in the Legation.

The Minister of Czechoslovakia and Mme. Veverka have motored to New York for the week-end. Today the minister will present the Czechoslovak Order of the White Lion to Mr. Walter Damrosch, famous conductor, at the weekly broadcast of Mr. Damrosch's orchestra.

The Minister and Mme. Veverka will return to Washington tomorrow.

The Danish Minister and Mme. Wadsted will entertain at dinner on Thursday evening at the Mayflower in honor of the Vice President, Mr. Charles Curtis.

The Bolivian Minister and Senora de Abelli will entertain at dinner on Thursday evening in the legation in Wesley Heights.

The Military Attache of the Italian Embassy, Lieut. Col. Marco Pennaroli, entertained at luncheon at the Carlton yesterday in honor of the retiring Naval Attache of the Embassy, Capt. Luigi Notarbartolo dei Duchi di Villarosa, who will leave Washington the end of this week for Italy.

The Second Secretary of the Mexican Embassy and Senora de Daessele-Segura with their daughter, Gloria, will leave Washington Friday for Cuba, where Senor Daessele-Segura will be attached to the Mexican Embassy in Havana.

Members of the President Monroe Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will give a birthday party on Tuesday, March 8 from 8 until 11 o'clock in honor of Mrs. F. C. Grove and the newly elected State officers. The party will be given at the residence of Miss Effie Henry, 1065 Jefferson street.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Stebbins, of New York, are making a brief visit at the Mayflower.

The Delta Phi Sigma Sorority held a dance last evening in the patio of the Carlton Hotel. Miss M. Mallonev was in charge of the arrangements. About 250 persons were present.

Girls to Cut-in at Leap Year Dance

The Leap-Year dance to be held in the gold ballroom at the Shoreham tomorrow night, is causing much interest and amusement in the younger social set. Mrs. Alben W. Barkley, Mrs. William Dent Beall, Mrs. Russell-Bennett, Mrs. Gregg C. Birdsall, Mrs. G. Beale Bloomer, Mrs. Roderick L. Carmichael, Mrs. Walter G. Dunlop, Mrs. Richard G. Park, jr., Mrs. William H. White, jr., and Mrs. Clark C. Wren will receive the guests. The floor committee is composed of debutantes, postdebutantes and subdebutantes.

The girls will have their stag line, will invite the boys to dance, will cut in on them and at 12:30, when supper is served in the Shoreham Supper Clubroom, will escort their partners to supper.

There will be about 300 guests and it will give the girls a chance to show the young men of Washington what it means to them to be "cut in on and given a rush," a lesson which they have never had before, as this is the first ball of this kind ever given in Washington.

Mrs. Frank Crowther, wife of Representative Crowther, of New York, is spending the week-end in Atlantic City with Representative Crowther. She will not observe her day at home tomorrow afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Copeland Jones, of Indian Lane, Spring Valley, who spent last week-end at Hot Springs, Va., had as their recent house guests Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dixon, of New York, the latter being Mr. Jones' sister.

Dutch Fete Will Feature Salon Today

Envoy and Mme. van Royen Will Be Guests of Honor at Final Event.

The Netherlands Minister and Mme. van Royen will be guests of honor at the final Diplomatic Sunday Evening Salon, for the season 1931-32, of the Bureau of Commercial Economics in the west ballroom of the Shoreham Hotel tonight at 9 o'clock.

Mr. B. Kleijn Molekamp, commercial counselor of the legation, will speak on "The Netherlands." Mr. Emile Simon, cellist of the National Symphony Orchestra, accompanied by Dorothy Coggeshall, will give a program of sixteenth and seventeenth century Dutch music. The film "A Trip Through the Netherlands" will be shown, accompanied by Dutch folk music.

At the reception following the program the minister and wife, with Dr. Anita Maris Boggs, director of the bureau, will greet the members of the salon and their guests when the assisting hosts and hostesses will be Representative and Mrs. Richard Wigglesworth, Mrs. Francis Walker, Mrs. Daniel C. Stapleton and Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Williamson.

The ushers will be Miss Laura Barkley, daughter of Senator and Mrs. Alben Barkley, Miss Jeanne Butler, daughter of Mrs. Dorothy K. Butler and Miss Margaret Morningstar.

The Diplomatic Corps, en masse, expect to be present and among the other notables present will be Senator and Mrs. Henry Wilder Keyes, the Misses Patten, Mrs. Henry Corbin, Gen. William E. Horton, Mr. C. Bascom Slemp, Admiral and Mrs. Pratt, Col. and Mrs. U. S. Grant 3d, Lieut. and Mrs. M. Robert Guggenheim, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Coffin and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warren.

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William R. Eaton had guests dining with them informally at dinner on Wednesday at Wardman Park.

Lieut. Col. and Mrs. M. Robert Guggenheim entertained at dinner last evening in their home in Georgetown when their guests were Mme. Procknik, wife of the Austrian Minister; the Egyptian Minister, Sesostris Sidarouss Pasha; the Bolivian Minister and Senora de Abelli, the Siamese Minister, Phya Subarn Sompati; the Financial Counselor of the Roumanian Legation, Mr. Georges Boncesco; the Second Secretary of the Cuban Embassy and Senora de Guell, Mrs. James W. Good, widow of the former Secretary of War; Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Tilton, Col. and Mrs. George C. Thorpe, Mrs. Homer Norton, and Mr. and Mrs. William Reed, of New York.

Baron and Baroness von Bulow will entertain at luncheon today in compliment to a number of the younger members of the staff of the German Embassy.

Mrs. Gracie Hostess For Republican Women.

Mrs. Archibald Gracie, 4th, was hostess at luncheon yesterday at the Carlton, in honor of Mrs. Charles Dickinson, of New York, and Mrs. Virginia Speel, honorary president of the Republican Club. Other guests included Brig. Gen. William E. Horton, Brig. Gen. Samuel Warren Miller, Col. Henry May, Capt. and Mrs. Eldon P. King, Signor Guiseppe Bruno, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Gordon, Mrs. Philip Walker, Mrs. Herbert Sparrow and Mr. Robert Harper, of North Carolina.

Miss Martha Bob Lucas has returned to Vassar after spending the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Lucas, in their apartment at the Broadmoor.

Miss Lucas had as her guests Miss Mary Archer Randolph, of Richmond, Va., Miss May Baldwin, of Montgomery, Ala., Miss Alice Bean, of Johnson City, Tenn., and Miss Jane Porter, of Birmingham, Ala.

Miss Margaret Davis has returned to the Warrenton County School, in Warrenton, Va., after spending several days with her mother at the Broadmoor.

Mr. and Mrs. Zantzinger, of Washington, are guests at Ormond Beach, Fla., for a visit of several days. Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Miller, of Washington, also are at Ormond Beach.

Virginia Ball, Colonial Style, Brilliant Fete

"The President's Levee" Is Staged Among Events of Bicentennial.

History's pages were turned backward once more Thursday night at the Willard Hotel, when George and Martha Washington, standing in the center of the large ballroom, held a reception for members of Washington's Cabinet, members of Congress, high ranking Army officers and other distinguished guests. The occasion was the Bicentennial colonial ball of the Society of Virginia of the District of Columbia, the big feature of the evening being the pageant, "The President's Levee," staged and managed by Mrs. Lena Epperly MacDonald, queen of sponsors of the society. More than 1,200 people attended the ball and the boxes were filled with distinguished guests.

The huge ballroom was darkened for the pageant, a spotlight being directed on President and Mrs. Washington, Mr. I. C. Buchanan, over six feet tall and dressed in an authentic reproduction of one of Washington's costumes, was perfect in the part, and Mrs. Richard A. Allen, famous for her interpretation of Martha, was equally effective. Out of the shadows, into the light lane made by the spotlight, came the figures of the past, interpreted by members of the society and friends, to pay their respects to the First President and "First Lady of the Land." Gorgeously colored costumes of both men and women blended into one harmonious, kaleidoscopic tone, which contrasted with the more sedate uniforms of the military.

As each couple marched down the ballroom floor, there were bursts of applause. They walked to within a few feet of the President and Mrs. Washington, where Capt. Arthur Clarendon Smith, impersonating the President's aid, introduced them. Following the conclusion of the reception there was a grand march, led by the President and Mrs. Washington, followed by all the members of the pageant, and later augmented by dozens of couples present in colonial costumes.

Following the grand march, the Capital Society, Children of the American Revolution, gave a costumed interpretation of the minuet. The dance was staged under the direction of Mrs. Henry Fenno Sawtelle. General dancing followed.

Among the characters in the "levee" in addition to the President and Mrs. Washington were the Vice President and Mrs. John Adams, impersonated by Mr. Thomas S. Settle and Miss Anne Greaves McGuire; Secretary of State Thomas Jefferson and Miss Martha Jefferson, impersonated by Dr. F. Thomas Evans and Miss Margaret Davis; Secretary of the Treasury and Mrs. Alexander Hamilton, Mr. James Coyle and Mrs. Carl B. Timberlake; Secretary of War and Mrs. Henry Knox, Commander E. M. Blackwell and Miss Margaret Lewis; Attorney General and Mrs. Edmund Randolph, Mr. Fred P. Myers and Miss Mary Norris McCabe; Secretary of the Senate and Mrs. James A. Otis, Mr. Edward Nance and Miss Dorothy Roberts; Speaker of the House and Mrs. Muhlenberg, Mr. Theodore Wanerus and Miss Lillian V Morris; the Chief Justice and Mrs. John Jay, Dr. Thomas F. Dodd and Miss Iva Minor; Gov. and Mrs. George Clinton, of New York, Mr. Fielding M. Lewis and Mrs. Marvin Gorman; Gen. von Steuben and Mrs. Nathaniel Greene, Gen. and Mrs. H. Oden Lake; Lord and Lady Sterling, Mr. James A. Sommerville and Mrs. I. C. Buchanan; Gen. and Mrs. Philip Schuyler, Mr. Thomas L. Eggleston, jr., and Mrs. Ralph Wiggin; Hon. and Mrs. Robert Morris, Mr. Harry Wayland and Miss Margaret Virginia Woolwine; Mr. and Mrs. George Mason, Mr. Guy Marlow and Miss Frances Carter Linfoot; Chancellor and Mrs. Robert Livingston, Mr. Russell Tucker and Mrs. Clayton Phillips; Gen. and Mrs. St. Clair, Mr. Carter Harrison Hites and Miss Lucy Caroline Hodges.

The Washington and Baltimore Home Economics Women in Business Group entertained at a dinner Tuesday evening at the Dodge Hotel, in honor of the visiting Home Economics Business Women here for the N. E. A. convention. Covers were laid for 35 guests. Miss Marie Mount, chairman of the group presided at the dinner. Among the out-of-town guests were: Dr. Lillian Storms, of Michigan, Miss Elsie Stark, of Hoboken, N. J.; Miss Dorothy Gatton, from New York City, and Miss Lucy Queal, also from New York.

Dance Is Set By Daughters Of Congress

Function Arranged Tomorrow by Associates in Congressional Club.

The associate members of the Congressional Club, 2001 New Hampshire avenue, will hold a dance tomorrow. This organization within the club is composed of daughters of congressmen whose wives are members of the club.

The associate member chairman is Mrs. Leroy L. Sawyer, daughter of Congresswoman Effiegene Wingo, of Arkansas. Among the hostesses entertaining, in addition to Mrs. Sawyer, are:

Mrs. Rollin AnKeny Hunter, daughter of Senator and Mrs. Lester J. Dickenson, of Iowa; Miss Helen Bland, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Oscar E. Bland, Iowa; Miss Marie Louis Broussard, daughter of Senator and Mrs. Edwin S. Broussard, of Louisiana; Mrs. Thomas A. Wadden and Mrs. Margaret Pou Moran, daughter of Representative and Mrs. Edward W. Pou of North Carolina, and Miss Ruth Reed, daughter of Representative and Mrs. Daniel A. Reed, of New York

The annual business meeting of the club is called for Wednesday, March 2, at 10:30 o'clock. A program of unusual interest at this time will precede tea at 3 o'clock on Friday. Dr. Arthur W. Hummel, Chief of the Division of Chinese Literature of the Congressional Library, will give a talk on "The Cultural Approach to China."

The hostesses are: Mrs. Robert S. Hall, Mrs. William W. Hastings, Mrs. Harry B. Hawes, Mrs. Edward Dixon Hayes, Mrs Ira G. Hersey, Mrs William E. Hess, Mrs. Samuel B Hill, Mrs. Joseph H. Himes, Mrs. Homer Hoch, Mrs. David Hogg, Mrs. Joseph L Hooper, Mrs. Ralph A. Horr, Mrs. Robert L. Hogg, Mrs. John B. Hollister, Mrs. Pehr G. Holmes, Mrs. Lynn S. Hornor.

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National President Will Be Away From Washington Until Mid-March.

Mrs. Grace Thompson Seton, national president of the National League of American Pen Women, will be absent from Washington until mid-March making a tour among league branches in the South. She will be the guest of honor at a number of important events to be given by the branches she will visit.

Mrs. Seton left Washington last Wednesday and on Thursday she spoke at the celebrity breakfast of the Birmingham branch, telling of her experiences among some of the primitive tribes in Indo-China. The Selma-Montgomery branch of Alabama joined in honoring Mrs. Seton, and she was the guest of Mrs. Kate Speake Penney while in Birmingham.

This afternoon Mrs. Seton will be entertained at a large reception being given in her honor by the Pen Women of Atlanta, Ga., and tomorrow will speak at the celebrity breakfast of this branch, when she will discuss some of the curious customs she observed among the non-Christian tribes of the Philippine Islands, during her journey to the islands and the Orient two years ago.

On Wednesday Mrs. Seton will be the guest of Mrs. John Jay Watson, of Leesburg, Ga., remaining with her hostess until March 7, when she will leave for Jacksonville, Fla., where she will be entertained by Mrs. Katherine Call Simonds, president of the Franklin, N. H., branch, who has a winter home in Florida.

Going on to Daytona Beach, Fla., Mrs. Seton will attend a conference of three Florida branches on March 12, and on the evening of that date will address guests gathered at a banquet in her honor, giving glimpses of the exciting adventures that accompanied her to work in connection with securing from old caves a collection of bats for the Field Museum. Before her return to Washington she will visit Mrs. Peggy Albion, in Greensboro, N. C., and possibly branches in Tennessee.

The Beta Eta Chapter of Gamma Eta Gamma Legal Fraternity held its banquet last evening in the east ballroom of Wardman Park Hotel for those of its members who live in the District of Columbia, and there were quite a few guests in attendance who made addresses during the evening.

Mr. W. Phillip Churchill was chairman of the affair, and Mr. Frank G. Miller, treasurer, assisted him in making the arrangements.

Mrs. Harry Hahn was in New York this past week visiting her son, Mr. Harry Hahn, jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gustave had as their guests during the week, Mr. and Mrs. Gab. Rosenbush, of Baltimore, Md.

Princess Ataloa, of Muskogee, Okla., is passing several days at the Dodge. Princess Ataloa is an Indian contralto and appeared in a program at the University Club Thursday evening. She gives these recitals in connection with the extension work which she does for Bacone College, at Muskogee, the only American Indian college. She is professor of English and philosophy there.

Mrs. Cushing Brant is sailing from Baltimore on March 2 to join friends in Vienna for a few months' motor trip through Austria-Hungary, Jugoslavia, Italy and southern France. Mrs. Brant will then visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Lanier Bartlett, in Paris, for an indefinite stay.

Mrs. A. Rottenburg was extensively entertained by friends here when she returned from Florida.

Mrs. George Nordlinger and daughter are in Baltimore for several weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hecht.

Mrs. Cloyd Heck Marvin, president, and the board of lady managers of the George Washington Hospital, are holding their monthly meetings at the Mayflower. Their first spring meeting will be next Wednesday at 10:30 o'clock.

The board has an active committee which is cooperating with the District committee on employment.

Judge Marion de Vries was host to a small company at dinner on Tuesday at Wardman Park, and Gen. Francis Le Jau Parker, U. S. A., entertained a party of five at dinner on Monday at Wardman.

Miss Gertrude Nickerson, of Gilford, Md., will entertain at luncheon on Tuesday at the University Club for Mrs. Robert C. Howard, who will give her final talk of the season on "Current Events" that morning at the club.

Mrs. Eldon King will entertain at luncheon March 3. She entertained at luncheon Wednesday at the Congressional Country Club.

Colonial Program Today by Club

A colonial program will be given at the Alva Belmont House, headquarters of the National Woman's Party, this afternoon from 4 to 6, with Mrs. John L. Sherman speaking on the Bicentennial. Following the speaking a musical program of the colonial period will be given.

Mrs. Paul Myron Linebarger, chairman of the District Branch of the National Woman's Party, will preside. Assisting Mrs. Linebarger will be Mrs. Ernest Humphrey Daniel, chairman of hospitality, and others, all of whom will wear colonial costumes. Among those assisting and receiving at the tea table will be Mrs. Harvey W. Wiley, national chairman of the Woman's Party; Mrs. Edgar Meritt, Mrs. Alice Hoover, Mrs. Edwin Lublin, Mrs. John Bennett, Mrs. Rose Stetson, Mrs. Thomas Sterling, and Mrs. M. M. Welch, of Los Angeles, the guest of Mrs. Sterling. Also, Mrs. Hoggatt Clopton, Mrs. Clyde Aitchison, Mrs. Harry Hull, Mrs. Charles Williams, Mrs. Warren Haines, Mrs. Edwin Hayes, Mrs. Andrew Stewart, Mrs. Burnita Shelton Matthews and Mrs. Maud Bradbury.

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Dinner Dances Feature Week In Asheville

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Special to The Washington Post.

Asheville, N. C., Feb. 27.—The Bicentennial of the birth of George Washington was reflected in numerous society events here. A dinner dance and keno buffet supper were features of the week at the Biltmore Forest Country Club. A miniature reproduction of Mount Vernon occupied the center of the long dining table. This affair ushered in the spring season here. The Buncombe County committee of Colonial Dames observed Washington's Birthday by planting a group of walnut trees on the plaza in front of the City Hall. The trees were sent here from Mount Vernon.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles H. Weschler motored from Washington early in the week and are enjoying a ten-day sojourn in the Land of the Sky.

Miss Helen Cline left several days ago for Alexandria, Va., where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Luther Thomas. Mrs. Spates Sherwood Brooks, of Alexandria, was among the resort visitors attending the "prosperity" luncheon given by the board of governors of the Asheville Women's Club on Tuesday.

Mrs. John Francis Amherst Cecil, of Biltmore and Washington, returned to New York recently aboard the steamer Mauretania, after spending a couple of months on the continent. She was welcomed in New York by her husband. The Cecils are expected here for the Easter season.

Motoring to Asheville recently from the National Capital were Mrs. James Reeves Bell, A. B. Hastings, Henry E. Willhoit, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grant, Earle Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mather, Mrs. William F. Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Hutchens, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gordon, Miss Alice M. Harrell, Miss Emma Harrell, Miss Blanche M. Margason, Kennth S. Boardman, Mrs. Anne Tillery Renshaw, Mrs. E. J. Quinn, Miss Blanche Halbert and Mrs. Lester Hite.

Late registrations at the Battery Park Hotel include W. M. Sleet, Miss Gertrude F. Brown, Miss Catherine E. Gillian, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Schulze, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stone, Miss Marguerite Free and Miss Catherine M. Cowsill, of Washington.

Sojourning at the Asheville Biltmore Hotel are Robert Summerville, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harrison, Mrs. Frank Van Vleck, A. E. McClure, Erwin A. Marquardt, Geoffrey C. Brown, Howard J. Sargeant, William Krummer, Mr. and Mrs. J. George Auth, Miss Louise Auth and Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Webber, of Washington.

Mrs. Wood, wife of the Rev. Charles Wood, will give her new illustrated lecture, "From Kashmir to Siam," on Tuesday evening, March 15, at the Wardman Park Theater. Each year Mrs. Wood has brought back from her interesting travels to the out-of-the-way places of the world unusual pictures made by her own camera. This year the premier showing of her India pictures will be given under the caption, "An Easter Cruise From Kashmir to Siam."

The entire proceeds from her travelogues always go to some well known philanthropy and this year the proceeds will go to the missionary fund of the Society of the Covenant.

The committee in charge of arrangements is headed by Mrs. Wilson Compton, Mrs. Joel Boone, Mrs. Daniel Borden, Miss Margaret Baxter, Mrs. Henry J. Richardson and Mrs. Howard LeRoy.

The New York State Society gave a dinner dance last evening in the gold room of Wardman Park Hotel. There were about 50 of its members in attendance. Mr. Frederick W. Krichelt was in charge of arrangements committee.

Miss Anna Pedcock, of Moultrie, Ga., has returned to her home after spending several days at the Broadmoor.

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Mrs. Theodore L. Edmiston, official hostess of the society, announces that the following will assist her in receiving: Mrs. Morris Sheppard, Mrs. Tom Connally, Mrs. Luther A. Johnson, Mrs. Morgan G. Sanders, Mrs. Eugene Black, Mrs. Richard M. Kleberg, Mrs. Wright Patman, Mrs. Ewing Thomason, Mrs. A. C. Williams, Mrs. Ben B. Cain, sr., Mrs. W. C. Harlee, Mrs. R. C. Fulbright, Mrs. Victor Russell, Miss Margaret Black, Miss Louise Williams, Miss Anne Blanton, Miss Beryle Edmiston, Miss Alla Clary, Miss Jack Ward, Miss Estelle Harbin, Miss Mary Helen Whitehurst, Representative Morgan G. Sanders, Representative Luther Johnson, Messrs. Arthur C. Perry, Robert Jackson, Lyndon Johnson, Elmore Whitehurst, and Victor Russell.

Kin of Washington Honors Birthday

The Order of Washington, whose membership is composed of collateral descendants of Gen. George Washington and others whose ancestors distinguished themselves in colonial and Revolutionary days, held its annual meeting, banquet and ball at the Hotel Lafayette on Monday, February 22. This unique occasion very appropriately served as the order's observance of the Bicentennial. Lieut. Charles A. Moran, Military Intelligence Reserve, of Atlanta, Ga., and Mrs. David D. Caldwell, vice president general of the Daughters of the American Revolution, of Washington, D. C., were unanimously voted into the order as honorary members; both made brief addresses expressing their appreciation. Dr. J. G. B. Bulloch, chancellor general, presided, and Mr. Daniel Smith Gordon, first vice commander general, was in charge of arrangements. Other officers in attendance were Dr. George Tully Vaughan, commander general; Mr. Charles Ludwell Wingate, treasurer general, and Maj. Amasa M. Holcombe, assistant secretary general.

Behind the speakers' table stood as a proud, silent sentinel, the silk red and white banner of the order, embodying to some extent Washington's crest.

Many in attendance completed a colorful picture for the historic occasion, being garbed in beautiful colonial costumes.

Mr. William Kerkam has resumed his studies at Princeton after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Kerkam, for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kal and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shulman have returned after an 18-day cruise to Cuba.

Miss Gertrude Sherby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sherby, home for the holiday from Goucher College, with her sister, Miss Silvia Sherby, had as her guest, Miss Louise Lindler, of Cleveland. Miss Lindler returned to Smith College on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer Goldstein, of Binghamton, N. Y., staying at Wardman while here, left during the week for several months in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Williams and their daughter, Miss Ruth Williams, of San Francisco, are at the Broadmoor.

The Alpha Lambda Chapter of the Phi Delta Delta Legal Fraternity gave a dinner last Sunday evening at the home of Mrs. Mabel Benson Sakis in honor of Dr. Emma Wold and students of the National University of Law. Dr. Wold gave a talk on law affecting women, particularly in regard to nationality.

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The marriage of Miss Hilda May Negus, daughter of former Mayor Fred Negus and Mrs. Emily Negus, of Mount Rainier, Md., to Mr. Burwell Britt Powell, son of Mr. John Powell, of College Park, Md., took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Mount Rainier Methodist Episcopal Church South, the Rev. Harry P. Baker, pastor, officiating.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a blue lace gown with accessories to match. She carried pink roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Ruth E. Smith, maid of honor, was in rose beige chiffon and carried yellow roses.

Mr. David Canon, of Norfolk, Va., was best man and the ushers were Mrs. Edgar Negus, of Mount Rainier, and Mr. Joseph Long, of College Park.

During the ceremony Mrs. Harry P. Baker and Mrs. Stanton sang a duet.

A reception followed in the home of the bride's parents at 3204 Beech street and Mr. Powell and his bride will make their home in Hyattsville, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Breslau are at the Cavalier Hotel at Virginia Beach, Va.

Hadassah's fourteenth birthday party was celebrated at the Jewish Community Center last Tuesday with a huge attendance and delightful program.

The high light of the entertainment was Mrs. Selma Sellinger Klein, who presented a costume song recital with the Washington Bicentennial as its theme.

Others on the program were Mrs. William Bralove and little Rita Kalichstein who recited.

The birthday cake, a huge affair with its fourteen blue candles, was the center of attraction of the tea table and social hour. The party was arranged by Mrs. I. E. Levison.

Dr. Hubert Work, former Secretary of the Interior, entertained at dinner last Tuesday evening at the Mayflower, where he has been a guest for several weeks. The company included the Surgeon General of the Public Health Service and Mrs. Hugh S. Cumming, the Assistant Surgeon General of the Army and Mrs. Matthew A. Delaney, Mr. and Mrs. Horace M. Albright, Mr. and Mrs. David H. Blair, Mrs. Robert J. Burdette, Assistant Postmaster General W. Irving Glover and Mr. Donald McCreery, of Denver, Colo.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert O. Steeps, of York, Pa., are at the Hamilton Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Heaton, of Indian Lane, Spring Valley, have as their house guest Miss Helen Bingham, daughter of Prof. and Mrs. Richmond P. Bingham, of Cambridge, Mass., who was formerly a resident of Washington. Miss Bingham, who arrived Friday, February 26, will motor with Miss Doris Heaton and Mrs. W. E. Williams to some of the well-known shrines of America in Virginia during her visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hoover, of Kansas City, are at the Hamilton Hotel for several weeks.

The monthly meeting of the Washington Chapter of the "Daughters of the United States Army" will be a tea at the Army War College Club, on Tuesday, from 4:30 until 6 o'clock.

Miss Helen Nordlinger had as her guest for a week Miss Jane May, of New York.

This afternoon at 2:30 o'clock Mr. Wilton Mendelsohn is presenting an entertainment at the Jewish Community Center in the interest of the new Sunday school building fund of the Washington Hebrew Congregation. The program by the Reed-e-o Kiddies will be under the personal direction of Miss Edith Reed.

Miss Doris Woolf, of the Embassy, was in New York for the holidays.

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The party had a spirited vacation, all playing golf, while John R. Fell, jr., also played in the games of the Sandhill Polo Club. Mrs. Mills entertained several times during the week at the Pinehurst Country Club, among the guests being her father, P. S. P. Randolph of Hempstead, L. I. and Mrs. Randolph, P. S. P. Randolph, jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Stevenson of New York. Mrs. Stevenson is a sister of Mrs. Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Adams of Washington, are expected back in Pinehurst shortly to be here for the spring golf and trapshooting tournaments. They recently returned to the Capital from a visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Southgate, of Washington, have arrived at the Carolina Hotel, and will be here for some time. They come to Pinehurst every winter.

Miss H. J. Ewin, of Washington, has registered to be a guest for some time at the Berkshire. She has just returned from a long trip in South America.

Dr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Poole, of Washington, are guests for some time at the Holly Inn. They have been much at the Pinehurst Country Club.

Mr. and Mrs. George O. Fulton are recent arrivals at the Carolina Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Batson of Congressional Club entertained during the week in their winter home here. Mr. Batson played in the Tin Whistle golf tournament.

The Congressional Country Club will be the setting for another Sunday afternoon musicale, which lasts just during the twilight hour, from 5 to 6 o'clock, tomorrow. The Capital City Choristers, Dorothy Radde Emery, director; Catherine Benson, pianist-accompanist, and two of the members of the Bernheimer Trio, namely, Elizabeth and Louise Bernheimer, violinist and cellist, respectively, will be the assisting artists.

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New Buttered Beets
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Mashed Potatoes Boiled Potatoes
Asparagus Tip Salad, French Dressing
Hearts Lettuce, Russian Dressing
Hot Dinner Rolls
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Garden Talk About Virginia Is on March 7

Show Places in Old Dominion Will Be Described by Arthur Lloyd.

A highlight of the Washington social calendar in March will be a talk on the "Historic and Modern Gardens of Virginia," illustrated by a new series of colored slides, to be held in the ballroom of the Mayflower Hotel on Monday evening, March 7, at 8:30 o'clock.

The lovely gardens of Virginia are part of its social background and also of the stirring events now being revised in the Bicentennial celebrations. In this connection, among the outstanding slides will be views of Woodlawn, the home of Nellie Custis, adopted granddaughter of George Washington. Although the house was not completed in 1802, building was begun under the supervision of Washington a few years before his death.

Rich in historical traditions are Montpelier, Stratford and Gunston Hall, and in their spacious grounds the contemporaries of Washington spent many hours in political discussions and arguments that bore heavily on the destinies of the United States. Memories of colonial days will also be revived in pictures of Williamsburg that John D. Rockefeller, jr., is at present re-creating from its historic past.

The series of unusual colored slides will be described in a talk to be given by Mr. Arthur Lloyd, a well-known member of the Virginia Garden Club, who has not previously addressed a Washington audience. A special effort has been made to obtain a unique collection of photographs for this occasion. The superb views of old Gunston Hall were originally taken by staff photographers of the National Geographic Society, and the scenes of Williamsburg will be entirely new to Washington.

Patronesses Named For A Capella Concert.

Senora de Ferrara, wife of the Ambassador of Cuba, is one of the patronesses in the diplomatic group for the forthcoming Lenten concert by the well-known A Capella Choir of the First Congregational Church, which will take place in the ballroom of the Hotel Mayflower on the evening of Friday, March 11.

Among the patronesses are Mrs. Charles Alger, Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss, Miss Grace Burton, Miss Mabel Boardman, the Misses Brickenstein, Mrs. Ernest Daniel, Mrs. Carl Droop, Mrs. Proctor Dougherty, Mrs. Tracy Dows, Mrs. Wade Ellis, Mrs. Gilbert Grosvenor, Mrs. Francis C. Gordon-Cumming, Mrs. Sarah Halkett, Mrs. Warren Haines, Mrs. Walter Bruce Howe, Mrs. Frederick T. P. Johnson, Mrs. Frank B. King, Mrs. Reeve Lewis, Mrs. James O. Murdock, Mrs. Louis Pettijohn, Miss Janet Richards, Mrs. Lawrence Townsend, Mrs. Walter Tuckerman, Mrs. James Wickersham, Mrs. Harvey Wiley, Mrs. David L. Wing and Mrs. James Wentz.

Prominent churchmen who are patrons for the Lenten concert include Bishop William F. MacDowell, the Rev. Albert McCartney, the Rev. George F. Dudley, the Rev. William L. Darby and the Rev. Allan Stockdale.

The annual supper will be given for the benefit of St. James' Catholic Church, Mount Rainier, Md., in the auditorium, Thirty-seventh street and Rhode Island avenue, Thursday. Supper will be served from 4:30 to 8 p. m.

Mrs. Arthur W. Hepburn, chairman of the committee, assisted by Mrs. Lawrence Whalen, Mrs. Charles Speake, Mrs. H. T. Glynn, Mrs. P. J. Farrell, Mrs. Joseph Phillips, Mrs. E. M. Edwards, Mrs. Lillian Green, Mrs. H. P. Jewell, Mrs. Blanche Magill, Mrs. Georgia Rhodes, Mrs. Nellie Sheridan, Mrs. W. H. Vanneman, Mrs. Harvey W. Beagle, Mrs. Thomas Graves, Mrs Mary Bailey, Mrs. Lillian Berry, Mrs. Helen Mowatt, Mrs. Ruth E. Martin, Misses Catherine and Esther Magill, Miss Catherine Flynn, Miss Hary Hepburn, Miss E. Middleton, Miss Ruth Berry, Miss Rose Cole, Misses Bernadotte and Mary O'Connor and Miss Delores Driscoll.

Mrs. H. W. Northcutt, and son, Bryant, of Wollaston, Mass., will arrive in Washington tomorrow, to visit Mrs. Northcutt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. C. Bryant, at 3611 Wisconsin avenue.

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Chevy Chase Party Given For Visitor

Mrs. Maury Entertains With Bicentennial Luncheon for Miss McBirney.

Mrs. John F. Maury entertained at a George Washington birthday luncheon on Monday at her home in West Lenox street in honor of Miss Dorothy McBirney, of Tulsa, Okla., who is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Lewis. The guests included Mrs. J. R. McCarl, Mrs. J. Curtis Walker, Mrs. Bernard B. Smythe, Mrs. Clarence F. Burton, Mrs. C. R. Pope, Miss McBirney and Mrs. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Schreiner, of Primrose street, went to New York Monday and sailed Thursday aboard the Borinquen for San Juan, Porto Rico, where Mr. Schreiner will be a United States delegate to the International Sugar Conference. They expect to be gone a month.

Miss Adelaide Henry is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Frederick Speidel, of Upper River road, Louisville, Ky., for the week-end.

The Montgomery Players presented the third play of the season, "Miss Nell of New Orleans," last Saturday at the Bethesda-Chevy Chase High School.

Mr. and Mrs. James Craig Peacock entertained at a buffet supper party last Sunday night in their home in West Irving street.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCambridge, of Summerfield road, have gone to Florida for several weeks, where Mr. McCambridge is recuperating from a recent illness.

Mrs. Joseph Travers Maguire, of Hesketh street, will be hostess Tuesday, March 1, at a luncheon for the members of her unit of the Sanctuary Society of the Church of the Blessed Sacrament. She will be assisted by Mrs. Percival Nagel. There will be sewing after the luncheon.

Miss Frances Brooks spent the week-end at West Point, where she attended the Washington Birthday celebrations as the guest of the superintendent of the academy, Gen. W. R. Smith, and Mrs. Smith.

The Parent-Teacher Association of the Chevy Chase Elementary School will meet at 3 o'clock Wednesday, March 2, at the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo D. Whitaker were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence A. Adams in Mamaroneck, Long Island, N. Y.

There will be a benefit musical sponsored by one of the units of the Sanctuary Society of the Church of the Blessed Sacrament on Thursday evening, at 8:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. James A. Donohoe, 5831 Chevy Chase Parkway. Miss Agnes Cummings is chairman of the unit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester G. Wilson, of Magnolia Parkway, have visiting them for several weeks Mrs. Wilson's sister, Mrs. Frank Hollister, of New York City.

Mrs. Alice Loos has returned to her home in Glendale, Ohio, after spending a week with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Dixon Loos, in West Lenox street.

Circle Five of the Rector's Aid Society of All Saint's Church met on Thursday at the home of Mrs. H. E. Hasseltine in McKinley street for luncheon and sewing. The next meeting will also be held at Mrs. Hasseltine's on March 10.

Mrs. Henry A. Gardner has gone to Bermuda for a fortnight to recuperate from a recent illness.

Mr. Sydney Prince, jr., has returned from New Haven, Conn., and joined his father, Mr. Sydney Prince, in their home in Chevy Chase Circle.

Miss Florence Stokely, who has been the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Stanton C. Peelle, has returned to her home in Birmingham, Ala.

Col. and Mrs. Fielder M. M. Beall have visiting them in their home in Brookville road their son-in-law and daughter, Col. and Mrs. George T. Everett, of Germantown, Pa. A number of parties have been planned in their honor by their many friends in Chevy Chase.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Semmes, of Primrose street, are spending two weeks in Hot Springs, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kadie had visiting them over the holiday their daughter, Miss Arvid Samuelson, and Mrs. Elizabeth Galliher, both of whom live in Richmond, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren C. Kendall have returned from Woodstock, Va., where they went to attend the George Washington Birthday celebration and the annual debate at Massanutten Academy, where their son, Gordon, is a student. Miss Roberta Kendall has as her guest Mrs. Katherine Forbes, of Winchester, Mass.

Mrs. C. B. Jolliffe, of Beechwood drive, will be hostess to the Methodist Episcopal Church School Mothers Club on Tuesday, March 1. Mrs. Elwood Street will give a talk on "The Child's Part in Sex Education."

Capt. and Mrs. Harry Langley Pence had visiting them for several days Mr. and Mrs. M. Scovell Martin, of Montclair, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Selby have returned to their home in Primrose street after spending several days with Mr. Selby's father in Snowhill, Md.

Miss Dorothy Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Byron U. Graham, spent the week-end in Charlottesville, Va., where she attended the Washington Birthday festivities at the University of Virginia.

Miss Jane Esther Platt, of West Kirke street, spent the week-end in Shepherdtown, W. Va.

Mr. H. Prescott Gatley has returned to his home in Quincy street after visiting in Concord, N. H.

Dr. and Mrs. John I. Lauritzen, of Leland street, entertained at dinner on Monday night in honor of Dr. Abbott, of Huma, La.

Mrs. Clarence F. Burton has returned to her home in Magnolia parkway after spending ten days in Atlantic City.

The Chevy Chase Garden Club will meet Wednesday at the home of Mrs. F. P. Wilcox, 6600 Meadow lane. Mrs. Truman Abbe will be an assistant hostess, and Mr. Simonson will give a talk on "Plans and Planting of the New Mount Vernon Highway."

Mrs. George A. Finch, the leader of the social section of the Woman's Club, will be hostess at the next meeting of the section on Tuesday at her home in Virginia street.

Mrs. Edward H. Helmuth, of Brookville road, entertained her Bridge Club at the Kenwood Country Club on Wednesday at luncheon and bridge. Her guests were Mrs. Herbert Smith, Mrs. Taylor Chewning, Mrs. Joseph Harris, Mrs. Paul Cromelin, Mrs. Frank Murphy, Mrs. MacLeod Maurice.

The civic section of the Woman's Club will meet on Friday, at 11 o'clock in the Chevy Chase Library. After the luncheon Representative David J. Lewis, of Maryland, will speak on "Unemployment and Relief." Mrs. Sanford Bates will be hostess at this meeting.

Mrs. F. Hunter Creech entertained her Bridge Club at luncheon and bridge on Friday. Her guests included Mrs. John E. Elmore, Mrs. Irving Zirtel, Mrs. Daniel C. Walser, Mrs. Andrew Gutches, Mrs. Frank Creighead, Mrs. Hamilton Wilson, Mrs. Warren Grimes, Mrs. Albert A. Fenderson, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. W. R. Howard and Mrs. William Dallard.

Mr. Horace E. Alexander and his daughter, Miss Ruth Alexander, of Bradley lane, were the guests for several days of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Priest in Williamsport, Pa.

At Bicentennial Ball

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AT TAKOMA PARK

Mr. and Mrs. George Pheobus entertained at a George Washington Bicentennial dinner on Monday night at their home in Park avenue, the honor guests being Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Kyles, of Atlanta, Ga. Other guests present included Mr. and Mrs. Ben H. Colbert, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert G. Sward, Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Millard and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Burr.

Mrs. Eugene N. Simms entertained at a beautifully appointed luncheon on Thursday afternoon when covers were laid for ten at her Chestnut avenue residence.

Mrs. Charles F. Ferry was hostess to the Noon Hour Luncheon Club on Tuesday when cards were played.

Miss Helen Findlay has as her house guest, Miss Katherine Tetlow, of Philadelphia.

Mrs. George G. Hedgecock entertained informally for a number of her Takoma Park friends on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell B. Cole had as their house guests last week-end, Mrs. Cole's sister and niece, Mrs. Seth H. Linthicum and Miss Dorothy Perkins Linthicum, of Linthicum Heights, Md. Miss Perkins is also a niece of Representative J. Charles Linthicum, of the Fourth Maryland Congressional District, which includes Baltimore.

Mrs. Arthur Parks and her daughter have returned to their home in Johnstown, Pa., after passing several weeks here as the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kegg.

Mrs. Bethel Barbeau, of Oswego, N. Y., is visiting in Takoma Park for a short time.

Dr. Charles McCollough Smith, of Forest Hills, Long Island, was the guest during the week-end, of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Coffman. Dr. Smith is director of Placement and Occupation of the Public Schools of New York City and was here as a delegate to the National Educational Association conference and the Department of Superintendence meetings.

Mrs. E. R. Palmer has returned to her Takoma Park home after spending some time as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Sanborn, at their Southern Maryland home.

Mr. Otto L. Veerhoff, jr., had as his guest last week Mr. Walter Chater, of New York City. Mr. Veerhoff and his guest were roommates while attending Colgate University.

Dr. Lynn Wood, of Berrien Springs, Mich., is spending some time visiting friends and keeping business appointments.

Mr. William Jones and Mr. Arthur Guinther have returned from a motor trip to North Carolina, where they visited relatives for a short time.

Mr. Walter K. Jones returned home Thursday evening from a six-week trip to Nova Scotia, where he went on business for the United States Tariff Commission.

Miss Lotta Bell, of LaGrange, Ill., is spending some time here with friends while doing advanced work in education in Washington. Miss Bell is director of the normal department at Broadview College, located at LaGrange.

The following members of the Takoma Park Lions Club motored to Frederick Tuesday evening to attend the annual meeting of the Twenty-second Division of Lions, held at the Francis Scott Key Hotel: Messrs. Oliver W. Youngblood, Edward J. Copping, J. Walter Dudley, Daniel J. Mattingly, J. Milton Derrick, Louis Sherman, Dave L. Richardson and Doran S. Platt, president of the local club. The group returned home early Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Paul Baker, of Melrose, Mass., was the guest last week-end of Mrs. F. C. Gilbert.

At the annual constituency conference of the Washington Sanitarium and Hospital, held Tuesday afternoon, the following officers were reelected to serve for one year: Elder James L. Shaw, chairman of the board; Elder S. M. Wilcox, vice chairman; C. C. Pulver, secretary-treasurer and general manager, and Dr. A. W. Truman, Dr. D. H. Kress, Elder F. H. Robbins, Elder O. Montgomery, Dr. H. H. Hamilton, Elder W. P. Elliott and Dr. D. E. Davenport, directors.

Mrs. Roy C. Potts received word early Monday morning of the death of her mother, Mrs. Theodore Mittendorf, on that day at Anthony, Kans., where Mrs. Mittendorf was visiting another daughter, Mrs. C. D. Ashenhurst. Mrs. Mittendorf was well known in Takoma Park, as she was the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Potts, for several months last year.

Mrs. William M. Greene entertained Circle No. 3 of the Takoma Park Fortnightly Book Club on Thursday night of last week. At that time Miss Versie Frazier gave a review of "The Edwardians," by Sackville-West, and Miss Mabel Hunt read a paper on the "Life of Emily Dickinson." Miss Hunt also read several of Emily Dickinson's poems. A "tin" shower was tendered Mrs. Herbert D. Lawson, jr., a member of the club, whose tenth wedding anniversary occurred the day of the club meeting. The circle will meet next on Thursday at the home of Miss Frazier, 6629 First street.

Gordon W. Bonnette, president of the Takoma Park Chamber of Commerce, announced committee assignments for the year at a meeting of the chamber held Wednesday at 12:15 p. m. at Takoma Inn Cafe. The list of appointments follows:

Streets, H. L. Thornton, chairman; Edgar V. Crittenden, vice chairman; John Meiklejohn, Dr. J. Walter Dudley, Leo R. Hubbard, Paul J. Crummett and O. W. Youngblood. Public utilities, Roy C. Potts, chairman; C. C. Pulver, vice chairman; J. M. Henderson, Charles W. Van Wagner, James E. Woodhouse, E. H. Davis and Doran S. Platt. Laws and legislation, John Meiklejohn, chairman; Luther S. Cannon, vice chairman; R. Weir Waters and David Feldman. Membership, Charles H. Knott, chairman; J. Roger Hodges, vice chairman; Edgar A. Ferris, Frank E. Skinner and Dave L. Richardson.

Program, H. H. Votaw, chairman; President Bonnette, Dr. D. J. Mattingly and John W. Coffman. Sings, Louis Sherman, chairman; C. E. Schofield, vice chairman; J. Milton Derrick and H. D. Albin. Insurance rates and adjustment, R. L. H. Jones, chairman. Herbert R. Thompson, of Thompson's Market, and F. G. Mathews, of Takoma Sheet Metal Works, were elected members. President Bonnette will issue a call for a meeting of the executive committee, consisting of officers and chairmen and vice chairmen of committees, during the week.

Mrs. Charles A. Hartley was elected president of the Takoma Park Unit, No. 28, American Legion Auxiliary, at a meeting held at the home of Mrs. Hartley on Thursday of last week. Other officers elected to serve with Mrs. Hartley are Mrs. Harry X. Walsh, secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. Lewis E. Beacock, chaplain. Mrs. A. L. Conger and Mrs. Hartley were named a committee to review the by-laws.

Mrs. Frederick C. Lincoln, president of the Takoma Park Women's Club, has announced that Miss Esther Scott, of the nature department of the public schools, will be the speaker for the March meeting of the club, to be held Tuesday at 1 p. m. at the local branch of the Public Library. The meeting will be conducted by the garden department of the club, and Miss Scott will speak on "Colonial Gardens." New members to be presented to the club by the executive committee are Mrs. Irvine L. Clark, Mrs. Carolyn O. Green and Mrs. Gerald V. Pershing.

The March meeting of the Takoma Park Chapter, American Red Cross, will be held Thursday at 11 a. m. at the Takoma Park Presbyterian Church. The production division of the local chapter will serve lunch and provide materials on which to work. During the month of January the production division gave 180 hours of service to the work. Mrs. Peter Remsen is chairman of the local chapter.

Leap Year Dance Planned by Chapter

An unusual opportunity presents itself tomorrow night at the Raleigh Hotel when Bethany Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, will give a Leap Year dance and card party on a date that has been in obscurity since 1928. Among the special invited guests are the following:

Grand Master Reuben A. Bogley, Grand Lodge of the District of Columbia; Right Worthy Grand Secretary Minnie E. Keyes and Right Worthy Grand Treasurer Flora E. Campbell of the general grand chapter; Grand Matron Edith A. Williams; Grand Patron Paul B. Cromelin, Past Grand Matrons Cora P. Mayberry, Tillie C. Chauncey, Helen B. Strait, Nellie E. Fletcher, Gertrude B. Milans, Lena Stephenson, Sallye C. Bogley, Pearl Watt Gibb, Katharine S. Merritt and Amy C. Hollender, Past Grand Patrons Jason Waterman, Edward S. Brashears, Gratz E. Dunkum, James A. West, William G. Betts, Charles S. Shreve, George Plitt, J. Ernest Dulin, John C. Proctor, Charles C. Galloway and Theodore C. Lewis; Associate Grand Matron Elizabeth Plitt, Associate Grand Patron F. Frank Kimmel; Grand Secretary Rose A. Yost; Grand Treasurer Lillie McKenzie; Grand Conductress Mamie L. Greenstreet, Associate Grand Conductress Helen L. Brashears. The chairman, Mrs. Ethel D. Morris, is being assisted by Mr. Clarence M. Berrett as vice chairman. Past Matron Georgia Johnson and Mrs. Ella Logsdon have charge of cards and prizes and Past Patron William L. Alf, publicity.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Davenport, of Boston, are spending some time at the Carlton.

Athletic Card Enlivens Lent For Annapolis

Programs at Academy Are Big Attractions for Social Sets.

Special to The Washington Post.

Annapolis, Md., Feb. 27.—The extensive programs of athletic events presented by the midshipmen of the Naval Academy each week-end are proving big attractions to those of the social set who are observing the Lenten season to a more or less extent, and today there was a great gathering of visitors in addition to the local contingent for the varied card, featured by the boxing bouts between the midshipmen and Syracuse University at night.

Wednesday night Lieut. and Mrs. Alfred H. Richards entertained at dinner in honor of Admiral and Mrs. Hart. There were eight guests.

Capt. and Mrs. Clayton Simmers and daughter, Miss Sylvia Simmers, of Brooklyn, N. Y., were guests over the week-end of Capt. Henry D. Cooke, commandant of midshipmen, and Mrs. Cooke at their home in the Naval Academy.

Miss Rosalie Brown, of Washington, and the Misses Frances McGarley and Katherine Cooper, of Charleston, S. C., were the week-end guests of Miss Nan Farrell, of Annapolis.

Prof. and Mrs. Arturo Fernandez were luncheon guests of Rear Admiral James J. Raby at the Army and Navy Club in Washington on Saturday. From Washington Mrs. Raby motored to Richmond, Va., and visited friends on the Washington's Birthday holiday.

The Peggy Stewart Inn was the rendezvous for a large number of visitors for the week-end and holiday period, many of whom attended the dance at the Naval Academy. Among the guests were Mrs. Holland Smith, of Washington; Miss Betty Flowers, San Antonio, Tex.; Miss Lorraine Garrett, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Miss Evelyn Opie, Tacoma, Wash.; Miss Emily Dripps and Miss Jane Tallkrod, Philadelphia; Miss Olive Wilson and Miss Kay Learnard, Washington; Miss Natalie Tait, Yonkers, N. Y.; Miss Ruth Gilliland, Tulsa, Okla.; Miss Jean GeMarrier, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Miss Barbara Bristol, Washington; Miss Mary F. Cooper, Fairfax Courthouse, Va., and Miss Helen S. Emerson, Philadelphia.

Miss Helen Woodward entertained at a bridge luncheon Monday at her home in Murray Hill for Mrs. Hanson, wife of Lieut. Comdr. Harry Hanson, U. S. Army, of Fort Meade, and Mrs. Francis Munroe, jr.

Mrs. Westropp, wife of Ensign H. P. Westropp, and infant son, Bobby, of Long Beach, Calif., are visiting Mrs. Westropp's brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. Albert M. Anderson, of Annapolis.

Miss Helen Geiger, of Washington, was entertained over the last week-end by Lieut. and Mrs. William R. Thayer, of Wardour, near Annapolis.

Commander and Mrs. Charles H. Reardon today entertained a group of 27 children of naval officers and other friends in honor of the tenth birthday anniversary of their son, Billy Reardon. The party was held at the Reardon residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Valiant have returned to their residence in Wardour after a visit of a few days with friends in New York.

Mrs. Clara Smith, of Rochester, N. Y., who is passing the winter in Annapolis, has returned after a stay of two weeks at the Mayflower Hotel, Washington.

Mrs. McCandless, wife of Capt. Byron McCandless, entertained the members of the French Club Tuesday afternoon at her residence, 139 Market street, Annapolis.

Commander and Mrs. Robert M. Hinckley entertained informally at dinner Friday evening at their residence. Covers were laid for twelve.

Mrs. Robert W. Cabaniss entertained informally at tea Sunday afternoon for Commander and Mrs. Frank Slingluff, of Washington, who were her guests for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Lodani have returned to their home in New Rochelle, N. Y., after a visit with Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. Vincent H. Godfrey at their home.

Comdr. and Mrs. A. T. Beauregard entertained at dinner Saturday evening prior to the midshipmen's dance in honor of their house guest, Miss Zenaide Vogelgesang, of New York. Guests included Miss Isabella Hart, daughter of Rear Admiral and Mrs. Thomas C. Hart, Miss Bianca Clement, Miss Eleanor Hatcher, Miss Betty Smith, Miss Betty Beauregard, and Midshipmen J. O. Brown, C. D. Robertson, Porter Bedell, E. C. Lawson, E. T. McKetchen, and F. H. Fleck.

Mrs. Middleton S. Guest, of Wardour, and her young grandson, Semmes Walsh, are visiting in Atlantic City.

Comdr. and Mrs. Pierre Wilson and daughter, Miss Wilson, of Washington, were guests the last week-end of Mrs. John L. Chew at her residence in Southgate avenue, Annapolis.

Mrs. Georgianna Hodges, of Baltimore, is the guest of her niece, Mrs. Overesch, wife of Lieut. Comdr. Harvey E. Overesch, in Annapolis.

Officers Elected By Country Club

The anual meeting of the members of the National Woman's Country Club was held in the clubhouse Thursday. Mrs. Walter R. Tuckerman presided.

Reports of the past year and outlined plans for the coming year were read by Mrs. Henry Price Wright, chairman of the grounds committee; Mrs. Guy V. Henry, chairman of the golf committee, and Mrs. John Walker Holcombe, chairman of the bridge committee. Miss Florence E. Ward, treasurer, also read the report of the house committee of which she is chairman.

Miss Mary B. Adams was elected to the board of governors and five members of the board were reelected. The officrs of the club for the coming year will be elected by the board of governors next week.

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Teziak, size 6x9.
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Ak Hissar, size 6x9.
Regular $65, February Sale.....$45

Antique Runner, size 3.6x10.
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Bridge Parties Are Ruling in Sandy Spring

Isaac Walton League Entertained Tuesday by Samuel P. Thomas.

Mrs. William Conklin, who is occupying Alloway for a few months, entertained with two tables of bridge Tuesday, when she had as her guests Mrs. John C. Bentley, Mrs. John C. Bentley, jr., who is a guest at Cloverly; Miss Florence Bentley, Mrs. Charles C. Tumbleson, Miss Isabel Miller, Miss Elizabeth T. Stabler and Miss M. Janet Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Bond and Misses Emma and Lillie Stabler were guests of their cousins in Purcellville, Va., last week.

Miss Elizabeth T. Stabler, who has been spending several weeks with Miss Mary Gilpin, is now with her sister's family at The Highlands.

The February meeting of the Home Interest was entertained jointly by Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Morris, of Bethesda, and Mr. and Mrs. Elgar Farquhar, at Olney Inn, Mr. Milton Bancroft presiding, Mrs. Francis Hallowell being secretary. Mr. Allan Farquhar read from a diary which was kept by him nearly 70 years ago, and interesting pictures of a Western trip were shown by Mr. Reuben Brigham. A number of guests included Mrs. Edward Stone, of Massachusetts, whose mother was one of the early members of this club started in 1870, and Mrs. Nellie Farquhar, of Washington, once the secretary of this organization.

Mrs. J. Galt Smith, Miss Mary Bringhurst and Mr. Edward Bringhurst, of Wilmington, Del., were guests at Edgewood after attending the Mayflower ball during the Bicentennial celebration.

Mr., and Mrs. Tom Pleasants and small daughter, of North Carolina, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tarlton Brooke at Willow Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Redfield Dinwiddie, of New York, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Dinwiddie at Greenbough.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Thomas, of Brooklyn, N. Y., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Thomas at the Corner Cupboard. R. B. Thomas, jr., has returned from Brooklyn, where he was engaged in business.

Mr. and Mrs. Lofton Wesley, of Philadelphia, were guests at Edgewood before returning to their home in Philadelphia.

Miss Kingsbury and Miss Hatch were guests at Sunnyside last week with Mr. and Mrs. Newton Stabler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer O. Stabler entertained the Monday Evening Bridge Club for dinner last Monday.

Mrs. Yellott Canby entertained for the Tuesday Contract Club for luncheon on Tuesday at her home, Rose Hill.

Mr. A. Douglas Farquhar was host to the Montgomery Farmers Club for their February meeting, and with Mr. Yellott Canby presiding and Mr. Robert H. Miller, jr., as secretary, the club listened to an interesting talk by Mr. Ernest Kelley, of the Department of Agriculture, on the subject of dairying. Mr. William Dinwiddie gave a most enlightening talk on the Chinese-Japanese situation, he having been a resident of Japan for a number of years. The question of better police protection for Sandy Spring was discussed at length, and numerous suggestions were made which will be given to the community council. The following were guests:

Messrs. Frank Willson, William W. Moore, Redfield Dinwiddie, of New York; Andrew J. Boyd, G. Rust Canby, Harwood Owings, Frank J. Downey, Locke Benson and Francis A. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Garland Ligon have been entertained with a number of small dinner parties, with bridge following. The guests at the first were Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer O. Stabler, Mr. and Mrs. Austin LaMar, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Miller, Mr. and Mrs. William Dinwiddie, and Mr. and Mrs. G. Carlton Ligon, of Baltimore. The guests for the second were Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bancroft, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Owings, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lounsbury and Mr. and Mrs. Gaines, of Ruxton, Md., who were week-end guests.

Mrs. Edward Stone, of Lexington, Mass., entertained at the Mayflower in Washington for Mrs. Francis M. Hallowell, of Sandy Spring, having for luncheon Mrs. Milton Bancroft, Mrs. Charles E. Bond and Mrs. Frederick Haller.

Mrs. Robert H. Miller left on Wednesday for Montclair, N. J., where she is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Conant Webb, and family.

Samuel P. Thomas entertained a large meeting of the Isaak Walton League on Tuesday evening. An election of officers was held and Samuel P. Thomas was elected president; Robert H. Chichester, vice president; T. Yellott Canby, second vice president, and John Bancroft, secretary-treasurer. Four new members were admitted, John Hunter, Walter Waters, Roger Hawkins and Elgar Stabler.

An address was made by Dr. McGee, of Washington, and pictures taken by the Government Fisheries Service were shown by Dr. Holton, of the American University. The league voted to cooperate with the other local clubs to make a general roadside clean-up. A regional county meeting of the league chapter is to be held at Hagerstown on March 10 and Milton Bancroft and Henry Mathews were named as delegates.

Mr. Henry Mathews invited the local members to an oyster roast at his home, Fair Hill, Saturday evening.

Mrs. W. French Green is visiting her daughter, Miss Mary Green, in Richmond, Va., and in her absence Miss Nettie Moore, of Baltimore, is a guest at Falling Green with Miss Mary P. Brooke.

Miss Ruth Jones, with Mr. Barnett, of Western Maryland College, were guests at the Briers Tuesday evening.

An evening bridge party in the clubrooms at the firehouse will be given by Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Boyd on Saturday, March 5.

Mrs. J. W. Jones and Mrs. Charlotte Farquhar were hostesses for the last meeting of the Inquiry Club of Rockville, when they entertained the club at the Briers. Mrs. Eugene Scott presided at the business meeting, while patriotic papers, talks, and music all pertaining to the Bicentennial celebration were given, the program being arranged by Mrs. Frank Higgins.

The Wednesday Club was entertained by Miss Estelle T. Moore giving a travelogue of her trip through England at Community House, with Mrs. Roderich Adams as hostess. Mrs. Milton Bancroft read two appropriate selections for Bicentennial week. Announcements were made of local benefits, one being that of the dance at 2400 Sixteenth street, Washington, Friday, which is preceded by a musical concert, and which is for the benefit of Montgomery County General Hospital. The Misses Stabler will entertain the next meeting at Edgewood.

Clo Hade, Austrian Artist, Is Visiting in Washington

Baroness Doblhoff to Display Paintings During Sojourn.

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BARONESS HERTHA DOBLHOFF.

Clo Hade, the Baroness Hertha Doblhoff, of Vienna, has been in Washington since Wednesday. She is an artist of distinction and is the only woman who has been offered the fiftieth floor of the Empire State Building in which to paint New York. Al Smith has allowed her to have the whole floor for her studio. The baroness is thrilled with the chance to paint New York from this height. The city has different colors which change hourly, she says. Not only in the evening is it beautiful, but when the mists come up from the streets and all that can be seen is the tops of the great skyscrapers. She is painting in water colors and has her sketches with her at the Shoreham Hotel, where she is staying for about two weeks.

At Corrado's, 1331 Connecticut avenue, Friday afternoon she had a private opening view of her paintings, which will be on view there until March 10. She received with her husband, the Baron Doblhoff, who is also a painter. He has been painting portraits of Washingtonians this winter. The portrait of Mme. Prochnik was completed a few months ago.

The artist's work consists of flowers which have been painted on copper first and then carefully transferred to paper. This is a process requiring great delicacy in handling. They are called monotypes and are delightful flower paintings. There are studies of nudes in crayon which are excellently drawn and other flower paintings in oil and still-life paintings and figures which have a special charm and power.

In New York Baroness Doblhoff has had several exhibitions of her works at Wildenstein's and will have one later on of her New York paintings. Her work is especially favorably received in New York. She is stopping off here on her way to Florida where she will be the guest of Mrs. T. Cordreza for whose house in New York she has painted a series of large mural panels. These murals are imaginative decorations of birds and flowers. In 1927 she also did some murals for the house of Mrs. Donohue Woolworth. She has also exhibited in London and came to New York on the advice of Duveen, the well known art dealer.

At the opening view there were present Mme. Claudel, H. E. Donna Antonietta de Martino, Mrs. James Brown Scott, Countess Biondi, niece of the papal legate, and others. The patroness were Baroness Eugese Hauenchield, Mme. Edgar Prochnik, Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, Mrs. Eugene Meyer, Mrs. Walter Tuckerman and Mrs. Hamilton Lamar.

Costume Show Arranged for In Berryville

Exhibition Will Be Given Two Weeks During Apple and Garden Festivals.

Special to The Washington Post.

Berryville, Va., Sept. 27.—Mrs. Kenneth N. Gilpin, Washingtoniana chairman for Clarke County, held a meeting of her committee Saturday in the library at the Hawthorne Building and appointed the subchairman for committees.

It is planned to hold a costume exhibit for the two weeks that will cover the Apple Blossom Festival and Virginia garden week, as at that time thousands of tourists visit the State. The doors will be open from 9 a. m. until 7 p. m. and a nominal charge will be made to help the Bicentennial committee defray expenses. The place for holding this exhibit has not yet been decided upon, but will be at the next meeting, which will be held Tuesday at 3 p. m. in the Hawthorne Library.

Miss Cary Harrison entertained at a tea at her home, Longwood, this week and had as her guests Mrs. John H. Farrar, Miss Courtney Byrd Jones, Miss Virginia Jacobs, Miss Mary Campbell and Mrs. Alexander Pendleton Stronach, of Douglaston, Long Island.

Mr. Grayson Dashiell, of Richmond, has been the guest recently of Mrs. Benjamin Randolph at The Moorings. While here Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Reade entertained at a dinner in her honor, asking to meet her Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Mitchell, Capt. and Mrs. Ewart Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. William Beverley, of Winchester; George H. Burwell and Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Randolph.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Campbell had as their week-end guests at Kentmere Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Thomas, of Long Island, in whose honor they entertained at dinner Saturday night, their other guests including Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth N. Gilpin, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Randolph, Mrs. Grayson Dashiell, Capt. and Mrs. Ewart Johnston, Mrs. M. E. Dole, and her house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Theobold, of New York; George H. Burwell, jr., and Percy M. Randolph.

Miss Agnes Page Mitchell and Miss Charlotte Gregg, who were the week-end guests of Miss Mitchell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Mitchell, at their country estate, The Glen, have returned to Holten Arms, Washington, which they are attending this winter. While here Misses Mitchell and Gregg motored to Charlottesville and attended the boxing match between Virginia and Yale.

Mr. Robert E. Lee Lewis, of Avonby-the-Sea, N. J., formerly of Monterey, Clarke County, a great-grandson of Lawrence Lewis, Gen. George Washington's nephew, represented Gen. Washington in group No. 3 in the processional pageant that preceded the Bicentennial ball given at the Mayflower Monday night in Washington. Other Clarke County descendants of Lawrence Lewis, who married Nellie Custis, that attended this ball were Miss Emily Conte McCormick, wearing a gown of her great-great-grandmother, Nellie Custis, and Miss Emmie Lou Stevens, daughter of Mr. Basil Stevens, of Montclair, N. J., great-great-grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lewis.

Miss Rose MacDonald and Miss Nannie Dandridge Thomas, who were the guests of friends in Washington this week and who attended the Bicentennial ball at the Mayflower Monday night, have returned home.

Mrs. William Travers Lewis, who has been spending the past month in Baltimore and Washington the guests of friends and relatives, has returned home and has as her guest Mrs. Hally Bryan Perry, of Houston, Tex.

Mr. Robert E. Lee Lewis, of Avonby-the-Sea, N. J., is the guest of his brother-in-law, Mr. Samuel McCormick, at his home on South Church street.

Capt. Frank M. Wray, president of the local chamber of commerce, was toastmaster at the banquet given by that organization in the auditorium of the Berryville High School. The hall was decorated with festoons of the National colors between the large pillars upon each of which hung a flag and with the red, white and red of the Confederacy as the color scheme of the tables around which was seated 160 of Clarke County's most representative people, made of this one of the most successful entertainments ever held here. The program from the beginning, the invocation by the Rev. T. Carter Page, to the address on the "Present-Day Value of Washington's Life and Ideals" of the guest speaker, Col. Francis Scott Key-Smith, of Washington, was intensely interesting.

At the close of Col. Key-Smith's address all stood and sang the National Anthem which was written by his great-grandfather, which was led by Mrs. Thomas Dix, Mrs. Pivbon, Dr. A. P. Osborne and Goodwin H. Williams. E. P. Berlin was chairman on arrangements.

Officers' Club At Quantico Is Host at Dance

Maj. and Mrs. Hawthorne Guests at Parties Prior to Their Transfer.

The Officers' Club on Saturday evening was the scene of a large and delightful dance given by Lieut. and Mrs. Lawson H. Sanderson and Lieut. and Mrs. Edward F. O'Day. All the decorations were Chinese, and at midnight a Chinese supper was served the guests. Several novelties were offered during the evening, among them being a ladies' prize waltz and a spotlight dance.

About 160 guests were invited from Quantico, and those from out of town who attended were Mr. and Mrs. George Herring, of Featherstone Farm, Va.; Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Dunford, of Portsmouth, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. William Leachman, of Manassas, Va.; Lieut. and Mrs. H. L. Pitts, of Norfolk, and Maj. and Mrs. Roy Geiger, Capt. and Mrs. W. W. Rogers, Capt. and Mrs. Louis Woods, Capt. and Mrs. T. R. Shearer, Capt. and Mrs. Walter G. Farrell, Lieut. and Mrs. Lamson-Scribner and Mrs. Jack Joachim, all of Washington, D. C.

Among the dinners which preceded the Sanderson-O'Day dance was the one given at the club by Capt. and Mrs. B. F. Johnson. Their guests were Maj. and Mrs. Ralph J. Mitchell, Capt. and Mrs. Henry A. Carr, Lieut. and Mrs. Ivan W. Miller, Lieut. and Mrs. Clayton C. Jerome and Lieut. and Mrs. David L. Cloud.

Several parties have been given this past week in honor of Maj. and Mrs. William G. Hawthorne, who, with their children, are sailing from New York on March 11 for West Coast duty. Capt. and Mrs. Campbell H. Brown entertained at dinner on Friday evening in honor of Maj. and Mrs. Hawthorne, there being 17 guests. Lieut. and Mrs. Clayton C. Jerome also entertained at dinner for them on Thursday night, followed by an evening of bridge. Those present were Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Charles F. B. Price, Mrs. Andrew B. Drum, Maj. and Mrs. Samuel A. Woods, jr., Maj. and Mrs. William C. James, Capt. and Mrs. Franklin T. Steele and Capt. and Mrs. Campbell H. Brown.

Alice Marie Erwin, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Erwin, entertained several of her friends at dinner on Saturday evening. Among the guests were Constance Barrett, Beulah Coffenberg, Margot McVey, Louise Buse, Marie and Jean Boschen, Janet Miller, Edith Prichard and Nora Quigley. After dinner, games were played, the winners of the prizes being Constance Barrett and Janet Miller.

Mrs. Charles D. Barrett, wife of Maj. Barrett, left the post on Tuesday en route to Barrington, Ill., where she will be the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Walcott.

Capt. and Mrs. W. W. Rogers spent the week-end in Quantico as guests of Capt. and Mrs. Richard H. Schubert.

Phyllis Louise Potter, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Hal N. Potter, entertained a group of her little friends on the occasion of her eleventh birthday on Wednesday afternoon. Games, followed by refreshments, were enjoyed by the guests, who were Abbie Dora Ansel, Martha Allen, Nora Quigley, Ann Campbell, Louise Buse and Harriet Lloyd.

Mrs. Z. C. Hopkins, wife of Lieut. Hopkins, entertained in her quarters at a bridge-tea recently. The guests who played bridge were Mrs. Ralph J. Mitchell, Mrs. B. F. Johnson, Mrs. Clayton C. Jerome, Miss Elizabeth Barber, Mrs. Shelton C. Zern, Mrs. Frank B. June, Mrs. Charles E. Chapel, Mrs. Edward F. O'Day and Mrs. Charles F. Woodward. Mrs. John K. Martenstein and Mrs. David L. Cloud came in later for tea.

Lieut. and Mrs. William F. O'Brien have left the post for Lieut. O'Brien's new duty in New Orleans. They spent the week-end prior to their departure as guests of Capt. and Mrs. John K. Martenstein. Lieut. and Mrs. Charles E. Chapel entertained in their quarters on Sunday night at a buffet supper in honor of Lieut. and Mrs. O'Brien. About 25 guests were present, all of the party going later in the evening to Aquia Tavern, where entertainment was provided by a group of colored singers.

Week's Social Happenings in Herndon, Va.

Luncheons, Bridge Parties and Other Entertainments Outstanding Events.

Mrs. George R. Bready and Mrs. W. H. Dawson were joint hostesses at a bridge luncheon at the home of Mrs. Bready on Thursday in honor of the house guest of Mrs. Bready, Mrs. Albert Shepherd, of Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Mildred Williams Bowen and Miss Virginia Birdsey, of Detroit, Mich., were guests of Mrs. William Aud for several days the past week.

Mrs. Arthur H. Buell and Mrs. George Buell entertained six tables at contract bridge Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. A. H. Buell in honor of Mrs. Albert Shepherd, of Baltimore, Mrs. Mildred Bowen and Miss Virginia Birdsey, of Detroit. High score for the ladies was made by Mrs. Allen H. Kirk, second by Mrs. E. B Hutchison; for the men, high score was made by E. B. Hutchison; second, George R. Bready. Guest prizes were also given.

Mr. and Mrs. Powell Summers, of Washington, spent last week-end at the home of Beverly Mankin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Nachman returned on Thursday from a three weeks' motor trip through the South.

Miss M. E. Decker is in New York, where she was called by the death of her sister.

Miss Neena Shryock, of Elkins Park, Pa., has returned to her home after spending some time visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Mort Randall and son, of New York City, are house guests of Dr. and Mrs. William Meyer, who entertained at bridge Friday evening in honor of their guests.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Bready entertained the Friday Night Bridge Club at a dinner on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Grace Stevenson White, of Ballston, Va., spent last week-end at the home of Mrs. George Buell.

Mrs. Warren Rosenberger, of Alexandria, Va., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Thompson.

The Rev. Peyton Craighill, of Leesburg, Va., was the guest speaker at the Lenten services held in the Episcopal church Friday evening.

Herndon Masonic Lodge, No. 264, will hold its regular meeting Monday evening. The third degree will be conferred on Wilby Nalles.

Herndon Chapter, No. 55, Order of Eastern Star, held its regular meeting Wednesday evening in the Masonic Lodge Hall. Guests of the chapter were the right worthy grand secretary of the general grand chapter, Mrs. Minnie Evans Keyes, of Washington, and her assistant secretary Miss Eva Hasselquist, of Michigan. After the business session three candidates were initiated, Mrs. Frank McMillan Jones, Miss Maud Yount and Mrs. Genevieve Hanes. Mrs. James Sellars, of Vienna, sang during the initatory work, accompanied by Miss Estelle Thompson at the piano.

An address was given by the right worthy grand secretary and she was presented with a gift from the Herndon Chapter by the worthy matron, Mrs. Eudora Armfield. The worthy matron asked that a picture of the late Dr. Charles F. Russell be hung in the lodge room in memory of Dr. Russell, who was a charter member of the Herndon Chapter.

Annual Banquet Held by Mothers

The annual banquet of the mother's class of Calvary M. E. Church was held at the Kenesaw Cafe on last Friday evening, when the speaker, Dr. Mark Depp, pastor of the church, and Mrs. Depp were guests of honor. Others at the speaker's table were Mr. and Mrs. William Ross Dellett, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hoover, Dr. and Mrs. Hugh L. Dryden, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Potter, Mr. George Stevens, Mrs. J. W. Medley and Miss Virginia Wilson.

Additional guests were Mrs. George Edwin Adams, Mrs. Dudley W. Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Arwood, Mrs. Lyndon H. Baylies, Mrs. W. M. Bane, Mrs. M. Berry, Mrs. Sterling Gardner, Mrs. William Hellmuth and guest, Mrs. L. F. Houston, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Jackson, Mrs. John W. Edwards, Miss Laurine Edwards, Mrs. D. L. Morgan, Mrs. H. S. Millican, Mrs. W. F. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Palmer, Mrs. E. A. Rule, Mrs. N. P. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Parkhurst, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Root, Mr. and Mrs. Ray L. Smith, Mrs. Mary Triplett, Mrs. J. W. Waldron, Mrs. L. A. Walker, Mrs. E. C. Wallis, Mrs. E. Beckett, Mrs. E. C. Winters, Mr. and Mrs. Wineberger, Mrs. A. M. Daniels, Miss Bess Miles, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wolf, Miss Adah Bagby and Mrs. Bagby.

Mr. Joseph K Moyer has returned to his home at the Broadmoor after being in New York several days.

The Daughters of Isabella of the District of Columbia will hold a charity card party at the Kennedy-Warren tomorrow at 2 p. m.

Those in charge of the arrangements are Mrs. Frank Wall and Mrs. James G. Haskell.

Social Events Of Past Week In Hyattsville

Bridge Parties and Many Entertainments Feature Recent Happenings.

Mrs. George E. Hartley had as her guests over the week-end and holiday her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Chaney, of York, Pa.

Miss Doris Owings, of Owings Station, Md., has returned to her home after spending some time with her sister, Mrs. G. L. Harrison, in her home on Oak street.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Furman entertained at supper on Sunday evening when their guests were Mr. and Mrs. George B. Furman, jr., Mrs. Marguerite M. Sands, Mr. Arthur Briggs, of New York; Mr. Brooke Furman, Mrs. G. L. O'Hare, Miss Blanche Brooke and Mr. Francis M. Sands.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Rogers have returned to their home on Johnson avenue after spending some time in Florida. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers visited St. Augustine, Ormond Beach, Miami and Jacksonville.

The regular weekly meeting of the St. Vincent de Paul Society of St. Jerome's Catholic Church was held on Sunday morning in the rectory immediately after the late mass.

Mr. Elmer Bowler was host to a small group of friends on Saturday evening in his home on Ralston avenue. The guests included Miss Rosalie Palmer, Miss Jean Furgit, Miss Edith Brookhart, Miss Evelyn Kerr, Mr. J. C. Lee, Mr. Richard Casteel and Mr. Carlton Plant.

Master Austin Furman, who has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Furman, on Owens avenue, for several days, has returned to his studies at Leonard Hall Academy, Leonardtown, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee J. Maisel were hosts at bridge on Wednesday evening in their home on Bailey avenue. In the company were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lanehardt, Mrs. Eleanor McMahon, Mr. Lester Working, Miss Marian Norris and Mr. Samuel H. Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. John K. Harrison have as their guest in their home on Shepherd street Mr. Harrison's mother, Mrs. L. J. Harrison, of Suitland, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee J. Maisel have returned to their home on Bailey avenue from Mount Washington, Baltimore, where they were the guests for the week-end of Mrs. Albert Gumpel.

Mrs. Leone Kerbow has as her guest Miss Ruth Youngblood, of New York City. Miss Youngblood was formerly a resident of Hyattsville.

West Virginians Will Hear Morgan

The West Virginia Society will hold its regular meeting in the ballroom of the Meridian Mansions Wednesday evening.

Mr. E. F. Morgan, former governor of the State, now solicitor for the Department of Commerce, will give a short address on George Washington's contacts with West Virginia in driving the Indians from the frontier, exploring and surveying lands, marching across the State in the service of the English king, in charge of soldiers enlisted from the territory now embraced in West Virginia, and his visits to his lands, of which he had large holdings, and his philanthropic bequest of Berkley Springs.

Mr. William E. Braithwaite, a native of West Virginia, will sing a group of songs during the evening written by West Virginia composers. There will also be dancing and cards.

Bowie

Special to The Washington Post.

Bowie, Md., Feb. 27.—Mrs. Nettie Fowler and Mrs. Robert Weagly were guests at the home of Mrs. V. M. Nichols last week.

Mrs. Lorraine Randle was the overnight guest of Mrs. Mildred Corey in Washington recently.

Mrs. Mildred Thornton entertained the Bible study class on last Thursday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Kelbaugh, Miss Louise Kelbaugh, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Fletcher, Mrs. Mabel Nichols, Miss Frieda Martin, the Rev. W. E. Nelson, Mrs. Marvin Bischoff, Master Barton Kelbaugh and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Garibaldi.

Mr. Elder, of Cox Station, is the house guest of his daughter, Mrs. Guy Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Joffe and Mrs. R. L. Joffe, of Baltimore, were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Horwitz.

Mr. Robert Newman, of Washington, was the guest last week of Mr. Robert Harman.

Miss Gertrude Trott has returned to her home in Newark, N. J., after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Trott.

Mrs. Oscar Carlson entertained at dinner and bridge on last Saturday. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weagly, Col. and Mrs. Dwork, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Addison and Mr. and Mrs. Hanson Boyden.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Fletcher and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Thornton spent Sunday and Monday with relatives in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fowler, Miss Lorraine Randle, Mrs. Robert Smith, Mrs. Alice Nichols and Mrs. V. M. Nichols motored to Mount Vernon last Monday. Mr. Fowler was appointed one of the guards for the grand council of the order of De Molay on the pilgrimage to Mount Vernon to place a wreath on the tomb of George Washington and also to Arlington to place a wreath on the tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

Mr. and Mrs. Birdsie Knowles were hosts to a company on last Friday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Kelbaugh, Mrs. Harry McCauley, Mrs. Earle Porter, Mrs. V. M. Nichols, Mrs. Alice Nichols of Mayo, Mrs. John White and Mrs. Marvin Bischoff.

Southern Visits Made by Many Fairfax People

Wedding of Metrah Makely and Miss Lelia De Burt Solemnized Last Week.

Miss Virginia Spottswood Burwell, of Indian Camp, near Richmond, is a guest at the home of Miss Betty Bland Stuntz at Five Oaks.

Miss Hazel Williams, of Roundhill, is the guest of Mrs. Elmer Dove on Cedar street.

Sheriff and Mrs. Eppa P. Kirby left Tuesday morning for a motor trip through the Southern States. They intend to visit Cuba later.

The Rev. Peyton Craighill, of Leesburg, was the guest speaker at the meeting of the Fairfax Rotary Club on Tuesday.

Mrs. George White, of Burke, is in Florida visiting relatives.

Dr. S. R. Donohoe, who was visiting his sisters, Mrs. F. Shield McCandlish and Mrs. George B. Robey, has returned to his home in Norfolk.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert T. Woodson on Payne street last week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Sneed and children and Mrs. John Sneed, of Petersburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Sneed, of Fork Union, Va.

Wilson M. Farr and F. Shield McCandlish were in Richmond on Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Miss Lelia N. De Burt, of Fairfax, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William I. De Burt, and Metrah Makely, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Makely, of Clifton, were married in Fairfax last week.

Frances Cornell, of Burke, celebrated her birthday last week with a party. Her guests were Eva Jerman, Ernstine White, Jane Milner, Florence Jones, Roberta Jane Rice, Albert Blevins, Albert Rice Blevins, Mrs. D. S. Blevins and Mrs. R. H. Rice.

Tuesday Is Palais Royal Day!!

A Semi-annual Sale Event On a Big Scale

Prices down to the lowest levels in years. You have seen phenomenal values in past sales, but with the existing low commodity prices we have been able to excel past efforts.

Read the Newspapers Monday Afternoon

for our announcement and come to the Palais Royal early Tuesday and prepare to see remarkably low prices on desirable new goods.

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COMMITTEES NAMED FOR CITIZEN GROUP

Rhode Island Association Organization Announced by President.

E. J. Sievers, president of the Rhode Island Avenue Citizens' Association recently announced the standing committees of the organization for 1932. They are as follows:

Membership—Ora E. Haines, chairman; F. J. Augustine, vice chairman; R. Condy Long, J. B. Tinker, F. W Goodman, J. F. Carlson, J. Q. Buzbee, Arthur Davis, P. A. Mertz and B. H. Byers.

Legislation—William J. Byrne, chairman; George H. Pallridge, vice chairman; Frank T. Horner, Paul D. P. Spearman, H. G. Warburton, William Ristig, Francis J. Crilley, C. O Pierce.

Schools—George L. Gee, chairman; Mrs. H. A. Stickel, Mrs. Emil Smith, Mrs. J. L. Mitchell, Mrs. W. E. Perry, Mrs. Charles C. Pierce, Mrs. H. J. Clay, W. B. Putman, Dr. Lawrence H. James, Dr. John I. Hardy, M. C. Wilson.

Streets and sidewalks—A. L. Foster, chairman; T. J. Llewellyn, vice chairman; W. H. Dunn, Paul O. Jamieson, Walter Brem, James A. Hall, William R. Love.

Public Utilities—Dr. Freeman Weiss, chairman; W. J. McGhee, vice chairman; James May, Henry Spitsbergen, D. F. Kull, David J. Burke, Jr.

Zoning—J. H. Ledger, chairman; A. L. Peterson, vice chairman; V. R. Durst, Conrad M. Chaney, William S. Torbert, J. Bernard Lerch, W. H. Lawson.

Parks—L. M. Clarke, chairman; A. H. Engelbrecht, vice chairman; Dr. R J. Haskell, Charles E. Dietz, W. A. Aberg, J. H. Ledger.

Fire and police—J. F. McBeth, chairman; J. H. Timke, T. S. Mallon, sr., John H. Buckingham, R. E. Mague, R. E. Dickerson, William Hyde, J. A. Duerkaen.

Lights and mails—Chester R. Smith, chairman; French Morgan, vice chairman; W. B. Sullivan, Herbert F. Statesir, Mrs. W. E. Bolen, A. W. Davenport.

Sewers and water—M. C. Wilson, chairman; Joseph B. Higdon, vice chairman; Frank Ralston, B. F. Edwards, M. P. Fabrizio, J. E. Scheuch J. L. Bateman.

Health and sanitation—Arthur F. Sievers, chairman; Dr. E. M. Nelson, vice chairman; R. W. Trullinger, Dr. A. E. Cowles, James Silver.

Meetings—Mrs. Paul O. Davis chairman; Mrs. Janet W. Torbert, vice chairman; Miss Kathryne Donahay, Miss Lorena Mondereau, George R Coergens, H. D. Lambert.

Press—James O. Bouton, chairman; William R. Love, W. H. Masincup.

Special Committees.

Use covenant—C. C. Marsh, chairman; W. S. Torbert, C. C. Hohner, James May, Dr. Allan E. Cowler, R. W Werth.

Bicentennial—W. H. Dunn, chairman; G. L. Gee, M. E. Bailey. The president is also ex-officio a member of the Northeast suburban bicentennial committee.

Representatives on executive committee of Woodridge Garden Club—L. M. Clarke, A. H. Engelbrecht.

Delegate to Public School Association—George L. Gee.

With the Citizens

The various citizens' associations will start devoting more of their time and energy henceforth this spring to purely community matters and less to District legislation in view of the fact that most of them have already taken a stand one way or another on pending District bills.

The everpresent traffic problems offer an inexhaustible source for local improvement, although the organizations often ask more than the traffic director and the District Commissioners can grant, because of the effect on the whole city. Inauguration of garden contests, clean-up campaigns, and the like are in order with the advent of spring weather.

Federation of Citizens Associations is scheduled to meet Saturday night, but its most controversial matters have been disposed of during the last three or four hectic meetings. Many of the less important committees, however, will at last have an opportunity to report, as they have recently been crowded out by the law and legislation committee and at the last meeting by the committee on fiscal relations.

A revival of interest in the Mapes tax bill will be apparent both in the federation and in the various community groups after the Bureau of Efficiency makes its report and when the Senate opens its commmittee hearings.

Three of the associations meeting this week, those scheduled for tomorrow night, postponed their sessions from last Monday night on account of the opening of the Washington Bicentennial celebration. Quite a number of the organizations are planning to hold special meetings in observance of the Bicentennial, as the Conduit Road Citizens Association did last Thursday night.

Citizen Meetings

Following are the citizens' associations scheduled to meet this week:

MONDAY.

Anacostia Citizens Association, at Masonic Hall.

Georgetown, at Potomac Savings Bank.

Mid-City, at Thomson School.

TUESDAY.

Columbia Heights, at New Amsterdam Hotel.

Columbia Park, at George Truesdell School.

North Cleveland Park, at Home for Incurables.

WEDNESDAY.

Central, at North Capitol Savings Bank.

Friendship, at Janney School.

FRIDAY.

Chillum Heights, at Woodburn School.

SATURDAY.

Federation, at District Building.

Concealed Gun Charge Exacts Bond in $2,000

Walter Owen Young, jr., was held in $2,000 bond to face a charge of carrying a concealed weapon when he was arraigned in Police Court yesterday.

Young, police said, was engaged in a battle with a patrol wagon driver in front of the Second Precinct Station when Sergt. R. B. Carroll and Policeman Frank Marshall seized him. A subsequent search disclosed a loaded revolver, and he was charged with carrying a concealed weapon. Young demanded a jury trial.

New Asteroid Discovered.

Rome, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The observatory at Turin today reported the discovery of a new asteroid of the fourteenth degree, 25 miles in diameter, near the constellation of the Great Bear.

Youth Is Held in $500 In Baffle Ball Charge

Amen Hillow, 19 years old, yesterday demanded a jury trial when he was arraigned in Police Court on a charge of permitting a group of eight boys to play a "baffle-ball" table which had been set up in his father's store, at 812 Thirteenth street northwest.

He was released on $500 bond for a jury trial on March 16. The eight boys were told to be in court as Government witnesses when the case is called up.

Assets, $256; Liabilities, $16,276.40.

William H. Smith, a salesman, of 1877 Monroe street northwest, yesterday filed a petition asking that he be adjudged a voluntary bankrupt. Through Attorney Louis Pearlstein he listed assets of $256 and liabilities of $16,276.40.

Memphis Woman Given Estate of $3,550,000

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Mrs. Blanche H. Karsch, of Memphis, whose early life was spent in an orphanage on lower Fifth avenue in New York City, today was given clear title to the $3,550,000 estate left by her foster mother, the late Mrs. Kate E. Hamilton, also of Memphis.

An effort of blood relatives of the late Eugene Magevney, father of Mrs. Hamilton, and founder of the estate, to wrest the fortune from Mrs. Karsch, failed when Chancellor M. C. Ketchum held the adoption of Mrs. Karsch a legal one. Chancellor Ketchum also held that Mrs. Hamilton had an absolute title to the estate of her father. Other relatives contended she only had a life interest in the estate.

Survey Reveals Food Price Drop

Decline of More Than 4 Per Cent in Month Is Announced.

(Associated Press.)

The Bureau of Labor Statistics announced yesterday that retail food prices in 51 United States cities declined an average of 4 1-3 per cent between December 15 and January 15.

The bureau said prices were only 9.3 per cent higher on January 15 than they were in 1913 and 17 2-3 per cent lower than on the same date a year ago.

Norfolk, Va., was the only city in the group to show an increase during the month, food prices rising 1 per cent.

Georgia Republicans Hold Stormy Meeting

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 27 (A. P.).—Ben J. Davis, Negro secretary of the Georgia Republican central committee, resigned during a stormy committee session here today.

The committee set March 19 as the date for county conventions to name delegates to the State convention, which will be held in Atlanta March 26. Delegates to the national convention will be named at the Atlanta meeting. Reading of the committee roll precipitated a storm of protest, led by Toby Grant, Negro woman candidate for national committeewoman, and Frank A. Doughman, white lawyer, whose names were omitted along with a number of others.

ItalyEnters Buy-at-Home Campaign Half-Hearted

Rome (U.P.).—The campaign for national products proceeds here rather half-heartedly. There are a number of posters exhorting the public "not to take the bread from the mouths of Italian children" by spending their money on imported goods when equally good Italian articles can be obtained for the same price. Similar advertisements also appear in the press, but not in abundance.

The National Fascist Institute of Copenhagen and the Fascist Federation of Cooperative Societies have issued instructions requesting cooperative societies to abstain from selling foreign products when national products of similar price and quality are available.

Rich Radium Deposit Is Found in Arctic

Columbus, Ohio (U.P.).—Discovery of a rich bed of radium, rarest and most precious of all mineral deposits, was reported here by Shirley R. Cragg, mining engineer.

The report was made when Cragg, with offices at Toronto, Ontario, visited Frank A. Ray, professor emeritus of mining engineering at Ohio State University.

Cragg and colleagues have located claims on Great Bear Lake, Ontario, near the Arctic circle, where they said they had found great quantities of pitchblende. The substance contains uranium, which is the source of radium.

Ray said the deposit also was believed to contain gold, silver and copper. The mineralized region extends over several thousands of acres.

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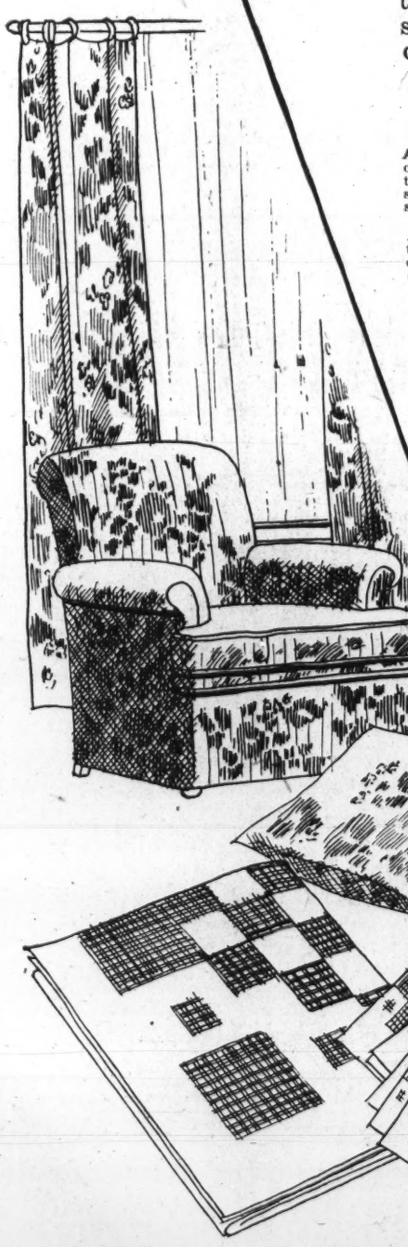
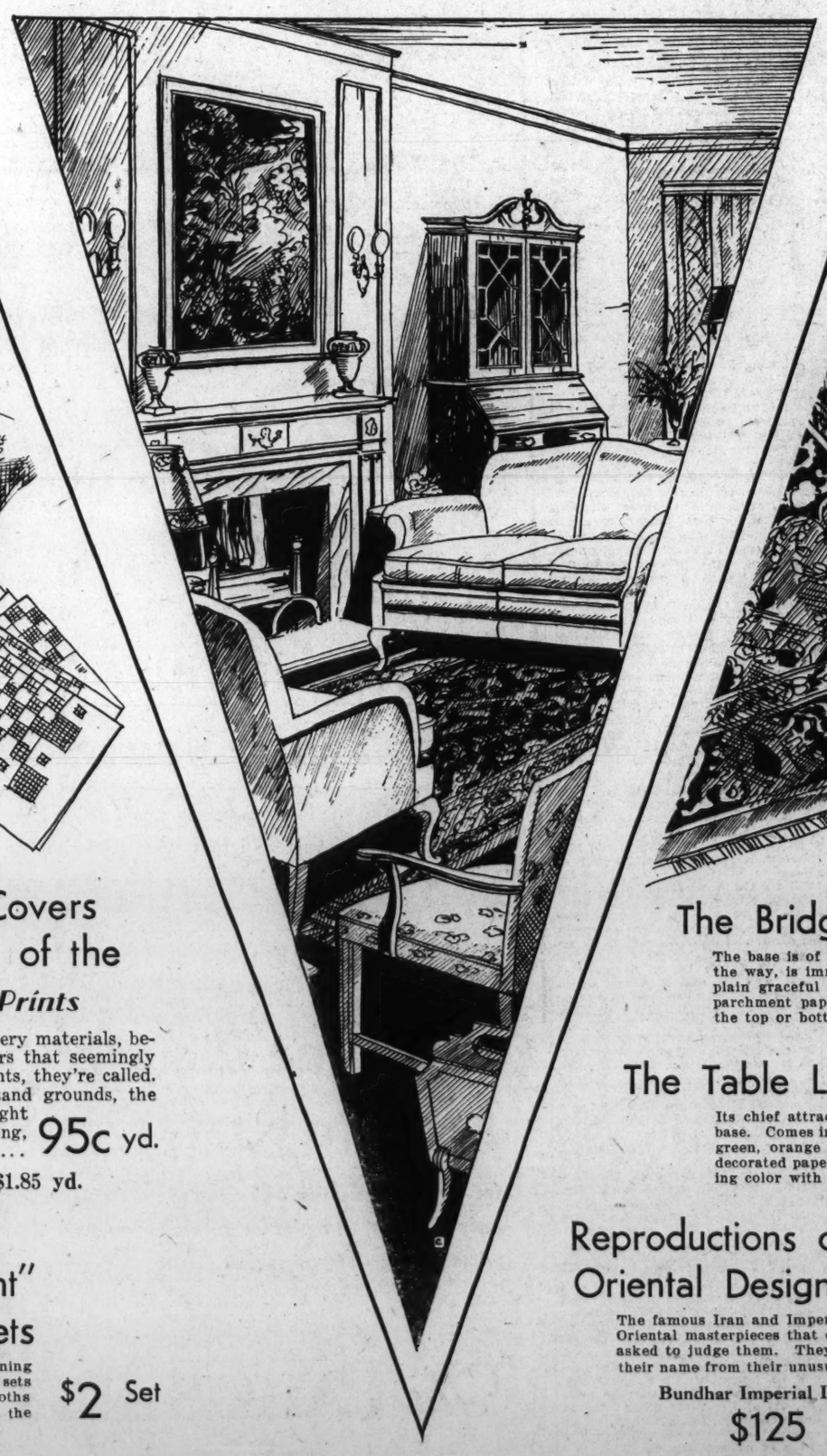
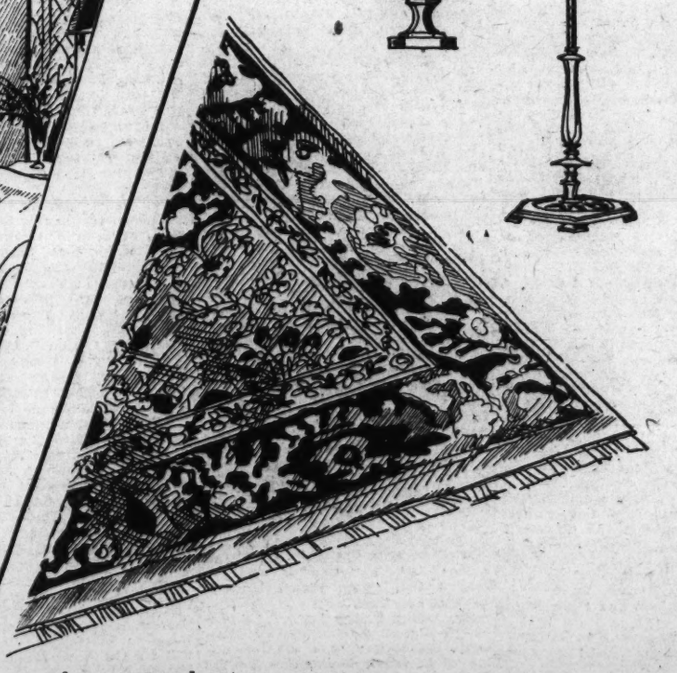
A new type of chair that comes just between the large lounging chair and the conventional occasional chair—semi-overstuffed in a choice of newest coverings. **$25.00**

A Governor Winthrop secretary desk in red or brown mahogany. It has three shelves at the top, four drawers and a secret drawer compartment. **$39.50**

A Chippendale occasional chair covered in a choice of many attractive and tasteful covers of small figured tapestries or plain friezettes. **$17.75**







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New 7-Piece "Peasant" Dinner or Luncheon Sets

Following the trend for more color in the dining room—these attractive linen luncheon or dinner sets in solid colors of peach, rose or gold. The cloths are size 53x70 inches. With four napkins. Note the unusual pattern of the weave. **$2 Set**

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The base is of rich bronze finish . . . bronze, by the way, is immensely stylish now . . . note the plain graceful arm. The shade is in decorated parchment paper with trim of brass gallery on the top or bottom. Complete. **$9.45**

The Table Lamp

Its chief attraction is the unusual shape of the base. Comes in two-tone colors of old ivory with green, orange or gold. The shade is of hand-decorated paper parchment and is of a harmonizing color with the base. Complete **$7.45**

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A. U. PLANS LECTURE AT GOETHE SERVICES

German Ambassador Invited to Hear Dr. Kuehnemann at Exercises Tomorrow.

The German Ambassador, Herr Friedrich W. von Prittwitz und Gaffron, will be guest of honor at American University tomorrow morning, at ceremonies in commemoration of the great German author, Goethe, when Dr. Eugen Kuehnemann, professor of philosophy at Breslau University, will speak on "The Personality of Goethe."

The occasion will be at college chapel, on the campus, which, for this special service, will be held at 11 o'clock instead of the usual hour of 10. The ceremonies are sponsored by the new German Club of the college, of which Max Tucker is president.

Elaborate plans are being made for the Institute of Far Eastern Affairs to be held at the Graduate School of the university, and other places, March 21 and 22, under direction of university officials. The institute was made possible through the generosity of Chester D. Pugsley of Peekskill, N. Y. Its purpose is to bring together those especially interested in the Far East, and through addresses and discussions, to aid in reaching a better understanding of the present problems in the Orient. A list of distinguished speakers has been arranged.

Dr. Christie to Speak.

Dr. Arthur C. Christie, president of the Board of Trustees of American University, will speak at vesper service this evening at Metropolitan Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church, at 6 o'clock, sponsored by the American University Student Christian Association.

Preliminary plans are being made by Dr. Walter M. W. Splawn, dean of the graduate school of American University, for a summer school to be held June 20 to July 29, at 1901-1907 F street. Dr. C. C. Tansill and Dr. Charles O. Hardy will present courses in history and banking, respectively. There will be unusual offerings also, Dr. Splawn announced, in education, in which some of the leading educators and experts of the country will participate.

There will be two debates at the college campus this week, the men meeting Rutgers University at Hurst Hall on Thursday night at 8 o'clock and the women's team meeting Syracuse University women Friday afternoon at Hurst Hall at 2:30 o'clock.

Party Friday Night.

The important social and dramatic function of the week will be the reception and party to be given Friday night at the gymnasium auditorium by the Women's Guild of American University to the college students and invited guests. The Dramatic Club, under direction of Will Hutchins, will present two one-act plays, and both the men's and women's glee clubs, under direction of Harlan Randall, will sing. Refreshments will be served afterward in the women's residence. Mrs. P. M. Anderson, president of the guild, is in charge of arrangements.

Dr. Lucius C. Clark, chancellor of American University, returned Thursday from a trip, during which he attended the convention at Richmond, Va., of the National Association of Junior Colleges. Afterward he visited nine junior colleges in the State of Virginia.

The new promotion committee of American University, of which Dr. Christie is chairman, met last night to formulate plans for next year at all three schools of the institution. Reports were presented by subcommittees and definite plans for the coming academic year were laid down.

Arts Enrollment High.

Enrollment at the College of Liberal Arts has reached its high peak for the seven-year history of this school, according to Dr. George B. Woods, dean. The college enrollment now stands at 742, which is a 7 per cent increase over last year. Dr. Woods will deliver an address before the Washington Shakespeare Society at the Corcoran Art Gallery, March 7. He has been appointed for the fifth time to serve as chairman of the National Spelling Bee, which is to be held here May 24.

The Ellsworth Tompkins trophy for victory in interclass basket ball is soon to be presented to the Senior class team, which went through the season undefeated.

Dr. J. Phelps Hand, pastor of Wesley Methodist Episcopal Church, will address college chapel next Tuesday morning.

Alpha Chapter, Phi Delta Gamma, initiated new members at a special meeting at the home of Elma Moulton, 1351 Girard street, last Wednesday night, when the following were taken into membership: Cynthia Crocker, Grace J. Gowens, Mrs. Florence Stewart, Mayme Turner and Frances Waldron. The presiding officer was the president, Miss Hazel Keagans.

John Marshall Chapter, Chi Psi Omega, of the Graduate School, entertained men of the Graduate School at a smoker last night at the new fraternity room at 1901 F street.

Woman's Relief Corps

Woman's Relief Corps, Department of the Potomac, attended with the honors at the divine memorial services held in the Douglas Memorial Church, Eleventh and H streets northeast, last Sunday at 11 a. m., in honor of George Washington.

The department president, Mrs. Louise Watson, was present with many of her staff officers, including: Mrs. Isabel Bontz, senior vice president; Mrs. Anna Horne, junior vice president; Mrs. Addie W. Hickman, department inspector; Mrs. Myrtle Loebback Burke, department senior aide, and Mrs. Delia L. O'Brien, department press correspondent.

The department colors were carried by Miss H. Moore, Mrs. Ecker, Mrs. Hickman, Miss Scott and Mrs. Di Marzo.

Each of the following corps presidents was presented with the colors of her corps: Miss Mary Howarth, of Barnside; Mrs. Cora Manoly, of Lincoln; Mrs. Marie Summers, of Kit Carson, and Mrs. Agnes Sibley, of Phil Sheridan. All colors of the Woman's Relief Corps were stacked in the chancel together with the colors of other allied organizations, creating quite a pretty picture.

The pastor of the church, Rev. A. H. McKinley, spoke interestingly on "George Washington as a Christian."

After the benediction the colors retired while the entire assemblage sang "My Country 'Tis of Thee."

At the conclusion of the ceremony Rev. McKinley held a reception in the Sunday School room.

Trinity College Arranges Foreign Affairs Program

Representative Owen Will Be First Speaker Over Radio.

Miss Jeanne Butler, president of the International Relations Club, Trinity College, has arranged a series of radio programs designed to stimulate the interest of students in foreign affairs by acquainting them with countries about which little is generally known.

Miss Butler will introduce Representative Ruth Bryan Owen, the first speaker of the series, who will discuss "The Part of the Student in International Affairs," on Tuesday, at 2:30. The programs will be broadcast from Station WRC.

The Oregon system of debating will be demonstrated before the debating society of Trinity, Tuesday, by Miss Kathyrn Walsh, of Davenport, Iowa, first negative; Miss Catherine Redmond, Washington, second negative; Miss Regina Biggs, Washington, third negative, and Miss Sheila Doody, Washington, first affirmative; Miss Dorothy Brown, Bridgeport, Conn., second affirmative; Miss Mary Droppleman, Cincinnati, third affirmative.

The question debated will be "Resolved, That capitalism as an economic system is unsound in principle."

According to this system, Miss Doody will give a fifteen-minute constructive speech. Miss Walsh will give her constructive speech next. Miss

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Redmond will then cross-examine Miss Doody according to the rules of a law court. Miss Brown follows with a cross-examination of Miss Walsh. Then Miss Biggs will draw the conclusions for the neegative and sum up their case. Miss Droppleman will do the same for the affirmative and close the debate.

COLUMBIAN SOCIETY SELECTS DEBATERS

Six Prize Contests Will Be Held by Columbus University Students.

Debaters for the series of prize debates which are being held at Columbus University have been selected by the Columbian Society. Frank O'Connor and Vincent Sheehy, with Dunchan Seckulitch as alternate, will represent the upper classmen against the freshman team of Miss Helen Dolan, Richard Huhn, and the alternate; Miss Bess Squires, in the second prize debate on February 29.

Members of both teams were chosen from a large field of contestants who entered the tryouts several weeks ago. Those chosen displayed unusual ability to secure positions on the teams.

At the last meeting of the Columbian Society, Prof. Thomas W. O'Brien announced that he had accepted the position of moderator in place of Sefton Darr, who resigned recently.

Committees in charge of arrangements for the senior prom which will be held in the gold room of the Shoreham Hotel, April 2, have been appointed by Presidents David F. Williams, of the law school, and George G. Cozzens, jr., of the accountancy school, both of whom will serve on the reception committee.

J. Gearin Enright, Ray J. Walter and Kathleen C. Connors will serve on the patrons committee; Helen A. Furey and Bart J. Walshe will be in charge of music; Beatrice Smith, Helen Furey, favors; Sarah C. Moriarty, Francis X. Plant and Elmer E. Cummins, printing; Douglas B. Warrenfels and William K. Hutchinson, publicity; Robert W. Tappan, Irene S. Bontz and Arthur A. O'Leary, decorations; J. Chase McKenzie, Paul A. Graves and Roger J. Cullinane, entertainment, and Ralph B. Manherz, John F. Hillyard and Frank E. Newman, tickets.

In order to arose greater interest in and greater efforts toward bettering the standing of women in the field of accountancy, business and commerce, and to promote sociability between the women students of the school the women of the accountancy school have organized the Alpha Chi Upsilon Sorority.

At the first meeting last Wednesday, Virginia Calvagno was chosen president, Katherine E. Burns, vice president, and Eleanor C. Fanning, secretary-treasurer. At the same meeting, committees on membership, social activities and debating were appointed.

The latest issue of the school publication, the Skipper, was distributed to those who attended the school boxing match Monday night. Distribution was made under direction of Millard Wood, circulation manager.

STUDENT LAWYERS PLAN MURDER TRIAL

National University Law School Will Have Moot Court on Saturday.

Student lawyers are massing their powers at National University this week in preparation for a murder trial in the law school's moot court on Friday. "Kilrey Gunn" is the moot defendant, and he will go on "trial" for shooting a "fellow employe" of the very "courthouse" in which his case will be conducted.

"Gunn" has retained as chief defense counsel P. E. Henninger, who will be assisted by A. J. Dixon and L. P. Walsh, all seniors at the National University Law School. A. L. Cricher, as "district attorney" will prosecute the case personally, so important an action on the moot court schedule is the annual murder trial regarded. Mr. Cricher's assistants in the prosecution will be R. M. Charles and R. A. Elliott.

Interest in the trial of the case and in the verdict—to be rendered by a "jury" of freshmen—is rife among all the classes.

One of the important banquets of the university year was held at the Hamilton last week when the Cy Pres Club, largest organization of woman students at the university, heard Representative W. I. Nolan, of Minnesota, discuss the human phases of George Washington's life.

Prof. Willett was toastmaster, and Miss Hazel Palmer, president of the club, presided. Mrs. Grace S. Dawson was chairman of the committee on arrangements, and Miss Mary Cavis was chairman of the reception committee.

Other speakers at the banquet were Prof. Godfrey L. Munter and Prof. H. Winship Wheatley. Mrs. Charles Francis Carusi, vice chancellor and dean of women, was guest of honor.

Five students were initiated by Pi Alpha Epsilon Fraternity of National last week. They were Everett Mayo, James Parker, Irwin Powers, Earl Strong and B. Tobias. Dr. Charles Mayo, dean of the school of economics and government, who was elected recently an honorary member of the fraternity, was presented with a frat pin.

Dr. Yi Chun Ho, Chinese student who is pursuing research at the Library of Congress, addressed National University's Segnu Forum during the week on the situation in Manchuria and Shanghai.

A special session of the university's class in common law pleading will be held in lower hall at the university at 10:30 o'clock this morning. Similarly, a special session of the criminal law class will be held at 3:30 p. m. Saturday.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

The Music Hour will be held today at the Y. W. C. A. at 5 o'clock in Barker Hall. The Madrigal Singers, under the direction of Mrs. John Milton Sylvester, will give the program. Tea will be served at 4 o'clock preceding the Music Hour in the lobby on the first floor by the members of the Piney Branch Chapter.

Preceding the Music Hour there will be a presentation to the Y. W. C. A. of a stone face found on the Appalachian Trail in Pennsylvania which is said to resemble George Washington. This service will be held at 4:30 o'clock in the living room.

Committee meetings for the week include: K Street House, Tuesday at 11 a. m.; public affairs, Wednesday at 3:30 p. m.; Kamp Kouncil, Saturday at 6:30 p. m.

Dupont Chapter will meet Monday at 2:30 p. m., in the third floor assembly room at the Y. W. C. A.

Chevy Chase Chapter will meet Tuesday, at 2:30 p. m., in the Chevy Chase Baptist Church. Rev. Edward O. Clark, pastor of the church, will give a Lenten talk. There will be special organ music. Mrs. Hubert R. Snoke will be hostess at tea following the meeting.

There will be a special meeting of all Junior High School advisers of Girl Reserve Clubs Monday at 4 o'clock at the Y. W. C. A. Plans for a spring project will be made and program methods will be discussed.

The Semper Fidelis G. R. Club of McKinley High School will have a membership party Wednesday in the sunparlor of the Y. W. C. A.

The Bon Secour Girl Reserve Club will have a hobby meeting on Friday under the direction of Helen Shepherd, hobby chairman.

The music chairman in each Senior High School G. R Club will meet Friday at 4 o'clock with Miss Helen Middleton. New song sheets will be distributed and there will be practice in song leading.

The Senior High School G. R. Council will meet in the Girl Reserve Club rooms at 5 o'clock.

The music hour will be held at 4 o'clock today at 614 E street, followed by tea at 5 o'clock.

The Optimists' Club will hold a dinner meeting Tuesday at 6:30 o'clock at 614 E street. There will be a musical program, and Miss Elizabeth Beatty, case worker from the Travelers' Aid, will speak on the work of that organization. Motion pictures will be shown afterward.

The monthly dinner of the Business and Professional Women's Department will be held Tuesday at 6:30 o'clock. Mrs. Raymond Dickey, violinist, will play early American and Indian music. Miss Evelyn Pierce, of the Seneca tribe, will tell of interesting Indian customs.

The Blue Triangle Club of the B. and P. Department will meet for supper Thursday, followed by the monthly business meeting.

The Silverelle Club will meet Friday for basket ball at 6:45, followed by an hour of handcrafts.

D. of U. V.

Mrs. Ellen Spencer Mussey Tent, Daughters of Union Veterans, accompanied by their president, Mrs. Nan Slattery, her staff and about 60 members bearing tags and dressed in white, attended the joint services of the Grand Army, Spanish-American War Veterans, Woman's Relief Corps, Sons of Union Veterans and the auxiliaries to the Sons, held in honor of the Bicentennial of Washington, at the Douglas Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church, Eleventh and H streets northeast, Sunday morning, February 21, at 11 a. m. The Rev. Dr. A. H. McKinley, pastor, delivered the address, taking as his theme "Washington, the Christian." There were over 200 visitors present.

Friday evening, February 26, the tent held its regular meeting at 808 I street northwest, convening for business and initiation of new members at 7:30 p. m. and adjourned at 9 p. m., as the tent was giving a colonial tea to celebrate the birthdays of Washington and Lincoln.

The tent will hold its monthly memorial exercises at the tomb of the Civil War Unknown in Arlington National Cemetery Sunday, March 6, at 2 p. m.

SUMMER COURSES PLANNED BY G.W.U.

Special Social Studies to Be Offered; Faculty Is Arranged.

Continuing the program instituted last year, the George Washington University, during the summer sessions, will offer many special courses in its participation in the Bicentennial celebration.

In accord with Washington's expressed desire for instruction at the National Capital in "the principle of politics and good government," the university will emphasize courses in the social studies. In addition, special schedules have been prepared in the fields of teacher-training and the natural sciences. These are types of academic work which profit especially by the resources of the Federal Government and other institutions in Washington and which the university, because of its situation, is in the position to organize.

A full program of academic and professional courses in other branches of the university completes the summer curricula.

Faculty Is Arranged.

Many members of the resident faculty will teach during the summer months, offering basic courses, and several distinguished professors from other universities, as well as experts of the United States Government, have been added to the staff to give specialized courses.

The summer sessions will be held as follows: Nine weeks' term, June 20 to August 20; six weeks' term, July 5 to August 13. In the law school the first term will be from June 20 to August 3, and the second term from August 4 to September 17.

The school of government will give special attention to the general subject of Latin America. In addition to a background course in Hispanic American history, an unusual conference in Hispanic American affairs will be offered, giving students an exceptional opportunity to come into intimate contact with leading authorities in the field.

Courses for Teachers.

Courses for teachers will be offered in the school of education, which are new in material and presented by distinguished visiting specialists. The courses this year are arranged definitely to meet the needs of teachers of the various school levels. There are courses for teachers of very young children, for those who teach in the intermediate grades, and for junior and senior high school teachers.

Three seminars will provide opportunity for instructors of teachers' colleges and other advanced students to work on research problems, utilizing the library of the office of education and other resources not available elsewhere than in Washington. This year, for the first time, the six weeks' term will contain many courses of particular interest and value to teachers, thus giving them the opportunity to take work other than the professional courses of the school of education.

A cycle of field courses which not only are interrelated, but which serve as a groundwork for research in geology, botany and zoology, is the special offering in the field of natural sciences.

The summer sessions are under the direction of Dean Robert Whitney Bolwell.

E. H. Hege Addresses Business High Students

At the Business High School Assembly, on Wednesday and Thursday morning, Edwin F. Hege, a member of the Bicentennial Commission, spoke to the students about George Washington.

Mr. Hege, as a Boy Scout leader, was able to appeal to the students on the youth of Washington as an ideal one still to be followed in 1932. The chorus class of the school rendered patriotic songs. The exercises closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

Comedy to BeGiven By Church Society

'Come Out of the Kitchen' Is Vehicle Chosen by Endeavorers.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Reformed Church, at Thirteenth and Monroe streets northwest, will present a 3-act comedy, "Come Out of the Kitchen," under the direction of Mrs. Norma Haislip, on March 4.

In the cast will be Mrs. Harry Dowling, Helen Widmayer, Frieda Nau, Mary Helen Jarman, Theresa Jarrell, Roger Jarman, Calvin Ifert, Theodore Wilson, George Harting, Karl Nau and Edward Knouse.

Mrs. F. A. Loeffler, Edward W. Sanders, Helene Barnard, George C. Bakersmith and Theresa Jarrell are the committee chairmen arranging the play.

Representatives Speakers' On Howard's Charter Day

The sixty-fifth anniversary of the granting of its charter will be celebrated at Howard University Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock with special exercises in Rankin Chapel. The alumni-senior charter day dinner will be held at 8:15 in the university dining hall. The morning exercises will be featured by addresses by members of the subcommittee of the House committee on appropriations in charge of the Interior Department appropriation bill for 1933, including Representative Edward T. Taylor, Colorado; Repersentative Burton French, Idaho; Representative Frank Murphy, Ohio; Representative William W. Hastings, Oklahoma, and Representative William G. Greenfield, Massachusetts.

Music will be furnished by the university choir, the men's glee club and the women's glee club.

The faculty and alumni will act as hosts to the seniors of all departments at the alumni-senior dinner. Addresses will be made by Dr. Mordecai W. Johnson, university president; W. Justin Carter, representing the trustees; J. P. Murchison, representing the faculty; Nathan O. Dobbins, representing the alumni; Mae Miller for the alumnae, and Mrs. Alma J. Scott, president of the alumni association. Charles W. Williams will serve as master of ceremonies.

Dr. B. Price Hurst, instructor in roentgenology, will give the eighth lecture in the series sponsored by the University Medical College and Freedmen's Hospital, for nurses, social workers and the general public, at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening in the medical auditorium, on "Cancer—Causation, Diagnosis and Treatment."

"Death Takes a Holiday," a philosophical comedy by the Italian author, Alberto Cassella, will be presented in the university medical auditorium at 8:15 next Saturday evening by the dramatic club of Virginia State College. The Howard Players will appear in "Daniel," by G. D. Lipscombe, next Friday evening in Baltimore, under auspices of the Morgan College Players.

William H. Lewis, former Assistant United States Attorney General, lectured at the university law school Saturday on "Reminiscences of the Bar."

3 CATHOLIC U. MEN GIVEN HIGH HONORS

With Five Others Selected to Compete for Beaux Arts Prize.

Three students of the Catholic University School of Architecture, Theobold Holsopple, Edwin T. Pairo, of Washington, and Robert A. Weppner, of Cleveland, were among the eight selected from the second preliminary exercises at the judgment held at the Beaux-Arts Institute of Design in New York, February 18, to compete in the finals of the twenty-fifth Paris Prize in architecture.

The Paris Prize is awarded every year under the auspices of the Society of Beaux-Arts Architects and is endowed in memory of its founder, Lloyd Warren. It is the most sought after scholarship among many offered in the field of architecture, for the winner is admitted to the first class of the Ecole des Beaux-Arts in Paris and receives a stipend of $4,000 distributed over two and one-half years. The competition is particularly keen among the great universities of the country as a demonstration of superiority. Dr. Thomas H. Locraft, a graduate and now a member of the faculty of the Catholic University, won the prize in 1928 on his drawings for a "Supreme Court for a Large Republic."

Five of the competitors in the second preliminary, a greater number than from any other college in the country, were from the Catholic University. George Nelson and Robert Weppner received two of the four medals awarded. Paul A. Goettelmann was awarded a first mention. Nelson and Goettelmann are also from Washington. The department of architecture is under the direction of Prof. F. V. Murphy, F. A. I. A., a member of the firm of Murphy & Olmstead, prominent Washington architects, and he recently designed the new home for the Apostolic Delegate, which will be erected on Massachusetts avenue opposite the British Embassy.

The problem which was executed in 24 consecutive hours was "An Academy of Music," intended as a community for the advanced study of music by a group of American musicians.

Carl Niggel, Chick Scuderi, Paul Myers, Bill Hanrahan and Larry Baraldi represented the Omega Chapter of Phi Kappa at the annual convention of the fraternity held at Pittsburgh over the holiday.

Dr. Edmund C. Burnett, of the division of historical research, Carnegie Institution of Washington, will deliver a lecture tomorrow at 8 p. m. in McMahon Hall Auditorium on "The Continental Congress and the Achievement of National Unity." This will be the first of a series of lectures and events at the Catholic University as a part of its contribution to the George Washington Bicentennial celebration.

The newly formed Press Club has arranged to meet every Tuesday afternoon for instructions in news writing and to report assignments on campus activities.

Pi Delta Epsilon, the national honorary journalism fraternity, will be entertained at the Catholic University for one of its three-day sessions in Washington when it holds its annual convention in April, it has just been announced by Benjamin M. Morgan, president of the Catholic University Chapter.

The Shahan Debating Society will conduct a declamation contest this year instead of the usual intercollegiate debates in which it has participated in the past.

Columbian Women Meet on Tuesday

Constitution Will Be Revised; Annual Banquet on April 8.

The March meeting of Columbian Women of the George Washington University will be held Tuesday at 4 p. m. in Fellowship Hall of Western Presbyterian Church. The social hour, from 4 to 4:30, will be followed by an important business meeting, at which the revised constitution and by-laws will be presented for adoption.

The faculty section will meet on March 18. The literature section will meet at the clubhouse of the American Association of University Women, 1634 I street, Tuesday at 4:30. The sports section meets each Monday at 7:45 p. m. at the Y. W. C. A.

Culminating the year's activities, the twenty-fourth annual banquet will take place on the evening of Friday, April 8. Through the courtesy of the board of governors of the Chevy Chase Club it has again been made possible to hold the celebration there. The banquet will have a colonial theme, in keeping with the Bicentennial celebration.

Sixteenth Street Heights

The Sixteenth Street Heights Club held its monthly business meeting Tuesday, February 23, at the Takoma Park Inn with Mrs. Thomas W. Marshall as hostess. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Walter Emerson, 1316 Madison street, on March 8.

IN COMMUNITY PLAY

Harris & Ewing.

Four Washington women who will figure prominently in the 1932 one-act play tournament, which will open on Tuesday at East Washington Community Center. Left to right—Mrs. Elizabeth K. Peeples, chairman; Miss Lena G. Parks, director of the Park View Players; Miss Rebecca Dial, director of the Dial Studio Players, and Mrs. Aurora Posten, who will appear with the Columbia Players.

PRIZES ANNOUNCED IN DRAMA TOURNEY

One-Act Play Preliminaries, Under Guild's Auspices, to Open Tuesday.

Individual awards for good acting and for excellence in voice and diction will be given by the judges serving for the Community Center department and the Drama Guild, at the preliminaries of the annual One-Act Play Tournament, of the District of Columbia, which opens Tuesday at East Washington Community Center, Seventeenth and East Capitol streets.

The plays entered in the tournament will be judged according to the following standards: 40 per cent for acting, 20 per cent for choice of play, 20 per cent for direction, 10 per cent for voice and 10 per cent for stagecraft. The two best comedies and the two best serious plays will be chosen by the judges of the preliminaries to enter the finals, which will take place March 15 at McKinley Auditorium, when the dramatic critics of the Washington newspapers will be judges.

The judges of the preliminaries on March 1, 3, 8 and 10 are Miss Constance Connor Brown, Mrs. Maud Howell Smith, Mrs. W. J. Peters, Prof. Courtland D. Baker and Gerard Yates, S. J. All preliminary contests are to be staged at East Washington Community Center. Tickets are on sale to the public, at the T. Arthur Smith Bureau and the A. A. A., as well as at the Community Center department, and at the door. Reservations are now being made for the finals, also. Admission to the preliminary contests is 25 cents; admission to the finals is 50 cents and $1 for reserved seats.

The groups participating in the first night's program include the North Carolina Avenue Players, Women's City Club Drama Unit, Jewish Community Center Dramatic Society and the Woodlothians.

In the North Carolina Avenue Players are William Hayghe, Frances G. Donovan, Helen Foley, Hummer Acton and Mynor McIntyre. In the Women's City Club Drama Unit will be seen Margaret Moorhouse Graham, Ruth N. Snodgrass, Thelma Schmidt, Howard Whitfield and Violet Ann Hambleton. Players of the Jewish Community Center Dramatic Society are Lillian R. Specter, Edythe Lazeroff, Zelda F. Abrams, Billie A. Sachs, and Pearl Abrams. The Woodlothians to appear in the contest are Robert A. Halsted, Lucille H. Cohan and Brad Holmes.

St. David Society Dinner on Tuesday

The St. David's Society will hold its annual dinner at the Mayflower Hotel Tuesday evening. This event will celebrate the anniversary of the birth of David the Patron Saint of Wales and commemorate the George Washington Bicentennial.

Dr. Cloyd Heck Marvin, president of George Washington University and chairman of the District of Columbia George Washington Bicentennial Commission, and Roy St. Lewis, Assistant Attorney General, will speak. The musical program will be furnished by the St. David's double quartet. Solos will be by Wilfred Smith, tenor; Erbin G. Thomas, bass, and Mrs. Erbin G. Thomas, soprano. Readings by Miss Rhoda Watkins and Welsh imitations by David J. Roberts. Miss Pearl A. Griffith is the accompanist. The St. David's Society will sing the national anthems and folklore songs of Wales and the United States in English and Welsh.

Wild Canaries in Connecticut.

New Britain, Conn. (U.P.).—Hundreds of wild canaries sing daily for residents of a section of this city. They were liberated when fire swept the home of a bird fancier several years ago and have grown hardy and accustomed to faring for themselves.

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PROHIBITION LOSES IN COLLEGE DEBATE

Moot Court, Smoker Feature Week of Activity at Washington College of Law.

In a lively debate staged by the day division of the freshman class at the Washington College of Law the forces opposing prohibition won the decision. The subject was: "Resolved, That the eighteenth amendment should be repealed." The victorious affirmative side was composed of Bedford H. Turner and George Woodham. Woodham was also voted the best speaker by the judges.

The negative was ably upheld by Henry M. Fliedner and John D. Armstrong.

The Oliver Wendell Holmes Chapter of the Sigma Nu Phi Fraternity held a smoker last evening in their clubhouse on Q street. The affair was arranged by recently elected officers who are as follows:

Robert W. Maxwell, chancellor; Richard J. Hoffman, first vice chancellor; Charles A. Willmuth, second vice chancellor; Noble S. Williams, master of the rolls; Ralph T. French, register of the exchequer, and Walter T. Mahaffey, marshal.

Law and equity cases were heard in the Moot Court session yesterday, Dr. A. Mooers being on the bench. Cases were presented for trial by Frederick E. Lange, Andrew Kenny, Clara E. Borjes, Florence E. Brown, Elizabeth P. Cubberly and Edwin T. Cosby.

The recently published list of those who successfully passed the December bar examinations included seventeen students of the Washington College of Law as follows:

Nellie E. Bishop, Leila M. Brown, John W. Buckley, William Foster Carey, William K. Copenhaver, James B. Corridon, Cecil S. Down, Clarence T. Crown, Leona W. Gilbert, Martha Kass, Andrew Kenny, Blanche W. Knight, Emma Luebbing, Earl E. Moore, Gladys O'Neal, Dorothy J. Quinlan and Rose Votova.

Wiles of Stanford Coeds Influence Professors

Palo Alto, Calif. (U.P.).—Stanford University coeds get good grades because even sedate professors are not proof against the wiles of Cleopatra, while the poor men students have to burn the midnight oil and toil unceasingly to get even passing marks.

So charges a recent editorial in the Stanford Daily. And a prominent coed leader admitted the statement.

DR. SULLIVAN NEW RESEARCH DIRECTOR

Former Biochemist of U. S. Assumes Georgetown University Post.

Dr. M. X. Sullivan, formerly biochemist of the United States Public Health Service, and a nationally recognized authority on the relation of chemistry to health and disease, has assumed the directorship of the Chemo-Medical Research Institute founded a year ago at Georgetown University through the efforts of the late Rev. George L. Coyle.

At the time of the death of Father Coyle, who was head of the chemistry department at Georgetown, Dr. Sullivan was engaged in important cancer tests and research work in the Georgetown laboratory. These tests, with which he is being assisted by Dr. W. C. Hess, who had served as his assistant also in the chemical laboratory of the Public Health Service, soon will be concluded.

With Father Coyle's death, Dr. Sullivan was selected by the medical authorities at Georgetown to take charge of the research work to which the Chemo-Medical Institute is devoted. His present work is being conducted through the aid of a three-year endowment from the American Chemistry Foundation. Father Coyle, through his own personal efforts, had succeeded in raising a permanent endowment for the institute, part of which eventually will be used to provide more adequate quarters than those now available in the medical building at Georgetown.

The institute was founded for the purpose of enabling trained chemists to engage in research work into the natural causes of disease and in mastering the secrets of the human body. This is a phase of scientific study which has gained front-rank importance in the American Chemical Society for the past several years.

Through years of experience in charge of the chemical laboratory of the Public Health Service and in teaching chemistry, Dr. Sullivan is admirably equipped to direct the affairs of the Georgetown Institute. A graduate of Harvard and Brown Universities, he took his medical course at Georgetown and has been a resident of Washington since 1907. In 1915 he became biochemist of the Public Health Service until his recent termination of those duties, and before then served as biochemist in soil fertility in the Department of Agriculture for several years.

The author of numerous publications on biochemistry and the relation of chemistry to health and disease, Dr. Sullivan also has served as instructor of physiological chemistry at Brown University and lecturer at Converse College and the Red Cross at Spartanburg, S. C.

Dr. Sullivan is a member of the American Chemical Society, the American Society of Biological Chemists, fellow and past president of the Washington Chemical Society and other scientific bodies. He is also a member of the Cosmos Club of Washington, and the Sigma Xi and Phi Sigma Kappa Fraternities.

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DIAL FLASHES

By ROBERT D. HEINL

IF you asked the average listener what he thought of putting on a religious program at midnight, he would probably tell you that it would be the worst possible time. Yet the late hour offering of Station WMBI, Chicago, owned by the Moody Bible Institute, not only is meeting with popular response but apparently is helping Chicago to live down its bad name.

"It is quite refreshing to tune in on Station WMBI after hearing the other late-hour renditions from Chicago," a listener wrote from Asheville, N. C. "Chicago, while presenting many programs of outstanding merit, seems to revert to type around midnight. Night clubs advertising the cheapest of cheap slush are a disgrace in the opinions of the great majority of their audience."

"It is gratifying to know that there is one broadcasting station dedicated wholly to the service of our Lord, Jesus Christ," some one wrote from Lafayette, Ind. "And this from Chicago, with its reputation for crime, gangsters and graft. In listening in on your programs, one can not help feeling that in spite of this, much good can still come and is coming from Chicago."

The audience is varied and evidently includes people of almost every vocation. Quite a few policemen listen.

"I have been listening to the midnight hour program from WMBI," a policeman writes from Birmingham, Ala., "and enjoy it very much, for by it I gather strength to carry on. I would like to be remembered in your prayers."

"ALL of which shows that there is need for a service such as only this type of station can give," Henry C. Crowell, manager of WMBI, commented. "It is a service of the heart and soul rather than entertainment."

Mr. Crowell did not refer especially to the night services above mentioned because the station broadcasts many others and at different hours. He told of messages received which tugged at the heart strings.

"It's a little over two years ago since our darling 10-year-old daughter June left this earthly home for a better one," a woman from Niles Center, Mich., wrote. "And what pain and heartache I have had since then. The only real comfort and help in my deep sorrow has been Station WMBI."

"I can see such a change over our home," a woman wrote from Rockford, Ill., "and my little son said to me, 'Mother, you seem so different lately. I believe it's because daddy got the radio.' It was in one sense, but what comfort is a radio if the right voices and words aren't there?"

"WMBI was instrumental in keeping me from leaving and breaking up my home," a woman wrote from Chicago. "I turned the radio on to your station by accident and heard the story of our Blessed Lord, I am now saved and waiting for my Lord's return. Praise Him!"

A woman got into a taxicab in Chicago and asked to be taken to a certain address.

"Ain't that near the Moody Bible Institute?" the driver asked.

"It's the woman's building of the institute," she replied.

"They have a radio station there," he continued. "It's about all the church I get to hear."

"Our prayer is," a woman wrote from Maywood, Ill., "that God may continue to bless the radio ministry in the future as He has in the past."

OUR compliments to Harry Horlich and the A. & P. Gypsies for what seems to us to have been the finest musical program heard on Washington's Birthnight. Always an enthusiastic supporter of the Gypsies, we got the impression some little time ago that they were slipping, but if that was true there has been a strong comeback. We have listened to the Monday night programs consistently lately and seemingly each one has been better than the concert previous. However, last Monday night the Gypsies fairly outdid themselves.

We should like to know the name of the banjo player who was heard so conspicuously in "Dixie," "Oh, Susanna" in the beautiful Stephen Foster rendition and "Turkey in the Straw." It is probably too much to hope that this was one of the more or less extinct five-string banjos instead of the so-called banjo of the present day, really a mandolin with a banjo head.

Also it would be interesting to learn exactly how many musicians there are in this splendid orchestra of the Gypsies. And speaking of those who know how to get their advertising over painlessly, Milton J. Cross, that prince of announcers, is surely one of them.

IF television had been perfected those at home could have seen the splendid turnout of the Washington Fire Department in the Alexandria Washington Birthday parade. Headed by Chief Watson, ranking officers in the department and their own band, the men made such a fine appearance that one of the spectators remarked:

"They look like New York City firemen."

The Washingtonians were accorded the honor of leading the fire fighting division of the parade, the Baltimore Fire Department, with their chief, immediately following them. If the Washington Fire Department had brought with them several good-looking pieces of fire apparatus, as Baltimore did, they would have outshadowed the Baltimoreans even more completely.

Another thing radio listeners missed was the hospitable Virginia atmosphere which prevailed in Alexandria on Washington's Birthday. An example of this was the open house which is always kept on this day by Charles M. Shepperson, The Washington Post correspondent in Alexandria, and Mrs. Shepperson, at their home on Prince street.

Probably no city of its size in the United States has been the point of origin of more broadcasts than Alexandria. It is an unusual combination of a delightful old historic Southern community and a peppery, up-to-the minute live little city. No matter how big the event, Alexandria is equal to it and the entire State of Virginia, from the governor down, always seems to be on hand to help the city extend the hospitality for which it is so famous.

YELLI D'ARANYI, a great-niece of Joachim and one of the most eminent women violinists of today, will be heard as soloist with the New York Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra in the concert which will be broadcast (WMAL), 3 o'clock; (WABC), 4 o'clock this afternoon, with Bruno Walter conducting.

This will be Walter's last appearance with the Philharmonic Symphony this season, and he returns to Germany on March 2. Since Arturo Toscanini is not yet well enough to resume the conductorship, two guest conductors have been engaged for the next three weeks, with Sir Thomas Beecham in charge for the first two of these.

With her sister, Adila Fachiri, in recitals for two violins as well as in solo appearances, Miss d'Aranyi has been heard all over Europe, and during the last four years she has made extensive tours in the United States, appearing with many of the great symphony orchestras from coast to coast.

Following is the complete program:

Overture, "A Midsummer Night's Dream" (Mendelssohn).

Violin concerto in E minor, Op. 64 (Mendelssohn); soloist, Yelli d'Aranyi.

Intermission, description of music by Olin Downes.

Symphony No. 3, in E flat major, the "Eroica" (Beethoven).

OPERATIC excerpts, selections from operettas, spirituals and favorite ballads are included in the Davey Hour program, directed by Chandler Goldthwaite, organist (WRC, 4:30 p. m.).

Dr. Paul Douglas, professor of industrial relations at the University of Chicago, and Cyrus F. Ching, director of industrial and public relations of the U. S. Rubber Co., will be the speakers during the Vocational Guidance program to be broadcast by WMAL at 7 o'clock tonight. Dr. Douglas will speak on the topic, "Technological Changes Affecting Vocational Choice." Mr. Ching's subject will be "Retraining and Adjustment in Occupations."

Attorney General William D. Mitchell, President Guy A. Thompson, of the American Bar Association, and Charles Evans Hughes, jr., head a list of prominent legal authorities who will discuss methods of crime control in a new series of Sunday programs over WRC. The series is being presented under the auspices of the Section of Criminal Law of the American Bar Association, under the general title of "Criminal of Crime by Law."

Mr. Thompson will open the series with a discussion of "The Lawyer's Relation to the Crime Problem."

Mrs. Harriet Goodwin Deuss, wife of an American newspaper man, and the Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra will be heard from Germany (WRC, 4 p. m.). Mrs. Deuss, who has spent four years in Moscow, will speak on "An American Woman in Russia." Marcell Wittrisch, German tenor, will be soloist with the orchestra.

THE only women delegates from the United States and Great Britain to the World Disarmament Conference at Geneva will be introduced to an international radio audience by Frederic William Wile today (WMAL, 12:30 p. m.). They are Dr. Mary Emma Woolley and Mrs. Corbett Ashby.

Dr. Walter Damrosch, dean of American conductors, will be decorated as a Commander of the White Lion of Czechoslovakia, the official order of the government, during the Symphonic Hour over the WJZ network at 1 p. m. today.

The decoration will be bestowed by the Czechoslovakian Minister, Dr. Ferdinand Veverka, who is making a special trip to Washington to present his country's high tribute to the American musician. The award was made to Dr. Damrosch several months ago in recognition of the artistry with which he presented the works of Czechoslovakian composers. He will present a Czech tribute in his musical program today.

Ernest Hutcheson, concert pianist, will play the entire Sonata Pathetique of Beethoven as the solo offering of his recital (WMAL, 10:30 o'clock tonight).

The guest artist on the G. E. Circle program this afternoon (WRC, 5:30 o'clock) will be Grace Moore, soprano of the Metropolitan Opera Company.

Miss Moore will sing:

"Bendemeer's Stream," "Lindy Lou," "Old Folks at Home," Connais tu le pays," from "Mignon," "Remember," "Annie Laurie," "Lovely Hour" and "Lover Come Back to Me."

THE John Stainer cantata, "The Crucifixion," will be performed in its entirety during the broadcast of the Cathedral Hour, a musical service directed by Channon Collinge (WMAL, 1 o'clock this afternoon).

INSTRUCTED ON HARMONICA

Post Staff Photo.

Members of the newly organized Harmonica Club at the Friendship House which meets each Thursday evening to receive instruction under direction of Ollie Snell. Left to right, seated: Bernard O'Brien, James O'Brien, Harry Showalter and Ralph Showalter. Standing: James E. Harper, Harold DeVoe, Billy Stand and Richard Breen.

Mexican Sights and Habits Like Those of 'Old World'

Colorful Southern Neighbor of U. S. Has as Much to Offer Traveler and Vacationist as Trip to Europe or Other More Distant Places.

By DARRELL PRESTON AUB.

Life for most Washingtonians is a very exacting, tense and tiring sort of business. Important Government work, state affairs, social obligations, constant excitement, all combine to drain vitality and tauten the nerves. Perhaps that is the reason why Washingtonians are such inveterate travelers. For in all the interesting places of the world where curious American feet wander, there, too, you will find the residents of the Capital City.

A favorite goal for winter trips is Mexico, whose golden climate, colorful scenes, strange folk and thrilling history have enticed many across the border. Its constant sunshine and festive mood are a great cure for tired nerves and the exhaustion which comes at the end of winter. As travel doctors, we prescribe: Sunshine—Mexican brand! It is a kind to revive the most drooping spirits. It gilds alike tropical valleys, extinct, snow-capped volcanoes, primitive Indian villages, modern cities gay and lovely as old Spain, ruins of the early Aztec civilization, and picturesque, smiling natives who extend gracious hospitality to the American visitor.

Perhaps the most delightful thing about Mexico is its nearness, right at our own south door! We are accustomed to think of Europe as the Old World, but we have as our next door neighbor a land whose history is so old and romantic, which offers such a panorama of civilizations and so many memorials of conquerors and adventurers that it has no peer in either of the hemispheres.

Was Aztec Capital.

Mexico City, the capital, has been in existence since at least the twelfth century, and is the oldest of living North American cities. It was the Aztec capital, Tenochtitlan, when Cortez arrived in 1519, and its mighty cathedral is built upon a foundation of sculptured Indian images and the remains of the great Aztec temple.

Xochimilco and the famous "Floating Gardens" are nearby. Here is a Venice-like series of canals, winding about shady plots of flower-strewn ground. The plots of ground were at one time floating islands, made of interlaced twigs and branches covered with earth. Eventually they took root, now supporting the trees and blossoms that make the gardens a veritable paradise.

A delightful 50-mile motor drive over picturesque mountains from Mexico City brings one to the resort city of Cuernavaca, one of the beauty spots of Mexico. Here was the summer home of the late United States Ambassador Morrow. Cortez, the mighty conqueror, built a palace here in 1530, and it is still standing. Diego Rivera, famous Mexican artist, whose work has aroused much interest in the United States, has painted many murals in this palace. Nearby is the old sugar mill, where sugar was crushed from the cane 85 years before the Mayflower anchored in Plymouth harbor. The same grinding stones are there yet.

Visit to Pyramids.

Another motor drive of about 30 miles from Mexico City brings one to San Juan Teotihuacan for a visit to the Pyramids of the Sun and Moon, the largest artificial mounts in North America. They were built by an unknown people, probably before the Christian era, who left other baffling and interesting ruins in the vicinity. The museum adjacent to the pyramids holds valued treasures taken from the depths of the buried cities. No part of Mexico is so interesting archaeologically as this vicinity.

Monterey, Guadalaja, Puebla and many other cities have much that is unique and lovely to offer the visitor. Descriptions of them would need not a newspaper story, but a whole book. It might be interesting to mention some of the customs, which are "old Spanish," as the saying goes.

For instance, one is pleasantly surprised at the theater. Admission is by the act; one does not have to pay for the entire performance if desiring to see only a part of it. One reason for this is that the Mexicans are a sociable people and like to be free to go off to party suppers or enjoy themselves in other ways.

Source of Surprises.

During the intermissions, which are about 20 minutes in length, there is much interchange of visits among the box occupants, and it is customary for persons all over the audience to stand up, look about with their glasses for the faces of friends and exchange nods and courteous little salutes. To Americans this is a novelty which makes a visit to a Mexican theater a source of constant surprises.

They tell time in Mexico differently, too. If you've been to Europe you may recall that railroad time on the continent is from 1 to 24 o'clock. This is the custom all over the Republic of Mexico, established by law at the beginning of 1922.

Artists, students and travelers with a flair for the unusual have been traveling southward for a long time. Recently, however, there has been such a great interest in Mexico, that there was a need for more organized travel. Delightful tours were planned for this winter, the last of which are leaving in March. Some even include the Central American republics further south. Accompanied by experienced, Spanish-speaking escorts, following a carefully chosen route and program of sightseeing, they enable Americans to get the most out of their trip.

But no matter how one travels, our gay, colorful southern neighbor deserves a visit!

THE CHESS TABLE

By WILLARD H. MUTCHLER

Teams representing Falls Church and Chevy Chase defeated, respectively, the Bureau of Standards and Model Basin teams in the District of Columbia Chess League's "five-man" team tournament last week. The victorious teams thereby went into a tie for the lead with the Y. M. C. A. team. Falls Church scored over Standards by a total of 3½ to 1½. C. C. Fishburn, the only winner for Standards, contested a hard-fought partie with W. M. Davidson, which lasted until the wee sma' hours. Chevy Chase defeated Model Basin with difficulty, the final score reading 3 to 2, and all three wins came on the top boards. The board-by-board summaries are appended:

Bd.	Falls Ch.	W.	Standards.	W.
1	A. D. Hyllyer	1	E. R. Shepard	0
2	Dr.C.A.Ransom	1	J. Tucker, jr.	0
3	W. M. Davidson	0	C. G. Fishburn	1
4	H. C. Williams	1	J. R. Branham	0
5	G. Wedderburn		S. F. Pickering	
	Total	3	Total	1

Bd.	Ch. Chase.	W.	Model Basin.	W.
1	T. M. Wilkins	1	L. F. Hewins	0
2	A. W. Whitaker	1	R. H. Peterson	0
3	G. H. Parks	1	W. H. Hoppman	0
4	G. J. North	0	W. H. Bowers	1
5	H. P. Dalzell	0	D.P.Windenburg	1
	Total	3	Total	2

Next Thursday the pairings are Chevy Chase versus Agriculture and Model Basins versus Y. M. C. A. Play takes place at the quarters of the Capital City Club. The standings of the teams to date is appended, along with Dr. C. A. Ransom's gamelet against J. Tucker, jr.

Team.	Matches. W.	L.	Games. W.	L.
Falls Church	1	0	3½	1½
Chevy Chase	1	0	3	2
Y. M. C. A.	1	0	3½	2½
Bureau Standards	1	1	6½	8½
Agriculture	0	1	2½	3½
Model Basin	0	2	2	8

Board 2—French Defense.

Dr. C. A. Ransom, J. Tucker, jr.

	Falls Church. White.	Standards. White.
1	P—K4	P—K3
2	P—Q4	P—Q4
3	PxP	QxP
4	Kt—QB3	B—Kt5
5	Kt—B3	Kt—KB3
6	P—QR3	BxKt ch
7	PxB	Castles
8	B—Q3	Kt—B3
9	Castles	P—QKt3
10	B—KKt5	Kt—K2
11	Q—K2	B—Kt2
12	P—QB4	Q—Q2
13	R—Q	KR—K
14	Kt—K5	Q—Q3
15	BxKt	PxB
16	BxP ch	KxB
17	Q—R5 ch	K—Kt2
18	QxP ch	K—R3
19	R—Q3	R—KKt
20	QxP ch and white mates next move	

Bettinger in Lead.

C. C. Bettinger continued to lead in the annual championship tournament at the Capital City Chess Club, last week, defeating J. Roberts to bring his total consecutive wins to four. E. M. Knapp scored over J. B. Hickam, the loss sending the latter back into third place. C. L. Snell and J. Roberts drew in the only remaining game contested. With only three more games to play, Bettinger's lead of one game seems quite a safe one. Bettinger has yet to meet J. M. Drysdale, A. Y. Hesse, and J. B. Hickman. The standing of the players is appended.

Player:	Won.	Lost.
C. C. Bettinger	4	0
J. M. Drysdale	2	1
J. B. Hickman	2½	1½
E. M. Knapp	2½	1½
J. Roberts	2½	3½
C. L. Snell	1	3
T. M. Wilkins	0	3

Notes.

Those interested in participating in the District championship tournament are requested to get in touch with one of the members of the District Chess League's committee, namely, Messrs. C. W. Stark, F. T. Parsons, or W. B. Mundelle. They may be reached at the Capital City Club. Entries will not be accepted after March 16.

Ladies are reminded of the meeting of their chess organization on Saturday, at 8 o'clock. The meeting is to be held at the residence of Mrs. A. W. Jones, 208 Massachusetts avenue northeast. Those desiring to receive instruction in the ancient game are also invited to attend, since the services of the well known local player, W. B. Mundelle, have been secured for this purpose.

Solutions to Problems.

No. 470, three-mover by E. J. Kassel, has for its intended keymove 1 RxP. Solvers, however, found that 1 B—Kt6 will serve also. Among those sending in solutions were Jacob Frech, J. W. Harris, George Kendall, A. A. J. Grant and John S. Collins.

Jacob Frech writes:

"The science of chess problem solving can by means of a problem like E. J. Kassel's No. 470 demonstratively illustrate to our executive office of education and to the 11,000 superintendents of the National Education Association holding their sixty-second annual convention in Washington this week, that the rare intellectual powers, sagacity and genius in the solving of any class of problem (including international or prohibition or family problems) confronting civilization or mankind, are teachable and acquirable intellectual powers; that to solve any problem whatever it is necessary to analyze it solely for the purpose of finding what an intelligently and honestly presented science of psychology and of logic would call the relevant syllogistic middle term of that problem.

"Twenty-two hundred years ago Aristotle tried to teach us that sagacity is a certain happy extempore conjecture of the middle term (Organon, Posterior Analytics, 1, xxiv). A nigh omnipotent mythologically inspired obscurantism operating as early as 399 B. C. when it legally condemned Socrates to death for publicly teaching frank, honest sincere thinking and courteous discussion of difference of opinion, has for 2,200 years succeeded in completely suppressing and concealing that supreme intellectual and ethical truth and in disastrously befuddling our sciences of logic and of ethics in innumerable other ways.

"Problem 470 is at first view a seeming childishly simple problem, as it consists of only six white and five black pieces; yet viewed as a three-mover it generates about 1,700,000 series among which it conceals 46 forced three-move mates (one mate in about every 30,000 series), which can certainly be found by systematic, adequate reverification of premises; logic's supreme recipe for the acquirement of and as an equivalent for sagacity and genius. Its brief relevant middle term is: A problem in which white can force one of the following only series of quickest forced mates—1 B—Kt6; 2 Q—KB3 or R—K5; 3 mate, Q—K2 or KB3 or KKt2 or R—QBsq or 2 or KB5 or B—R5. Or 1 R—K5; 2 K—Kt3 or Q—KB3 or B—Kt6; 3 mate, Q—Ksq or Rsq or Bsq or KKt2 or 3 or R—Ksq.

"On the accompanying pamphlet, entitled 'S is M is P; Or the ABC of Thinking,' appears entirely in print a line reading 'Conclusion: Problem No. 470 (completely described) is a three-move problem for which B—Kt6 and R—K5 are the keymoves.' This entire line was printed on that pamphlet, prophetically, many years ago, in 1921. Above it are black spaces (a b, c), in which have been this day inserted the syllogistic minor, middle and major terms of the problem, constituting its two premises, from which premises the cited conclusion is perspicuously and completely indicated by three printed dittoes. Single copies of the 'S is M is P: Or the ABC of Thinking' pamphlet will be gladly presented to every applicant therefor, and any quantity of copies whatever will likewise be gladly presented to the executive office of education and to the National Education Association and to the Smithsonian Institution, for public distribution, of resurrected supreme logical truths, to public educators to aid them in helping us to strive for universal social harmony."

A. A. J. Grant comments: "Every piece in Problem 470 seems like a close try, and I found it plenty tough. It is an old trick, but a good one, to hide the B behind a R."

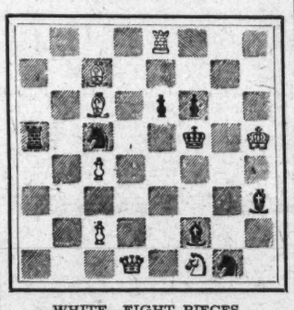
Problem No. 471.

By VINCENT L. EATON, New York.

Composed for The Post.

K on KB4; R on QR4; Bs on KR6 and KB7; Kts on KKt8 and QB4; Ps on KB3 and K3.

BLACK—EIGHT PIECES.



WHITE—EIGHT PIECES.

K on KR5; Q on Qsq; R on K8; Bs on QB6 and QB7; Kt on KBsq; Ps on QB2 and QB4.

White to play and mate in two moves.

Y. W. C. A. to Get Great Stone Face

Washington Profile Found Many Years Ago to Be Presented Today.

"A great stone face" bearing the profile of George Washington, found on the Appalachian Trail in Pennsylvania by Mrs. Ellen Nixon Shumaker, of Chambersburg, Pa., many years ago, and preserved in her own home in Caledonia Park until last summer, will be presented by Mrs. Shumaker to the Washington Young Women's Christian Association this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

Special ceremonies will take place in honor of the presentation, which will be made in the living room and lobby of the K street Y. W. C. A., when the "stone face" will be formally received from Mrs. Shumaker by Mrs. William Adams Slade, president of the Young Women's Christian Association, and Mrs. George Winchester Stone, of Chevy Chase, who saw the "stone face" last summer at Mrs. Shumaker's home and persuaded the owner to give it to the Washington Y. W. C. A.

Patriotic songs played by Miss Mary M. Burnett, the singing of old folk songs of the Appalachian Trail, and songs of the colonial days which George Washington may have listened to, will be included in the program of the afternoon, which will be followed, at 5:30, by the regular Sunday afternoon music hour, when the special program will be given by the Madrigal Singers, directed by Mrs. John Milton Sylvester. This program, in the fourth floor music room, will be given in costume of the colonial period, and the songs will include old English and early American compositions.

Sunday Etherizations

10:30 a. m. (WRC) — Clyde Doerr's Saxophone Octet.

11:30 a. m. (WRC)—Library of Congress Musicale.

12:30 p. m. (WMAL)—Dr. Mary Emma Woolley, from Geneva.

2:00 p. m. (WOL)—Stamp Romances.

3:00 p. m. (WMAL)—New York Philharmonic Symphony.

4:00 p. m. (WRC)—Rebroadcast from Berlin, Germany.

5:30 p. m. (WMAL) — Grace Moore, soprano.

7:00 p. m. (WJSV)—Shoreham Concert Orchestra.

7:00 p. m. (WMAL) — National Advisory Council program.

8:00 p m. m. (WRC)—Rubinoff with George Jessel.

9:00 p. m. (WMAL)—Fisk University Chorus.

9:45 p. m. (WRC)—Buick Musical Comedy program.

9:45 p. m. (WJZ)—Slumber Music.

10:30 p. m. (WMAL) — Ernest Hutcheson, pianist.

11:17 p. m. (WRC)—Ralph Kirbery, Dream Singer.

11:30 p. m. (WMAL)—Evening Melodies.

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9:00 a. m.—Children's Hour.
10:00 a. m.—Mexican Typica Orchestra.
10:30 a. m.—Clyde Doerr's Saxophone Octet.
11:00 a. m.—Neapolitan Days.
11:30 a. m.—Library of Congress Musicale.
12:15 p. m.—Morning Musicale.
12:30 p. m.—Tales of the Emerald Isle.
12:45 p. m.—"Control of Crime by Law," by Guy A. Thompson.
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3:30 p. m.—Dr. S. Parkes Cadman's Hour.
4:00 p. m.—International Broadcast from Berlin, Germany — "An American Woman in Russia," by Mrs. Harriet Goodwin Deuss, and music by Marcel Wittrisch, tenor.
4:30 p. m.—Tree Hour.
5:30 p. m.—"G. E. Circle," featuring Grace Moore, soprano.
6:00 p. m.—The Catholic Hour.
6:30 p. m.—National Education Association Program—"The Public School and its Individual Local Problems"—speakers, Anne Carlton Woodward and Dr. William G. Carr, of research department of N. E. A.
7:00 p. m.—National Jubilee Singers.
7:15 p. m.—Radio Party.
7:30 p. m.—Club of the Air.
8:00 p. m.—Rubinoff with George Jessel.
9:00 p. m.—William Hard from Geneva.
9:15 p. m.—"The American Album of Familiar Music."
9:45 p. m.—Buick Musical Comedy Program.
10:15 p. m.—Last Minute News.
10:17 p. m.—Alexander Bargansky, cellist, and Leo Ornstein, pianist.
10:45 p. m.—Sunday at Seth Parkers.
11:15 p. m.—KTBS Special Dedicatory Program.
12:00 mid. to 1:00 a. m.—Palais d'Or Orchestra.

WMAL—Columbia Broadcasting System.
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9:00 a. m.—Land o' Make Believe.
10:00 a. m.—Church of the Air: Protestant Episcopal Bishop of St. Louis, Mo.
10:30 a. m.—Community Center Faculty recital.
11:00 a. m.—Julia Mahoney and Charles Carlile.
11:15 a. m.—Watch Tower Service.
11:30 a. m.—Voice of St. Louis.
12:30 p. m.—International broadcast.
12:45 p m.—Street Singer.
1:00 p. m.—Cathedral Hour.
1:45 p. m.—Wee Willie Robyn, with Gypsy Ensemble.
2:00 p. m.—Eight Sons of Eli, Howard Twins, Piano Team.
2:30 p. m.—Church of the Air—the Right Rev. John F. Noll, Roman Catholic Bishop of Fort Wayne, Ind.
3:00 p. m.—New York Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra, Bruno Walter, conductor.
4:00 p. m.—Evensong Service from Washington Cathedral; sermon by the Right Rev. James E. Freeman, D.D., Bishop of Washington.
5:00 p. m.—Real Folks.
5:30 p. m.—Wardman Park Concert Orchestra.
6:00 p. m.—Mayflower Concert Orchestra.
6:30 p. m.—Justrite program.
6:45 p. m.—Melody Speedway.
7:00 p. m.—National Advisory Council on Radio in Education.
7:30 p. m.—Novelty Orchestra.
7:45 p. m.—A Night in Paris.
8:00 p. m.—Fennzoil Parade.
8:30 p. m.—Dr. Julius Klein.
8:45 p. m.—Angelo Patri, "Your Child."
9:00 p. m.—Fisk University Chorus; spirituals.
9:30 p. m.—Adventuring with Count Felix Von Luckner, "The Sea Devil."
10:00 p. m.—Edna Wallace Hopper Variety Show.
10:30 p. m.—Ernest Hutcheson, pianist; concert orchestra, Gauchos.
11:30 p. m.—Evening Melodies.
12:01 a. m.—Eddie Duchin Orchestra.
12:30-1:00 a. m.—California Melodies.

WOL—American Broadcasting Co.
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9:55 a. m.—Police flashes.
10:00 a. m.—Organ reverie.
10:30 a. m.—Sea Isle Moaners.
11:00 a. m.—Morning services from Church of the Epiphany.
12:25 p. m.—Birthdays.
12:30 p. m.—In Funnyland.
1:00 p. m.—Maui Islanders.
1:15 p. m.—Jacob Sokol, tenor.
1:30 p.m.—Stevens Sisters.
1:45 p.m.—Jimmy Harbison, popular pianist.
2:00 p. m.—Stamp Romances, by Albert F. Kunze.
4:30 p. m.—National Hawaiians.
4:45 p.m.—Entertainers.
5:00 p.m.—Washington Catholic radio hour.

WJSV—INCORPORATED.
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6:00 a. m.—Elder Michaux' Radio Revival.
10:30 a. m.—Salon Music.
10:45 a. m.—Watch Tower Hour.
11:00 a. m.—Fourth Presbyterian Church, Washington, D. C.; the Rev. James Miers, pastor.
12:15 p. m.—Purple and Gold.
1:00 p. m.—Dreamland Melodies.
1:30 p. m.—Gaffer Grey.
1:45 p. m.—Musical Program.
2:00 p. m.—Church of the Air.
2:30 p. m.—Metropolitan Dance Orchestra.
3:00 p. m.—Studio Presentation.
3:30 p. m.—Mayfair Dance Orchestra.
4:00 p. m.—Studio Presentation.
4:30 p. m.—Mormon Church Service.
5:00 p. m.—Modern Living.
5:30 p. m.—Gospel Twilight Hour.
6:00 p. m.—Gospel Spreading Association.
7:00 p. m.—Shoreham Sunday Evening Concert.
7:45 p. m.—Roland Wheeler,

MOFFETT ATTACKS ARMY-NAVY CHANGE

Consolidation Would Not Mean Any Economy, He Asserts.

"There is nothing in the Byrns bill or the Williamson bill that mentions directly or indirectly the word economy or even refers to the principle of economy," said Rear Admiral W. A. Moffett, chief of the Bureau of Aeronautics of the Navy Department, last week, commenting upon the proposed measure to consolidate the Army and Navy into a single department of national defense in the interest of economy."

Admiral Moffett continued:

"The primary object in the consideration of these bills by this committee at this time is to effect economy in the administration of the agencies of national defense. It may be assumed that it is also expected to increase the efficiency of the national defense.

"So far as the proposed legislation goes, it merely creates a new department of national defense and a new department of aeronautics, the latter coequal with the Departments of War and Navy, and authorizes the secretary of national defense to recommend legislation to perfect the proposed organization. The legislation in itself neither directs nor accomplishes economy, it merely being expected or hoped that, in some way not provided for in the legislation, economy will result.

Fails to See Economy.

"If the proposed legislation were merely to combine the War and Navy Departments into a Department of National Defense and were to be amended to direct studies by the Secretary of National Defense to improve the organization so as to effect economy, it might accomplish its purpose in that respect, at the loss of efficiency in my opinion; but so long as the legislation includes the establishment of a new Department of Aviation, there can be no hope for the attainment of economy in any reorganization of the national defense. The extra cost of such a Department of Aviation would be a major item of additional and unnecessary expense that would exceed all possible minor economies combined.

"No one is more sincerely devoted to the cause of efficiency and economy in national defense than I am, and no one believes more strongly than I do in the real value and importance of aviation in national defense, and I say with absolute sincerity that neither from the point of view of improvement of national defense nor from the point of view of promoting aeronautics is there any need or justification for the creation of a Department of Aviation.

"In my opinion the establishment of a Department of National Defense is fundamentally unsound. No matter how generally its functions may be defined in the bill under consideration, the proposed Department of National Defense, if it is to function at all, would have to set up a superstaff; establish further liaison staffs; provide a board of specialists to go into every detail of the Army, the Navy and the Air Force in order for the Secretary of National Defense to be in a position to make intelligent recommendations to the President and to direct intelligently the three forces under his vast command.

Further Opposition.

"These reasons against a Department of National Defense may be amplified and substantiated in the following discussion with particular reference to Naval Aviation, which is most vitally affected.

"The proposed plan would result in greater expense because the creation of a separate air service would require a large additional air department or organization, similar to the War and Navy Departments, including auxiliary services, supply, medical, &c.

"In time of war combined air forces would be placed under Army or Navy force commanders, for operation against the enemy, and would thereafore revert to the same status as at present.

"The combination, for instance, of Bolling Field and Anacostia would effect a saving in overhead, which saving, from a casual examination, might lead to the erroneous conclusion that Anacostia and Bolling Field should be combined under one head. But combining these activities will not reduce the operating personnel, and will not fuse the activities of these two stations. Each station has its distinct functions and must be carried on by specialists of its own branch. Anacostia is the Navy's flight test station for all naval planes. It must maintain land and sea approaches and must be manned by personnel familiar with fleet needs because the planes sent there are tested to meet the service requirements of the fleet.

No Unnecessary Duplication.

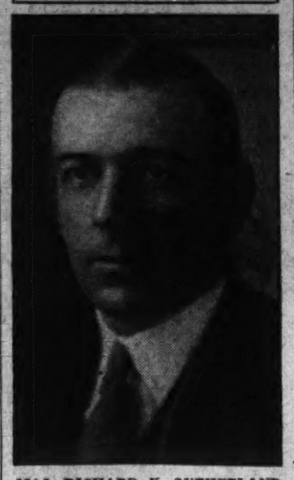
"There is no unnecessary duplication of Army and Navy air stations at present, and any consolidation would result in no material economy, because the same air squadrons would have to be maintained for operation with the fleet, or the land forces, to which they are assigned.

"War will always be settled ultimately by operations on the land or the sea, or both. Airplanes can not remain indefinitely in the air; they can not perform the functions of armies or navies. They will contribute greatly to the result, but they can not occupy territory, except to a very limited extent; they can not control communications (and by communications I mean the transport of commerce and troops at sea) without the assistance of ships or armies, and war is a matter of communications; they can not replace ships or armies, at least as far as we can predict now. They will always be contributory to both. Their work must, therefore, be coordinated either with the Navy or with the Army.

"Airplanes can not remain indefinitely in the air. In war they must base on an army force or a naval force; this is fundamental. If the air force could operate independently and merely in cooperation with the army or the fleet, they might become an independent service, but an air force can not base in its own element. Its base in war must be protected either by the army or the fleet of which it forms an important part.

"I want to emphasize as strongly as I can that I firmly believe, and my belief is based on experience both in naval and air duties, that any separation of aviation from the Navy or any lack of complete control of its aviation by the Navy, supply, purchase, experimentation, material and personnel, would result in disaster at sea, with possible defeat of the country in war."

GOLFER COMING



MAJ. RICHARD K. SUTHERLAND.

Maj. Sutherland Coming to Capital

Army Golf Champion Is Ordered to Course at War Colege.

Maj. Richard K. Sutherland, Army golf champion, and son of Howard K. Sutherland, Alien Property Custodian, has been ordered to Washington from his present post at Fort Benning, Ga., according to recent War Department orders. He will come here for the Army War College course and is expected to arrive the latter part of August.

Maj. Sutherland has served as professor of military science and tactics at Shattuck Military Academy. He later went to Leavenworth, Kans., and to Paris, France. During the war he served with the 161st Infantry and participated in the Verdun and Chateau-Thierry engagements. He is a brother-in-law of Stanley Harris, former manager of the Washington Base Ball Club and now manager of the Detroit club. He was commissioned a major in 1928. He is a graduate of Yale University and is married and has one daughter, 11 years of age.

Army Assignments Include Generals

Brigadiers Kilbourne, Embrick and Tracy Transferred by Department.

The War Department has announced the following changes in the assignment of general officers:

Brig. Gen. Charles E. Kilbourne, from the command of the harbor defense of Manila, Philippines, to assistant chief of staff of the war plans division, the War Department general staff, effective September 1, 1932. He will sail from Manila on June 24.

Brig. Gen. Stanley D. Embick, from commandant of the Coast Artillery School, at Fort Monroe, Va., and command of the Third Coast Artillery District to command of the harbor defenses of Manila. He will sail for Manila on April 29.

Brig. Gen. Joseph P. Tracy, from assistant chief of staff, war plans division, War Department general staff, to commandant of the Coast Artillery School, Fort Monroe, Va., and command at the Third Coast Artillery District, effective August 31, 1932.

Industrial Show Leaders Chosen

Arrangements Are Being Made for Event in Prince George.

Charles G. Burton has been appointed general chairman of the committee to make arrangements for the second annual industrial show to be given May 11 to 14 by the Exchange Club of Prince George County. It will be held in the Armory at Hyattsville, the site of the 1931 show.

The following subcommittees have been named by Mr. Burton: Display and decoration, Daniel Cox Fahey, jr., and Ray Czarra; reception, W. A. Porter; publicity, A. H. Seidenspinner, the Rev. Clyde Brown and B. W. Anspon; rules, S. H. Harvey; exhibits, Henry L. Hiser and L. W. Dunn; public speaking, the Rev. Mr. Brown, and entertainment, B. W. Anspon. Other committees will be appointed later.

Cash prizes will be given as well as awards of merchandise. The show is designed to make the public acquainted with the business men of the county and give an idea of the various industries carried on.

Platform for U. S. Naval Telescope Is Completed

Philadelphia, Feb 27 (A.P.).—The platform for a new 40-inch reflecting telescope designed by Dr. G. W. Ritchey for the United States Naval Observatory at Washington was completed today at the plant of the Baldwin-Southwark Corporation. The mounting weighs 17½ tons.

38 Army Officers Picked For Industrial Training

Thirty-eight officers have been chosen by the War Department to take the 10-month course at the Army Industrial College, beginning September, 1932.

Among the group are the following officers now stationed in Washington: Maj. Henry S. Aurand, Ordnance; Maj. Francis A. Englehart, Ordnance; Maj. Alfred J. Maxwell, Finance; Maj. Ralph E. Murrell, Medical; Maj. Walter L. Perry, Medical; Capt. Clarence O'Leary, Ordnance; Capt. Robert L. Miller, Quartermaster; First Lieut. Julian B. Haddon, Air Corps.

The other officers, their branch and present stations, are as follows:

Lieutenant colonels: Clair W. Baird, Coast Artillery, Fort Monroe, Va.; William R. Scott, Infantry, Davidson College, N. C.

Majors: William E. Brougher, Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Mo.; DeRoecy C. Cabell, Ordnance Department, Omaha, Nebr., Lawrence S. Churchill, Air Corps, Langley Field, Va.; Philip R. Faymonville, Ordnance Department, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; Jack W. Heard, Cavalry, Newport, R. I.; Ralph Hospital, Field Artillery, Ithaca, N. Y.; Roy M. Jones, Air Corps, Wright Field, Ohio; Allen R. Kimball, Quartermaster Corps, Philadelphia, Pa.; Jay D. B. Lattin, Signal Corps, Panama Canal Zone; Raymond Marsh, Ordnance Department, Fort Leavenworth, Kan.; Russell A. Osmun, Quartermaster Corps, Hawaii; Otis K. Sadtler, Signal Corps, Fort Monmouth, N. J.; Sumner M. Williams, Quartermaster Corps, Fort Robinson, Nebr.

Captains: Edward B. Blanchard, Chemical Warfare Service, Edgewood Arsenal, Md.; Aubrey H. Bond, Corps of Engineers, Hawaii; Bernard J. Finan, Quartermaster Corps, Philadelphia, Pa.; Fred M. Foale, Quartermaster Corps, Philadelphia, Pa.; David L. Hooper, Corps of Engineers, New York, N. Y.; Fred A. McMahon, Ordnance Department, Pittsburgh, Pa.; David McD. Shearer, Corps of Engineers, Manila, P. I.; Channing R. Toy, Field Artillery, Fort Knox, Ky.

First lieutenants: Joseph F. Battley, Chemical Warfare Service, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Martin O. Cahill, Quartermaster Corps, Fort Myer, Va.; John A. Hunt, Quartermaster Corps, Philadelphia, Pa.; Clarence E. Jones, Quartermaster Corps, Philadelphia, Pa.; Harry Kirsner, Quartermaster Corps, Philadelphia, Pa.; Austin W. Martenstein, Air Corps, Wright Field, Ohio; George W. Marvin, Corps of Engineers, Corvallis, Oreg.

OFFICERS SELECTED TO ATTEND SCHOOL

War Department Issues List for Command and Staff Course in West.

The War Department last week issued orders designating the September, 1932, class of the command and general staff school at Fort Leavenworth, Kans. Among the officers who will go to the school for the two-year course is Capt. Ray C. Montgomery, chief of the United States Park Police in the District of Columbia.

Among the officers selected are the following who make their homes in Washington: Maj. Harvey S. Burwell, Air Corps; Maj. Willis H. Hale, Air Corps; Capt. St. Clair Streett, Air Corps; Capt. William K. Harrison, jr., Cavalry; Maj. Dabney O. Elliott, Engineers; Maj. Leland S. Hobbs, Infantry; Capt. Frank U. Greer, Infantry.

Officers now stationed in Washington, and who were chosen for the course, include: Capt. Benjamin F. Harmon, Coast Artillery; Capt. Frank J. McSherry, Coast Artillery; Capt. Ben M. Sawbridge, Field Artillery; Capt. William E. Bergin, Infantry; Maj. Allen M. Burdette, office of Judge Advocate General; Capt. John K. Christmas, Ordnance Department; Capt. Elbert L. Ford, jr., Ordnance Department; Capt. Harvey Edward, Quartermaster Corps; Capt. William H. Sandler, Quartermaster Corps; Maj. David McL. Crawford, Signal Corps; Capt. Alfred M. Shearer, Signal Corps; Capt. James T. Watson, jr., Signal Corps.

The remaining officers selected are as follows:

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—Maj. Joseph N. Dalton, Governors Island, N. Y.

AIR CORPS—Majors: Oliver P. Echols, Delos C. Emmons, Maxwell Field, Ala. Captains: Elmer E. Adler, Maxwell Field, Ala.; Christopher W. Ford, Kelly Field, Tex.; Lawrence P. Hickey, Maxwell Field, Ala.; Lester J. Miller, Langley Field, Va.

CAVALRY—Maj. Norman E. Fiske, Fort Riley, Kans. Captains: Wayland B. Augur, Harry H. Baird, Fort Riley, Kans.; William B. Bradford, Olympic Team, Fort Rosecrans, Calif.; James T. Duke, Fort Riley, Kans.; Herbert L. Earnest, Fort Des Moines, Iowa; Hugh J. Fitzgerald, Fort Myer, Va.; Gustave B. Guenther, Fort Riley, Kans.; William L. Hamilton, Culver Military Academy, Ind.; William R. Irvin, University of Arizona, Tucson; Rufus S. Ramey, Fort Riley, Kans.; Paul McD. Robinett, Headquarters Ninth Corps Area, San Francisco, Calif.

CHEMICAL WARFARE SERVICE—Maj. William A. Copthorne, Headquarters Seventh Corps Area, Omaha, Nebr.

COAST ARTILLERY—Majors: Willis McD. Chapin, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; Edmar S. Lenzner, Charles D. Y. Ostrom, Adam E. Potts, Fort Monroe, Va.; Gerald D. Robison, Fort McClellan, Ala. Captains: William C. Braly, Herbert F. E. Bultman, Fort Monroe, Va.; Harold E. Jackson, Fort Worden, Wash.; Robert N. Mackin, jr., Fort Amador, C. Z.; George W. Ricker, Fort Monroe, Va.

CORPS OF ENGINEERS—Maj. Robert G. Guyer, Fort Hayes, Ohio. Captains: F. Russell Lyons, Fort Humphreys, Va.; Lewis A. Pick, A. and M. College, College Station, Tex.; Theron De W. Weaver, Texas National Guard, Fort Worth, Tex.; Clyde C. Alexander, University of Florida, Gainesville; Lawrence H. Bixby, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.; Edward H. Brooks, Fort Riley, Kans.; William A. Campbell, Fort Sill, Okla.; Malcolm G. Dos, Fort Sill, Okla.; Robert W. Hasbrouck, Princeton, N. J.; George P. Hays, Manila, P. I.; Walter C. Lattimore, Princeton University, Princeton, N. J.; Robert V. Maraist, Fort Myer, Va.; Ward H. Marks, Fort Des Moines, Iowa; Stuart McLeod, Fort Myer, Va.; Ray C. Montgomery, Washington, D. C.; John P. Ratay, Fort Hoyle, Md.; Lowell M. Riley, Fort Shafter, H. T.; John A. Stewart, Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.; Arthur R. Wilson, Camp Knox, Ky.

INFANTRY—Majors: Irving C. Avery, University of Tennessee, Knoxville; Thomas B. Burgess, Fort Wadsworth, N. Y.; Manton S. Eddy, Schofield Barracks, T. H.; Archelaus L. Hamblen, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville; Gregory Hoisington, Fort Hayes, Ohio; John K. Kneibel, Thirty-first Infantry, Shanghai, China; Andrew J. McFarland, University of Maine, Orono; Edwin D. Patrick, Fort Benning, Ga. Captains: Charles A. Acocorn, Fort Thomas, Ky.; Marcus B. Bell, Madison, Minn.; Frank E. Brokaw, Fort Crook, Nebr.; Homer C. Brown, Fort Wood, N. Y.; Wendell L. Clemenson, Seattle, Wash.; Harry J. Collins, Fort Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; Julian Dayton, Schofield Barracks, T. H.; Carl E. Driggers, Morgan Park Military Academy, Chicago, Ill.; George L. Eberle, Fort Sam Houston, Tex.; Nell S. Edmond, Douglas, Ariz.; Harold L. Egan, Alcatraz, Calif.; Roy H. Ryan, Nogales, Ariz.; John D. Forsythe, Fort Sam Houston, Tex.; Harold P. Gibson, Schofield Barracks, T. H.; John R. Hodge, Fort Hamilton, N. Y.; John Norman Hoffman, Fort Benning, Ga.; Clifford G. Kershaw, Fort Williams, Me.; Raymond G. Lehman, University of Nebraska, Lincoln; Frank E. Linnell, Schofield Barracks, T. H.; Francis A. Macon, jr., West Point, N. Y.; Earle H. Malone, Schofield Barracks, T. H.; William C. McMahon, Fort Jay, N. Y.; Norman McNeill, R. O. T. C., Riverside Academy, Gainesville, Ga.; Charles L. Mullins, Maxwell Field, Ala.; John T. Murray, Vancouver Barracks, Wash.; Donald J. Myers, R. O. T. C., Indiana University, Bloomington; Ralph C. G. Nemo, Fort Wayne, Mich.; John W. Nicholson, Georgia Tech, Atlanta; Graeme G. Parks, Illinois National Guard, Chicago; Ralph E. Powell, Nogales, Ariz.; Homer C. Parker, Fort George Wright, Wash.; Ernest A. Rudellus, Honolulu, T. H.; William A. Shely, R. O. T. C., Oklahoma A. and M., Stillwater, Okla.; James O. Tarbox, Fort Benning, Ga.; Gustave Villaret, jr., Fort Benning, Ga.; Theodore F. Wessels, Fort Sam Houston, Tex.

MEDICAL CORPS—Maj. Joseph I. Martin, Carlisle Barracks, Pa. Capt. Henry F. Lueking, Carlisle Barracks, Pa.

QUARTERMASTER CORPS—Maj. Richard J. Marshall, Manila, P. I.

SIGNAL CORPS—Capt. Jerry W. Matejka, Fort Monmouth, N. J.

Manila Crime Report Shows Decided Increase

Manila, P. I. (U.P.).—Manila, ordinarily a city more peaceful than most cities of its size in the United States, experienced an increase in crime wave during 1931, according to police records.

Last year arrests totaled 24,620, against 20,620 for 1930, or an increase of almost 25 per cent.

Despite this the condition of peace and order was fairly well maintained, according to police.

Increases were noted in cases of robbery, violations of the public motor vehicle law, gambling, prostitution, theft, homicide, rape, murder, seditions and possession of deadly weapons, making the 1931 figure bigger.

This increase is largely ascribed to the unemployment situation and the depression.

National Guard Notes

Maj. Gen. Anton Stephan, commanding the District National Guard, has received many letters from local and national organizations indorsing his proposal for the retention of the Pension Bureau Building as a memorial to the veterans of all wars, and the housing there of various local and national military and veteran organizations. One of the latest communications was received from Commander Henry L. Stevens, jr., of the American Legion.

Gen. Stephan has been informed by the corps area commander that Capt. John H. Church, Infantry, instructor of the Maryland National Guard, now on duty at Frederick, Md., has been designated by the War Department to make the annual armory inspection of the District Guard.

The commanding officer, 260th Coast Artillery, has just received an atuographed photograph of former President Calvin Coolidge as a memento of his presentation of the colors of the 260th Coast Artillery at the White House lawn on January 18, 1929.

The following enlisted men of the guard have been transfererd to the National Guard Reserves on account of the reasons stated and are assigned to the companies to which they now belong: On account of business interference, Corpl. Philip C. Geraci; temporary physical disability, Privt. Lawrence R. Erhardt, Battery E., 260th Coast Artillery; on account of temporary absence from the District of Columbia, Privates Irving P. Purton and John L. Havenner, both of Battery E, of the 260th Coast Artillery.

Private Emil M. Bednarik, Battery C, 260th Coast Artillery, has been transferred to the reserves on account of a conflict with his educational work.

Privates William A. Neumann, Jesse B. Graybeall and Joseph E. Robey all have been transferred to the reserves on account of business interference. They are all members of the 260th Coast Artillery.

Private Lawrence R. Beamer, reserves, assigned to the Twenty-ninth Military Police Company, has been transferred to the active guard and assigned to the same organization.

Private Stanley Robertson, of Company E, 121st Engineers, of the Guard, has been transferred to the Guard Reserves on account of business interference. Privates Thomas G. Allison and Lester T. Carlton have been transferred to the reserves on account of temporary removal from the District. Both of the latter men are members of Company E, 121st Engineers.

Staff Sergt. Donald A. Falk, Headquarters Detachment of the Twenty-ninth Division, District Guard, has been honorably discharged from the Guard, in order to enable him to accept promotion by commission. He has been commissioned as a second lieutenant, and assigned to Company F, 121st Engineers for duty. Private Nicholas Torregrossa, Twenty-ninth Military Police, of the District Guard, has been honorably discharged on account of removal from the District of Columbia.

Welcome for Roosevelt Planned by Philippines

Manila (Saturday), Feb. 27 (A.P.). An elaborate reception has been arranged for Theodore Roosevelt, new Governor General of the Philippines, on his arrival here Monday from the United States.

Talk of a program of noncooperation with him because of resentment against Secretary of War Hurley's strong stand against immediate independence has died down among legislative leaders. Threescore launches bedecked with flowers are to meet Roosevelt's ship, the President Taft, on its arrival.

EVERETT AND PAYNE NEW "Y" MANAGERS

Business Executive and Banker Elected Members of Board.

W. W. Everett, business executive, and William N. Payne, jr., banker and insurance official, have been elected members of the board of managers of the Washington Young Men's Christian Association, it was anounced yesterday.

Mr. Everett returns to the governing board of the association after an absence of several years. He succeeds the late Dr. William Knowles Cooper, former general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., who became a board member upon his retirement as secretary. Mr. Payne succeeds Henry N. Brawner, jr., resigned.

Mr. Everett is vice president of Woodward & Lothrop and a past president of the Washington Board of Trade and Rotary Club. He is an active member of Calvary Baptist Church and long has been interested in the work of the Y. M. C. A. He is prominent in Masonic circles and is a member of the Sons of the American Revolution and the Sons of Veterans.

Mr. Payne is secretary of the Eastern Building Loan Association and the National Capital Insurance Co., a trustee of the East Washington Savings Bank, past chairman of the board of governors of the Underwriters' Association of the District of Columbia, and past president of the Insurance Club of Washington. He is a member of the Board of Trade, the Masonic fraternity and the Lions' Club. He has been active in the Congress Street Methodist Protestant Church, being a member of the church board and vice president of the Harrison Bible Class.

Reserve Corps Notes

Maj. Clifton A. Brode, Quartermaster Reserves, of 2130 Thirty-second street southeast, has accepted a promotion to the grade of lieutenant colonel, and has been relived from assignment to the 1307th Service Unit and has been assigned to the 1314th Service Unit.

First Lieut. Albery C. Reed, 802 Maryland avenue northeast, has accepted a promotion to the grade of captain and has been relieved from assignment to the Eightieth Division, and is assigned to the 1301st Service Unit.

Col. Joel R. Moore, of 6936 Ninth street northwest, has been assigned to the 1301st Service Unit.

Capt. Julius H. Hurst, Medical Reserve, of 3842 Garrison street northwest, and Second Lieut. William R. Eaton, Engineers Reserve, of 2115 F street northwest, have accepted reappointment in the Reserve Corps.

Paul A. Cooley, of 1794 Lanier place northwest, has been promoted to the grade of first lieutenant in the Reserve. He is a Coast Artillery officer. Robert Serrell Wood Walker, of 2222 Q street northwest, has been promoted to the grade of captain in the Coast Artillery Reserve.

Howard Garfield Kurtz, jr., of the Chastleton Hotel, has been appointed a second lieutenant in the Reserve Corps. He is an Air Corps officer.

Percy Beach McCoy, of the Ontario Apartment, has accepted a promotion in the Reserve Corps to the grade of lieutenant colonel in the Field Artillery Reserve.

The following is the schedule of meetings to be held at headquarters of the Washington units of the Organized Reserves during the week of March 1.

Tuesday, infantry. Field officers; delaying action; regiment as part of a larger force. Company officers: First aid, hygiene display of equipment, Maj. Andres Lopez, infantry (D. O. L.), instructor.

Wednesday, field artillery. Gunnery—computation of firing data, Maj. J. M. McDowell, field artillery (D. O. L.), instructor.

Thursday, cavalry. Combat squad and platoon, mounted and dismounted. Maj. H. C. Dagley, cavalry (D. O. L.) instructor.

Friday, medical corps. Mobilization (hospital and other medical units). Lieut. Col. A. N. Baggs, medical reserve.

Sunday, cavalry. Equitation classes at Riding Hall, Fort Myer, Va. Maj. H. C. Dagley, cavalry (D. O. L.), instructor.

Naval Reserve Notes

The Naval Reserve inspection board, of which Capt. John Downes, U. S. N., is president, will conduct an inspection of the Naval Reserve unit in Washington, D. C., on February 29. The board to make this inspection will be composed of Capt. John Downes, U. S. N.; Capt. Alexander Sharp, jr., U. S. N.; Commander R. A. White, U. S. N., and Commander C. T. Osburn, U. S. N., from the Navy Department. Lieut. W. P. Hinckley, U. S. N., attached to the Navy Yard, Washington, D. C., will aid in the inspection.

Changes in ratings for two of the reservists have been announced. They are Joseph R. Williams, from fireman third class to fireman second class, and Charles G. Penkert, from fireman second class to fireman first class.

The communication reservists made an excellent turnout for the drill last Thursday night. Twenty-one officers and men were present. The radio station NED was operated on the national drill by the unit in the charge of Leeth, chief radio mate, and included Weedon, Simmons and Leslie. The next national drill falls on Thursday.

The local net drill on February 21 was confined to logging signals heard, the transmitters not being operated in order to cooperate with the amateurs, who were holding a series of international listening contests.

L. M. Murphy, seaman first class, accompanied the U. S. S. Hamilton to Alexandria on Washington's Birthday and returned much pleased after standing radio watches and other duties on board.

SERVICE OFFICERS' ORDERS

NAVY ASSIGNMENTS.

BUREAU OF NAVIGATION—Capt. Paul P. Blackburn, additional duty command receiving ship, Coco Solo, C. Z.; Capt. Albert Norris, detached as inspector of naval material, Hartford, Conn., about May 1, to Navy Yard, New York, N. Y., as engineer officer; Commander Herbert B. Riebe, detached conn. naval R. O. T. C. unit, U. of Calif., Berkeley, Calif., to command U. S. S. Arctic; Commander Frank A. Braisted, detached Navy Yard, Norfolk, Portsmouth, Va., to U. S. S. Rochester as executive officer; Commander Thomas A. Symington, detached U. S. S. Northampton, to duty with Gov. Panama Canal, Balboa, C. Z.; Lieut. Comdr. John H. Holt, detached U. S. S. Utah on March 7, to home, relieved all active duty; Lieut. Comdr. Ralph C. Lawder, detached as officer in charge of Navy recruiting station; Lieut. Comdr. Ralph O. Risley, detached U. S. S. Rizal on March 15, to home, relieved all active duty; Lieut. Comdr. Herbert H. Bouson, detached Thirteenth Naval District after March 2, to home, relieved all active duty; Lieut. Comdr. Seldon L. Almon, detached U. S. S. Altair after June 1, to board of inspection and survey, Pacific Coast Station, San Francisco, Calif.; Lieut. Comdr. Wyatt Carr, detached as aid to Assistant Secretary of Navy, Navy Dept., to U. S. S. West Virginia as engineer officer; Lieut. Comdr. Elliott Buckmaster, detached U. S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., to U. S. S. Portland and on board as engineer officer when commissioned; Lieut. Comdr. William B. Holloway, detached New York Navy Yard Hospital, about June 1, to U. S. S. Medusa as repair officer; Lieut. Comdr. Henry E. Thornhill, discharged treatment Naval Hospital, League Island, Philadelphia, Pa., to U. S. S. Indianapolis, and board as engineer officer when commissioned; Lieut. Comdr. Elliott Buckmaster, detached U. S. S. Arizona after June 1, to Navy Yard, Boston, Mass.; Lieut. Comdr. Ernest B. Colton, duty as engineer officer of U. S. S. Chicago; Lieut. Comdr. Thomas G. Cooley, detached command U. S. S. Yarnall, to Bu. of Nav., Washington, D. C.; Lieut. Comdr. Lucien B. Green (S), detached as aid to commandant, Navy Yard, Washington, D. C., after March 12, to home, relieved all active duty; Lieut. Comdr. Allen H. Guthrie, detached U. S. S. New York after June 1, to duty as officer in charge, branch hydrographic office, San Pedro, Calif.; Lieut. Comdr. Walter A. Hicks, detached U. S. S. Trenton after June 1, to Bureau of Navigation, Washington, D. C.; Lieut. Comdr. George D. Hull, detached command William B. Preston after June 1, to Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.; Lieut. Comdr. John H. Magruder, detached U. S. S. Detroit after June 1, to Bureau of Ordnance, Washington, D. C.; Lieut. Comdr. Louis R. Moore, detached Bureau of Engineering, Navy Dept., after June 1, to U. S. S. Raleigh as gunnery officer; Lieut. Comdr. Conrad Ridgely, detached Thirteenth Naval District after March 1, to home, relieved active duty; Lieut. Comdr. Elliott M. Senn, detached naval powder factory, Indianhead, Md., to command U. S. S. Dent; Lieut. Comdr. Frank E. Unterbrunner, detached Navy Yard, Portsmouth, N. H., after March 15, to home, relieved all active duty.

Lieut. Comdr. Frederick Baltzly, detached U. S. S. Dahlgren on March 14, to home, relieved all active duty; Lieut. Comdr. Paul M. Bates, detached Naval Air Station, Hampton Roads, Va., after March 15, to home, relieved all active duty; Lieut. Comdr. William J. Butler, detached as assistant inspector of naval material, Boston, Mass., after March 12, to home, relieved all active duty; Lieut. Comdr. Harold C. Carey, detached Fourth Naval District, Philadelphia, Pa., after April 27, to home, relieved all active duty; Lieut. Comdr. Ralph E. Bennett, detached Navy Yard, Philadelphia, Pa., after April 20, to home, relieved all active duty; Lieut. Comdr. Robert M. Doyle, jr., detached as aid to commandant Fourth Naval District, Philadelphia, Pa., after March 15, to home, relieved all active duty; Lieut. Comdr. James Fife, jr., detached U. S. S. Leary about February 15, to U. S. S. Hatfield and in command when commissioned; Lieut. Comdr. John H. Holt, detached U. S. S. Utah on March 7, to home, relieved of all active duty; Lieut. Comdr. Ralph C. Lawder, detached as officer in charge, navy recruiting station, Portland, Oreg., on March 1, to home, relieved all active duty; Lieut. Comdr. David R. Lee, detached U. S. S. Oklahoma, on March 15, to U. S. S. Oklahoma as gunnery officer; Lieut. Comdr. William I. Lehrfeld, detached U. S. S. Tarbell about February 15, to U. S. S. Kane and in command when commissioned; Lieut. Comdr. Albert S. Makie, detached awaiting orders at San Francisco after March 5, to home, relieved all active duty; Lieut. Comdr. Aylmer L. Morgan, jr., detached naval training station, Newport, R. I., after March 29, to home, relieved all active duty; Lieut. Comdr. Earl W. Morris, detached U. S. S. Mississippi, to U. S. S. Mississippi as engineering officer; Lieut. Comdr. William H. O'Brien, jr., detached Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., after March 29, to home, relieved all active duty; Lieut. Comdr. Herbert R. Sobel, detached U. S. S. Bagley about February 15, to U. S. S. Sands and in command when commissioned; Lieut. Comdr. Harry W. von Hasseln, detached U. S. S. Upshur about February 15, to U. S. S. King and in command when commissioned, and detached U. S. S. King about March 12, to U. S. S. Dahlgren and in command when commissioned; Lieut. Comdr. John F. Walton, detached U. S. S. Bernadou about February 15, to U. S. S. Fox and in command when commissioned; Lieut. Comdr. William W. Warlick, detached U. S. S. Jacob Jones about February 15, to U. S. S. Brooks and in command when commissioned.

Lieut. William H. Buracker, detached V. P. Squadron 7F (U. S. S. Argonne) about September 2, to Bureau of Aeronautics, D. C.; Lieut. Kenneth C. Caldwell, detached U. S. S. Humphreys about February 15, to U. S. S. Humphreys and on board as executive and engineer officer when commissioned; Lieut. David H. Clark, detached Dupont about February 15, to U. S. S. Sands and on board as executive officer when commissioned; Lieut. James E. Craig, detached fleet air base, Coco Solo, C. Z., to V. O. Squadron 2B (U. S. S. Arizona); Lieut. William L. Drybread, detached U. S. S. Barney about February 1, to U. S. S. Hatfield and on board as executive and engineer officer when commissioned; Lieut. Alexander S. Edward, detached U. S. S. Yarnall about February 15, to U. S. S. Fox and on board as executive and engineer officer when commissioned; Lieut. Walter R. Jones, detached U. S. S. Blakeley about February 15, to U. S. S. McFarland and on board as executive and engineer officer when commissioned; Lieut. Andrew F. Lawton, detached U. S. S. Tattnall about February 15, to U. S. S. King and on board as executive and engineer officer when commissioned; Lieut. Harry B. Slocum, detached command U. S. S. Cormorant after June 1, to Bureau of Ordnance, Washington, D. C.; Lieut. Comdr. Wilford E. Pake, detached Bureau of Aeronautics, Navy Dept., to V. F. Squadron 7F (U. S. S. Argonne); Lieut. James D. Lowry, jr., detached Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., to V. N. Squadron 8D5; Lieut. (j.g.) Charles H. Lyman 3d, detached U. S. S. Lea after June 15, to duty on staff, commander destroyers, battle force; Lieut. (j.g.) William S. Harris, detached V. S. Squadron 2B (U. S. S. Saratoga) about June 1, to naval air station, Pensacola, Fla.; Lieut. (j.g.) Roy R. Sheraton, detached V. S. Squadron 2B (U. S. S. Saratoga) about June 1, to naval air station, San Diego, Calif.; Lieut. (j.g.) Wallace M. Beakley, detached V. S. Squadron 5S (U. S. Trenton), to Naval Air Station, Anacostia, D. C.; Lieut. (j.g.) Jack Jones, detached V. S. Squadron 5B (U. S. Marblehead); Lieut. (j.g.) James W. Kaser, detached U. S. S. Fulton about February 25, to U. S. S. Reuben James and on board when commissioned; Lieut. (j.g.) Gerald W. Lamade, detached U. S. S. Fulton about February 25, to U. S. S. Goff and on board when commissioned; Lieut. (j.g.) Michael P. Bagdanovich, detached naval air station, Pensacola, Fla., about February 9, to aircraft, battle force; Ensign Francis E. Bardwell, detached naval air station, Pensacola, Fla., about February 9, to aircraft, scouting force; Ensign Alexander S. Heyward, jr., detached naval air station, Pensacola, Fla., about February 9, to V. O. Squadron 1B (U. S. S. Texas); Ensign Charles T. Plisgerald, detached naval air station, Pensacola, Fla., about February 9, to aircraft, scouting force; Ensign Reynold D. Hogle, detached naval air station, Pensacola, Fla., about February 9, to aircraft, S. F.; Ensign Edward C. Renfro, detached naval air station, Pensacola, Fla., about February 9, to aircraft, battle force. Ensign William M. Ryon, detached Eleventh Naval District, about March 3, to U. S. S. Louisville; Ensign Marcias B. Wyatt, detached naval training station, Pensacola, Fla., about February 9, to aircraft, battle force.

ASIATIC DESPATCH ORDERS, FEBRUARY 15—Commander Sherman S. Kennedy, detached naval station, Cavite, to Bureau of Engineering; Lieut. Comdr. Robert L. Mitten, detached U. S. S. Paul Jones, to command U. S. S. Helena; Lieut. Comdr. Melville C. Partello, detached command U. S. S. Helena, to command U. S. S. Bulmer; Lieut. Comdr. Lawrence P. Bischoff, detached command U. S. S. Bulmer, to Sixteenth Naval District; Lieut. Comdr. Robert J. Walker, detached command U. S. S. Borie, to command U. S. S. Pope; Lieut. Comdr. George F. Brewster, detached command U. S. S. Pope, to command U. S. S. Borie; Lieut. Comdr. Grice P. Flood, detached command destroyer squadron 5, Asiatic, to command U. S. S. Edsall; Lieut. Comdr. Byron S. Dague, detached command U. S. S. Edsall, to U. S. S. Houston as engineer officer; Lieut. Comdr. Webster M. Thompson, detached U. S. S. Houston, to Sixteenth Naval District; Lieut. (j.g.) Monro M. Riker, detached U. S. S. Stevens, destroyer squadron, Asiatic; Lieut. Comdr. Allen C. Bridges (s.c.), orders January 25 modified, to Navy Yard, Mare Island, Calif.; Lieut. Carl W. Seitz (s.c.), detached Destroyer Division 15, Asiatic, to Navy Yard, Puget Sound, Wash.; Lieut. (j.g.) Calvin B. White (s.c.), detached naval station, Cavite, to U. S. S. Beaver; Lieut. (j.g.) Murray W. Clark (s.c.), detached U. S. S. Beaver, to Sixteenth Naval District.

MEDICAL CORPS—Capt. Spencer L. Higgins, detached Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Calif., about March 15, to Marine Corps Base, San Diego, Calif.; Comdr. Roy Cuthbertson, detached Naval Dispensary, San Pedro, Calif., to continue treatment Naval Hospital, San Diego, Calif; Lieut. Comdr. Frederick R. Haselton, duty involving flying, Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla.; Lieut. Comdr. Eustace H. Prescott, discharge treatment Norfolk Naval Hospital, Portsmouth, Va., to duty naval recruiting station, Richmond, Va.; Lieut. Comdr. Wilfred M. Peberdy, orders of February 19 revoked, detached U. S. S. Sirius, and to duty Naval Hospital, New York City; Lieut. Comdr. Norman Roberts, detached U. S. S. Henderson about May 21, to Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Calif.; Lieut. Comdr. Joel J. White, detached Naval Medical School, Washington, D. C., on May 14, to Bureau Medicine and Surgery; Navy Department, Washington, D. C.; Lieut. Comdr. Ladislaus L. Adam Kiewicz, detached Naval Hospital, League Island, Philadelphia, Pa., about April 1, to U. S. S. Relief; Lieut. (j.g.) Lyle A. Newton, detached naval training station, San Diego, Calif., about March 10, to Asiatic station; Lieut. (j. g

GREEK-AMERICANS PRAISED AS LOYAL

Hellenism and Americanism Are Blended in Ahepa Fraternity.

By SOTERIOS NICHOLSON.

It is pleasing how readily Americans of Hellenic ancestry acquire an at-home feeling in their adopted country. There are numerous reasons for this ease of adaptation. They may all be summed up in the general estimate that the Greeks make good, loyal citizens. Because of their industry, thrift and obedience to law, they contribute much to the general well-being of the community.

Prominent citizens, many of them in high places, have voiced their admiration for the sterling qualities of citizenship possessed by Americans of Hellenic descent. The universal spirit of patriotism so characteristic of this class has time and again been brought to the attention of the American people by such leaders in public life as Calvin Coolidge, Herbert Hoover, Franklin D. Roosevelt, former Gov. Green of Michigan, United States Senators King, of Utah; Austin, of Vermont; Shortridge, of California; Walsh, of Massachusetts; Davis, of Pennsylvania, and Moses, of New Hampshire; Representatives Holmes and Andrew, of Massachusetts, and Gibson, of Vermont; former Senator Henry J. Allen, of Kansas; Rear Admiral R. E. Byrd, Federal Judge P. W. Meldrim, Mayor Wilson of Cincinnati, Luther Weedin, United States commissioner of immigration; Chief Justice Marshall, of the Supreme Court of Ohio; Govs. White of Ohio, Woodring of Kansas, Emerson of Illinois, and many others. Most of these gentlemen are members of Ahepa.

The Order of Ahepa, whose guiding star is the "blending of true Hellenism with Americanism," has done much in the ten years since its inception to crystallize this friendly sentiment of native Americans. Indeed, throughout the United States the order has become a recognized force in promoting patriotism and expounding the fundamental principles of government.

The constitution of the Order of Ahepa provides that members show a due appreciation of the privileges of citizenship, and urges that they "always be profoundly interested and actively participate in the political, civic, social and commercial fields of human endeavor." Members are pledged to do their utmost to stamp out political corruption; are urged to combat all forms of tyranny as a menace to the life, property, prosperity, honor and integrity of all nations, and to believe that preservation of American and other liberties can be assured only as this country becomes the champion of liberty and defender of all oppressed and downtrodden peoples.

A common bond of sympathy has been created between Hellenic and native Americans through enunciation of the order's principles in all parts of the United States.

"Ahepa" also seeks to promote a better and more comprehensive understanding of the Hellenic peoples and nation, and to revive, cultivate, enrich and marshal into active service in America the noblest attributes and highest ideals of true Hellenism.

Greek-Americans occupy today an honored position in this country because of their inherent respect for law, their industry and their thrift, their patriotism and their interest in government. Without these attributes the sons of Greece could not so quickly and so triumphantly pass through the "melting pot." The lessons learned from an ancestry whose high state of civilization dates back more than 3,000 years have been drawn upon by these Hellenic sons, who have happily found in America a place where full expression of their ideals of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness could be enjoyed without hindrance.

It is little wonder, then, that they have so quickly become assimilated with their new countrymen.

"Ahepans" cheerfully assume the duties, rights and privileges of American citizenship.

WILL SPEAK

DR. PAUL L. BENJAMIN.

Western High Unit Will Hear Lecture

Dr. Paul L. Benjamin to Speak on "Parents and Children."

Dr. Paul L. Benjamin, the executive secretary of the District of Columbia committee on employment, will address the Western High School Home and School Association at its meeting at the school on Wednesday, at 8:15 p. m. Dr. Benjamin will speak on "Parents and Children."

Dr. Benjamin is the executive secretary also of the Social Hygiene Society of the District of Columbia, one of the welfare organizations supported by the Community Chest. Prior to his appointment to that office in May, 1931, he was a director of the President's committee on the cost of medical care, to which office he came after serving as director of Stanley Welfare Association of Louisville. Dr. Benjamin is an instructor in the department of sociology of George Washington University, where he is now lecturing on "The Modern Family."

The orchestra of the school will play, and there will be selections by the Glee Club of the school. Charles V. Imlay will preside.

Heavy Taxes Problem In Washington's Time

Chicago, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Residents of Illinois and other States bemoaning heavy tax levies to replenish exhausted governmental funds might obtain solace to know that George Washington was in the same fix in 1787.

A letter from the Father of His Country to his mother, written in February and made public by James E. Bishop, of the Illinois Washington Bicentennial Committee, follows in part:

"I have now demands upon me for more than £500, of which £340 odd is due for the tax of 1786, and I know not where or when I shall receive one shilling with which to pay it. In the last two years I have made no crops and those who owe me money can not or will not pay it."

Medical Night Is Set By Michigan U. Club

The University of Michigan Club of Washington will stage a "Medical Night" at its monthly dinner and smoker at the University Club tomorrow. Earl B. McKinley, dean of the Medical School of George Washington University, will speak on "Some Public Health Problems in Our Insular Posessions."

Other speakers will be Dr. James G. Cumming, of the District Public Health Service, and Dr. James A. Rolls. Dr. Floyd McJ. Allen will be toastmaster. All the speakers are graduates of the medical school of University of Michigan.

Religious Liberty

Taken From The Christian Science Monitor.

NEARLY two thousand years ago, in a land whose people, generations before, had won their liberation from Egyptian bondage, Christ Jesus told his followers by what means alone liberty, ever dear to the heart of mankind, should be realized. He said, "If ye continue in my word, then are ye my disciples indeed; and ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free."

Since that beginning of the liberation which must inevitably eventuate in the dissolution of all material thralldom, the pendulum of human experience has swung more or less uncertainly between Christian progress and material retrogression. But to him who reads the pages of history aright, there are discernible many significant events which have contributed to the world's progress toward liberty. Such movements as the Reformation, the embarkation of the Pilgrims upon a task the magnitude of whose unfolding, in the establishing of a new nation in the New World, they could have but dimly discerned—these and other forward movements answer more or less distinctly to the light of spiritual freedom set aglow in Palestine.

Into this New World, about half a century after the establishing of its free government, under the noble leadership of George Washington, came one who was to look into the heart of the message Jesus gave to the world, see its vast import, rekindle its flame for all time, and show men how to keep aglow the light of religious liberty in individual spiritual understanding. The Discoverer and Founder of Christian Science, Mary Baker Eddy, with the insight of a revelator, recognized and appreciated the historic trends and events which had contributed to the world's advancement and its measurable preparation for the spiritual liberation which her revelation was to inaugurate. Some years after the writing of her great textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," and the founding of her church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., in an address to a branch of this church, in Concord, N. H., Mrs. Eddy said (the First Church of Christ, Scientist, and Miscellany, p. 148): "In the annals of our denomination this church becomes historic, having completed its organization February 22—Washington's birthday. Memorable date, all unthought of till the day had passed! Then we beheld the omen—religious liberty—the Father of the universe and the father of our Nation in concurrence."

And in a letter to another branch Church of Christ, Scientist, established in the American Capital, named in commemoration of this great patriot, Mrs. Eddy said (ibid., p. 200), "Religious liberty and individual rights under the Constitution of our Nation are rapidly advancing, avowing and consolidating the genius of Christian Science." Thus it is seen how Christian Science, the Science of God, of Life, enfolds all good and explains the ages' movements toward liberty, and the gradual preparation of human thought and conditions for the reception of the truth manifested and taught by Christ Jesus, and now revealed and elucidated in Mrs. Eddy's writings.

The love of liberty, deathless in the human heart, pressing onward through the centuries, baffled at times, temporarily defeated and suppressed, now and then reaching climactic expression in the nobility, fidelity, faith, of the world's great patriots and reformers—this love of good, inherently based upon the eternal truth Jesus revealed, had helped to bring the world forward to a new point of departure whence, through Christian Science, could begin the higher, grander struggle for the universal liberation of the human so-called mind from all belief in life and intelligence in matter; and upon this continuing advancement toward the dawn and the meridian of spiritual understanding depends the individual and universal achieving of "the glorious liberty of the children of God."

Each one, be his post of service prominent or obscure, can stand firm for the right, as he understands it, undaunted by the assailments of evil, ever manifesting courage, honesty, humility, kindness; in short, an availing confidence in the supremacy of God, infinite Mind, and in His guiding of events for universal good. These and other spiritual qualities are inherent in the nature of man, as God's reflection; and in cultivating and expressing them one is furthering the genuine liberation of mankind, which can be gained only through the understanding of true being. Of this ever advancing religious liberty—freedom through true worship of God—Mrs. Eddy has written (Science and Health, p. 118): "Ages pass, but this leaven of Truth is ever at work. It must destroy the entire mass of error, and so be eternally glorified in man's spiritual freedom."

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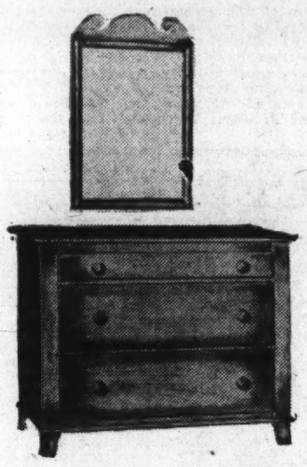

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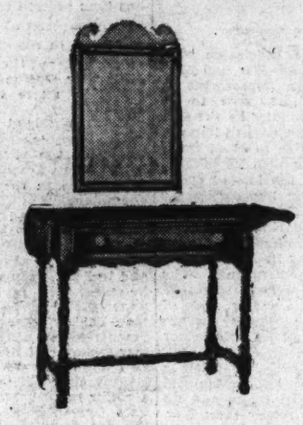

Vanity $41

A delightful Early American style Vanity with drop leaves at each end and with hanging mirror and one drawer.

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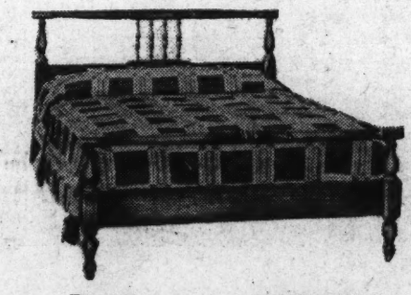

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'MILLER BOYS' MARK 20TH ANNIVERSARY

Notable Developments Have Been Achieved by Real Estate Firm.

In February, 1912, William C. Miller and Allison N. Miller obtained a permit to erect two semidetached houses at 757 and 759 Kenyon street northwest. They employed a foreman carpenter, A. M. Fetzer, to superintend the work. This carpenter is still in their employ, which illustrates the stability of employment when the employe gives the best to his employer.

These first houses were drawn by the firm of Kendall & Smith, which firm has since been dissolved, but Delos H. Smith, the junior partner of that firm, is at the present time conducting his own architectural office. After the Kenyon street houses had been disposed of, the "Miller boys," as they were known at that time, bought a lot at the corner of Thirty-third street and Highland avenue in Cleveland Park, where they erected two rather nice detached houses.

Business at that time was not as brisk as it is today and these houses had to be carried for something more than a year before disposition was made of them. Lack of capital necessarily compelled the cessation of speculative building by the firm until such time as these properties were disposed of and in the meantime they entered the contract field and built houses for owners in various parts of the City of Washington. Houses, stores and even one small apartment were built by them during this period.

MacNeil's First Houses.

The first detached houses in Cleveland Park were drawn by the architectural office of B. Frank Meyers & Gordon MacNeil, who was at that time a draftsman in the office of Mr. Meyers and did most of the actual work on the plans. It is rather significant that Mr. MacNeil is at the present time employed by the firm of W. C. & A. N. Miller as the head of the architectural department, a position which he has occupied since 1919, and in Mr. MacNeil's conduct of his office the firm of W. C. & A. N. Miller, with Gordon MacNeil as architect, have been given four of the biennial awards for excellence in architecture which have been awarded every second year by the Washington Board of Trade. These awards have been made to them at every competition since they first entered the lists for this much-coveted distinction.

For some years the firm confined its speculative building to the Cleveland Park area, with the exception of one row of houses which were erected on Rock Creek Church road opposite the Soldiers Home. It continued, however, in the competitive contract field and constructed homes and rows of houses for owners in the Southwest, Southeast, Northeast and Northwest sections of the city.

In 1920 the firm bought two blocks of land in Woodley Park, opposite Wardman Park Hotel, and built thereon groups of houses which were probably the first departures from the stereotype row house which had formerly been a predominant method of construction in the city. The fronts of these houses varied from each other in the architectural design, and it is one of the first examples of variation of color monotony which had previously been the rule in the construction of row dwellings. This was the first real large operation in which the firm engaged, and it is interesting to note that this ground in Woodley Park was originally subdivided by Thomas E. Waggaman, from the estate of whom most of the ground in the Wesley Heights area was purchased.

Wesley Heights Development.

The Wesley Heights area had been laid off by Mr. Waggaman and recorded as a subdivision in 1890. The engineering for the subdivision made by Mr. Waggaman was drawn by Howell & Greenough, civil engineers. This engineering firm eventually became D. J. Howell & Son, and upon the death of the elder Howell this office was conducted by his son, Beaudric L. Howell. The firm of D. J. Howell & Son was employed by W. C. & A. N. Miller when they began operations in the Wesley Heights area, and under their direction most of the grading which was necessary in this subdivision was performed.

The development of Wesley Heights was originally conceived to be a small-house development and the original houses were constructed by W. C. & A. N. Miller ranged in price from $8,500 to $11,500. A demand was observed, however, for higher-priced properties, and a second group ranging from $10,500 to $14,000 were built. These were readily disposed of and in response to the demand a larger-type house was built until ultimately there have been developed in this area homes selling for as high as $75,000.

The natural beauty of this area was an inspiration to the developers to endeavor to preserve as far as possible the elements which had an appeal to the esthetic, and no tree was felled or ravine filled if the felling or filling could be avoided. This type of development was so different from previous developments which had been carried on in Washington, where entire forest areas had been chopped down and steam shovels had been used to level the terrain into an even plane, that the section soon came to be known as the "Garden Spot of Washington," a sobriquet which has been retained through the entire development of the area.

Harmonious Construction.

One of the distinguishing features which made this development an unusual one was the fact that there were no lots for sale by the developers. In this respect Wesley Heights is the pioneer, and as a result of this idea the relative value in size, color and silhouette of various houses have been weighed with relation to each other and entire block frontages have been developed with a studied care which has resulted in harmonious development of street frontages which is nowhere more apparent than in this area and which can not be attained under ordinary conditions where individuals have built their own homes on their own lots purchased from the ordinary subdivisional developer.

With a variation of altitude of from 220 to nearly 400 feet above sea level, bounded on the east by the magnificent park given to the city by Charles C. Glover; on the west, by the Maddox Branch Parkway recently acquired by purchase by the National Capital Park and Planning Commission; on the south, by the Glover Park and Maddox Branch Park and on the north by the campus of the American University, Wesley Heights is almost completely surrounded by park areas. Since the beginning the the development of Wesley Heights, the American University, with its magnificent marble buildings has opened its college course, the District of Columbia has built and opened the Horace Mann School, a primary school second to none in the educational system of the city and the Metropolitan Memorial Church has erected a magnificent structure at the intersection of Nebraska avenue and New Mexico avenue, where under the ministry of the Rev. Dr. James Shera Montgomery, the Methodist Church has a national shrine worthy to be noted among the outstanding ecclesiastical monuments of the Nation's Capital.

Expansion Was Imperative.

As the development of Wesley Heights proceeded and public appreciation of this type of development was manifested by the purchase of homes as fast as they were built, the firm saw the necessity for acquiring additional acreage for development and so it went west of Wesley Heights and purchased upward of 300 acres of ground bounded on the north by Massachusetts avenue; on the west, by the Dalecarlia Reservoir, a park of 160 acres; on the south, by Loughborough road or Little Falls road and on the east by the campus of the American University. That is Spring Valley.

Spring Valley is a modern suburb—the first curvilinear development of any magnitude in the District of Co-

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BEDROOMS IN POST'S "HOME OF TOMORROW"

Attractive views of two of the bedrooms in the Washington Post's "Home of Tomorrow" in the Foxall development of Waverly Taylor, Inc. The upper picture is the master bedroom, and the lower picture is the nursery, decorated and furnished by Woodward & Lothrop, and described in the accompanying article.

LARGE CROWDS VISIT HOME OF TOMORROW

Interest Is Undiminished in Post's Exhibit of Latest Residence Features.

The interest and enthusiastic praise which marked the opening of The Washington Post's "Home of Tomorrow" in Foxall three weeks ago, is being sustained by the undiminishing throngs that continue to visit this home. Built by Waverly Taylor, Inc., at 4422 Volta place northwest, it has been decorated and furnished by the interior decorating department of Woodward & Lothrop to show the best and most appropriate treatment of a modern interior.

Although crowds of visitors are a source of satisfaction to the sponsors, the genuine test of the superiority of the group of twelve homes in which the "Home of Tomorrow" is located lies in the fact that over half of the group has been purchased. No better proof could be cited of the immediate appeal these homes make, in their design, construction, appointments and setting.

The public is extended a cordial invitation by The Washington Post and the builders, Waverly Taylor, Inc., to inspect this home which is open daily from 9:30 a. m. to 9:30 p. m. It is reached by driving out Q street and Reservoir road to Forty-fourth street, then turn left three short blocks to Volta place and right to No. 4422.

Veritable English Hamlet.

One's impression, as he suddenly leaves the crowded city and passes between the Georgetown University Campus and Foundry Branch Park on the south, and the magnificent wooded estate of Mrs. Anne Archbold and the Glover-Archbold parkway on the north, is that of relief from city noise, traffic and dirt. As he winds down Forty-fourth street he is astonished to find himself in a veritable English hamlet, transported to the suburbs of the National Capital.

In the nearly 100 homes built in Foxall by Waverly Taylor, Inc., a consistent plan has been followed in the English architectural motif, deep front yards, arrangements of groups rather than long rows and treatment of the rears to merit the designation of "Double-Front Homes." At the same time, there has been a sufficient variety of architectural detail to make each group different and each home different from its neighbor to avoid any semblance of monotony. The plans have repeatedly received the "commended" rating from the Architects' Advisory Council, this rating being the highest made to private residences. Waverly Taylor is the architect, in collaboration with Porter & Lockie as associate architects.

The "Home of Tomorrow" has eight rooms, the first floor consisting of a large living room with fireplace, a well lighted dinning room, kitchen and living porch. On the second floor are three well proportioned bedrooms, a modern bathroom and sleeping porch. The studio suite on the third floor consists of a studio living room and bedroom with private bath.

Recreation Room Provided.

In the basement there is a recreational room, maid room and built-in garage. The heating is by gas and there is an automatic hot water storage heater, electric refrigerator, built-in radio antenna and other modern conveniences. The prices on homes now available vary from $11,350 to $14,950.

As one enters the "Home of Tomorrow," through the porch of hand-adzed cypress timbering and entrance hall with its practical tile floor, he is impressed by the way in which the interior "opens up." The vista from the arched opening into the living room, through the wide arch to the stair hall and beyond to the dining room and double casement doors to the living porch, immediately gives the feeling of expansiveness and depth. The detail and decorative treatment, from the tinted ceiling, narrow colonial painted trim and mantel reproduction to the modern radio outlet, electric convenience outlets and Minwax treated oak floors, suggest a high-priced mansion rather than a moderately priced home.

The lower three steps of the main stairway are open to the living room and are decorated by an ornamental iron railing with brass knob. The oak stairway leads to a central location on the second floor, with the master bedroom at the front and two other bedrooms at the rear, with a conveniently located bathroom close by.

Bedroom So Spacious.

The master bedroom is both spacious and adaptable to a variety of plans for furnishing, with well-proportioned wall space. There are three windows, two cedar-lined closets, mirror door and electric baseboard outlets. In each of the rear bedrooms there is a cedar-lined closet and each opens on the screened sleeping porch.

From this porch there is a magnificent view of the Potomac Valley, across to the hills of Virginia, and southeasterly over the Francis Scott Key and Arlington Memorial bridges, Analostan Island and the Lincoln Memorial. Seldom is such a view to be seen—here it will be enjoyed for life and by future generations.

To return through the double casement doors, to the central portion, one is surprised to perceive the thoroughness and care in the design of the bathroom, each fixture and appurtenance being outstanding. The lavatory is of the pedestal type, of porcelain, and with a maximum of usable table space. Even the faucets have been located in the wall to provide more space and make cleaning easier. The toilet is the new silent T-N closet, which can not overflow even though it be accidentally

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the Home of Tomorrow in FOXALL

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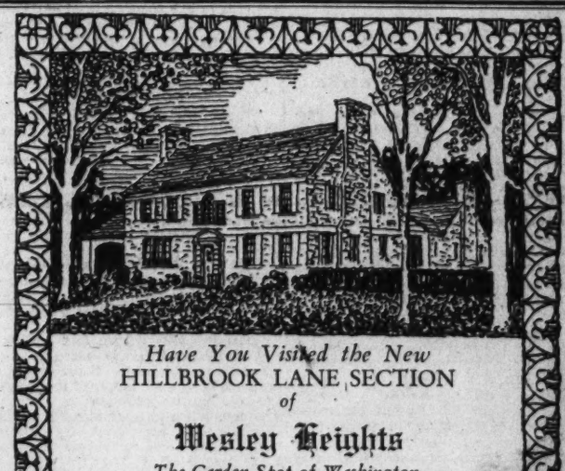

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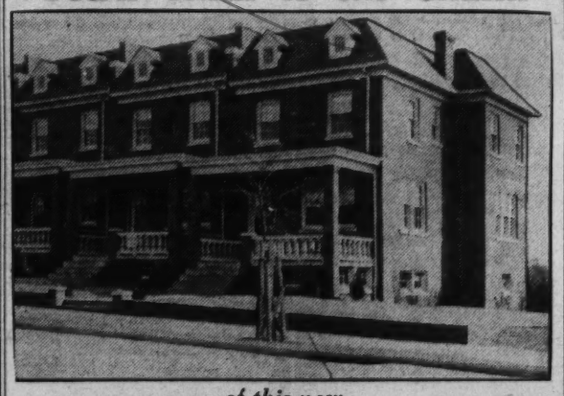

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ARCHITECTS FAVOR BILL IN CONGRESS

Would Decentralize Work of Office of Designer in Treasury.

More than 200 national and local organizations, representing all factors of the building industry as well as engineering, industrial, labor, civic and other groups, have joined the American Institute of Architects in urging enactment by Congress of legislation to decentralize the function of the Office of the Supervising Architect of the Treasury, which relates to the design of public buildings.

In a statement prepared for the House committee on public buildings and grounds, Louis LaBeaume, chairman of the institute's committee on public works, asserts that the change sought will result in a finer public architecture of greater local expression, will place at the disposal of the Government the Nation's best architectural ability, and will check the growth of Federal bureaucracy.

"The Office of the Supervising Architect of the Treasury has for many years maintained a large staff engaged in the preparation of plans and specifications for Federal buildings," says Mr. LaBeaume's statement. "The architectural profession has frequently commented on the growth of this bureau and urged upon the Government from time to time, the employment of independent practicing architects resident in the localities where Federal buildings are to be erected.

Discretionary Powers.

"In 1930 the so-called Keyes-Elliott bill granted the Secretary of the Treasury discretionary powers to so employ outside architects. Under this discretionary authority the Treasury Department, charged with execution of the present Federal building program, has, during the past year, contracted for the services of some 200 architects outside of the department.

"When the appropriations are exhausted, however, the discretionary powers granted the Secretary of the Treasury for the employment of outside architects and engineers will lapse. The purpose, therefore, of the bills before the committee on public buildings and grounds is to establish a definite governmental policy, which will, at all times, bring to the service of the Government the ablest professional ability in the country.

"The Nation is entitled to these services, and the employment of skilled architects and engineers, residents in the States or general sections of the country where Federal buildings are to be erected, will inevitably result in the creation of structures more appropriate to their surroundings and more expressive of the character of the communities which they serve.

Bills Before Committee.

"Several bills are before the House committee on public buildings and grounds—all of them have the same end in view and all agree in principle, although they differ somewhat in detail.

"We are addressing ourselves particularly to R. H. 6187, introduced by Representative Robert A. Green, of Florida, because this bill has become familiar to the entire architectural profession and the buildings industries of the country and has received widespread indorsement. This bill recognizes the importance of the Office of the Supervising Architect of the Treasury and provides for its continuance with certain limitations.

"This bill does not in any way alter or diminish the authority of the Office of the Supervising Architect of the Treasury over governmental expenditures for public buildings. That office will continue to exercise complete control over Federal contracts for public buildings, and will continue to act as the representative of the Government in supervising the construction and erection of all Federal building projects under the jurisdiction of the Treasury Department.

Make Permanent Policy.

"The employment of architects and engineers outside of the Office of the Supervising Architect will simply make permanent the policy now being followed in the case of the present Federal building appropriations. If the present policy is sound, it should be continued and set on a firm foundation.

"The responsibility of the Government for the encouragement of good architecture is without parallel. Its Federal buildings are symbols of its greatness.

"The architects of America have won the plaudits of the world. The standard of their abilities from Maine to California, from Minneapolis to Texas and Florida, is extraordinarily high. Men of great talent and ability are resident in every State in the Union. These men should be allowed to contribute their talents to the expression of the Government's high ideals in its architecture. They are by training and experience equipped to design structures which will fulfill the utilitarian needs of the Government, and which will, at the same time, reflect its majesty.

Familiar With Conditions.

"They are familiar with the local conditions in their communities, they know climatic conditions, soil conditions, local customs and habits, local methods of construction, and are familiar with materials which can be most economically and appropriately used. They have been forced to acquire this knowledge in rising to preeminence in their communities.

"The abilities which they would bring to the service of the Government would, we believe, result in a reduction of the cost of Federal structures. Furthermore, it is obvious that speed as well as efficiency would result from the prompt allocation of various projects to architects resident in the general sections of the country in which public buildings are to be built.

"This factor has undoubtedly been recognized in the present emergency, and was possibly one of the chief arguments in favor of the permissive clause in the Keyes-Elliott appropriation bills. We are also asking approval of this legislation for another vital reason:

"We share the belief of a large body of public opinion that the growth of government bureaucracy which we have been witnessing during the past few years should be checked. We oppose the continued encroachment of the Government into the field of private initiative.

"If it is true that the American system of government is rapidly departing from those traditions which recognize and encourage private initiative and local self-government and local responsibility, and is rapidly tending toward a communistic order under which all the functions of the professions and of many industries are to be performed by government bureaus, then it is submitted that favorable action on H. R. 6187 offers an opportunity to call a halt on at least one activity of the bureaucratic government.

"There is no more reason why the Government of the United States should compete with the professions of architecture and engineering than there is for the Government of the United States to compete with the construction industry in building the buildings for which it makes designs and, to carry the point further, to own and operate the quarries, mills and factories from which building materials of all kinds are drawn.

"We have stressed in our bill the importance of employment on the highest grounds of proven professional ability. Men thus drawn into the service of the Government may be depended upon to exercise their highest skill in the operations entrusted to them. Their reputations in the communities in which they live and expect to continue to practice would act as a spur to the finest results.

Would Retain Power.

"They would further be subjected to the check of the supervising architect of the Treasury. This office would represent the Government as the owner, would retain full power of supervision and inspection, and it is not conceivable that under its vigilant and vigorous supervision mediocre or inferior work would be tolerated.

"We hold that the passage of this legislation is in the public interest first, and only secondarily in the interest of the architectural profession and the building industry.

"Organizations within and without the building industry strongly indorse these principles. Some of these organizations have indorsed the measure on purely practical utilitarian grounds, believing that our principles, enacted into permanent legislation, would save the taxpayers money. Some argue that the Government should not compete with the very citizens which it has taxed. Others, confronted with problems of unemployment in their communities, feel that some relief might be granted by the enactment of this legislation."

Supporters of Position.

Similar legislation sponsored by the institute has been introduced in the upper chamber by Senator David I. Walsh, of Massachusetts. Among the national organizations supporting the position of the institute are:

American Engineering Council, American Face Brick Association, American Institute of Steel Construction, Associated General Contractors of America, Building Trades Department, American Federation of Labor; Contracting Plasterers International Association, Electrical Guild of North America, International Society of Master Painters and Decorators, National Association of Building Congresses, National Association of Building Trades Employers, National Association of Heating & Piping Contractors, National Association of Ornamental Bronze, Iron & Wire Manufacturers, National Builders Supply Association, National Roofing & Sheet Metal Association, National Slate & Tile Association, United Roofers Association, the Construction League of the United States.

The Washington, D. C., Chapter of the institute, of which George Oakley Totten, jr., 808 Seventeenth street northwest, is president, is working actively in behalf of the legislation.

HOME IN COLONY HILL

Buckingham Studio, Inc.

One of the early American homes recently sold in Colony Hill through Boss & Phelps, creators and developers of Colony Hill and Foxhall Village, now occupied by the owner. It was designed by Horace W. Peaslee, architect, and the landscaping was done by Rose Greely. The property was sold for $25,000.

Building Projects

Classification.	No.	Value.
Nonresidential	392	$5,975,000
*Residential Building	580	5,160,000
Total Building.....	972	11,135,000
Public Works and Public Utilities	138	4,401,400
Total Construction..	1,110	15,536,400

Above is a detailed statement of contracts for new building construction awarded in the 37 Eastern States during the period, February 16-22. Compiled by F. W. Dodge Corporation.

COMMITTEE NAMED ON HOME BUILDING

Will Seek to Bring Into Use Efficient Methods of Construction.

Special to The Washington Post.

Chicago, Ill.—Creation of a new national committee to bring into full use efficient methods for home building and home ownership and to advance what has been called a science of housing is announced by the National Association of Real Estate Boards.

The purpose is to put the best present information actively at work.

The committee will act through and with a new network of local committees expected to be set up by member boards in some 580 cities. The whole machinery will be one through which housing needs in each community may be studied and through which recommendations of President Hoover's Conference on Home Building and Home Ownership may be considered as they bear on the specific situation in each city or town. Centering on local needs, it will back the conference findings and aid their immediate practical application.

As a clearing house for the development of more satisfactory housing the committee will have an active four-fold coordination: (1) with the President's Conference; (2) with the real estate boards; (3) with other organized groups in the field of planning, construction and finance; (4) with the various civic, semicivic, scientific and philanthropic groups and institutions working upon the housing problem.

MacDougall to Be Chairman.

Edward A. MacDougall, New York, member of the President's Conference, and president of Queensboro Corporation, Jackson Heights, where he has built some 50 million dollars worth of housing, will be chairman of the committee. Other members, as appointed by L. T. Stevenson, Pittsburgh, president of the association, are: Benjamin Bills, Chilago; Robert P. Gerholz, Flint, Mich.; H. C Thorman, San Antonio, Tex.; G. A. Nichols, Oklahoma City, Okla.; Justin Matthews, Little Rock, Ark.; Harry B. Allen, San Francisco, Calif.

The committee is expected to draw from its cooperating local committees conclusions and recommendations from time to time which may be helpful to the President's Conference and to the home building industry.

New standards of mortgage finance, and standards for housing ordinances, zoning ordinances and building ordinances may be developed through the effective cooperation of all agencies interested in better housing. Mr. MacDougall says in outlining the scope of the work which the committee will attack. It will support expected action by local, State and national governmental agencies in furtherance of better housing.

"Sixteen States have appointed legislative committees to study new sources of revenue to help balance their State budgets and relieve real estate from the increasing burden of taxation which is unduly concentrated upon it and especially upon small houses," he says. "Our committee will cooperate on this problem.

"The committee's work looks ultimately toward the establishment of a national institute of housing, city and town planning."

Follows St. Louis Action.

A resolution providing for appointment of the new committee and recommending to member boards the appointment of corresponding local committees was adopted by the delegate body of the association at its annual meeting in St. Louis January 20-22. At its last annual convention, held in Baltimore in May, 1931, the association adopted a resolution requesting the cooperation of the Government of the United States in the establishment of a housing and city planning institute, to be centrally and conveniently located, and creating a special committee of the association, of which Mr. MacDougall has been chairman, to confer with allied arts and trades as to its establishment.

The action was taken on the ground that a permanent display of methods and devices, graphically representing the best modern thought, would further the general knowledge of what is possible in the making of satisfactory home areas and would stimulate the use of the most efficient methods both in home building and apartment construction.

Many of the more than 30 committees of President Hoover's conference at its December meeting reported the need of housing research, information and demonstration, and the correlating committee on research recommended the creation of some organization which could act as a medium for general information.

BUILDING PERMITS

Permits to build issued last week by the office of District Building Inspector Oehmann included the following:

Clarence W. Goanell, two two-story brick flats at 1300 and 1306 Orren street northeast; cost, $76,000.

John M. King, two two-story frame dwellings at 2201 and 2205 Taylor street northeast, cost, $5,500; four 1½-story brick and shingle dwellings at 2207, 2211, 2215 and 1923 Taylor street northeast, cost, $22,500.

Steuart Bros., Inc., four two-story brick dwellings at 1824-30 Bay street southeast; cost, $4,000 each.

W. C. & A. N. Miller, three-story brick and frame residence at 4293 Hillbrook lane northwest; cost, $13,878.80.

George E. Pruett, two-story brick dwelling at 4808 Forty-sixth street northwest; cost, $8,000.

John M. Stanley, two-story brick dwelling at 3111 Rittenhouse street northwest; cost, $10,000.

Jacobson Bros., two two-story brick and frame dwellings at 2622 and 3626 Jocelyn street northwest; cost, $15,000.

Loren M. and Joseph A. Herbert, jr., two-story brick dwelling at 4927 Brandywine street northwest, cost, $9,000; two-story brick dwelling at 4815 Forty-seventh street northwest, cost, $8,000.

Charles Sturbitts, two two-story brick and stone dwellings at 6233 and 6235 Thirty-first street northwest; cost, $12,000.

F. R. Hillyard, two-story brick residence at 710 Whittier street northwest; cost, $5,000.

National Savings & Trust Co., one-story brick and concrete gasoline station at 716 Ninth street northwest; cost, $2,000.

J. M. Shaefer, one-story frame and stucco dwelling at 350 Anacostia road southeast; cost, $3,000.

Robert F. Fleming, one-story brick garage and service station in the rear of 2155 Champlain street northwest; cost, $3,000.

James Dunn, two one-story brick stores at 2026 and 2028 Rhode Island avenue northeast; cost, $6,500.

Designs Are Approved By Advisory Council

Designs for the following structures were approved last week by the Architects Advisory Council with the following comments:

Automobile Laundry and Service Station, at 3501 Connecticut avenue northwest, for Parking Stores, Inc., Arthur B. Heaton, architect. A straightforward design commended for its simplicity and character. The purpose of the building is admirably expressed in plan and exterior design. The use of colonial brick with red trim is commended.

Three stores for Lennard H. Mitchell at 1817-21 Columbia road, Frederic B. Pyle, architect. Designed as an addition to stores already built, these buildings are of pleasing design. With adequate space for show windows and interior lighting, the supporting members are, nevertheless well expressed in elevation. The color scheme, involving pink granite, buff limestone and metal work in gold bronze, should form an attractive combination.

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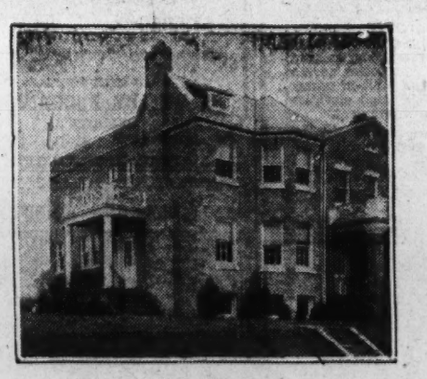

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REALTY MORTGAGE VALUES ARE HIGHER

Monthly Survey of 35 Cities Shows Substantial Gain Since December.

Special to The Washington Post.

Chicago, Feb. 27.—The dollar volume of real estate mortgages recorded in January showed a substantial upward trend, for the first time in recent months, according to a monthly compilation of official reports by Nelson, Hunt & Co., of Chicago, specialists in real estate financing.

Analysis of official figures from selected representative metropolitan districts showed that the volume of real estate mortgages filed in January was about 39 per cent larger than in December. This increase, however, failed to bring the January total near that of the same month in 1930, the decrease below January a year ago being about 41 per cent.

The Nelson, Hunt & Co. compilation covered 37 urban districts, comprising more than half of the city population of the country. They reported a total of $182,546,382 in real estate mortgages filed during the month of January. Thirty-four cities on which comparative data is available showed a total of $177,797,026 for January, as compared with $128,032,343 in the previous month of December.

35 Cities Give Figures.

Thirty-five cities which reported figures on real estate mortgage volume for January, 1931, showed a total volume of $173,392,258 for January this year as compared with $295,628,048 the same month a year ago.

Five districts reported a gain in January over the volume in the same month a year ago. These were Detroit, Mich.; Greenwich, Conn.; Kansas City, Kans.; Omaha, Nebr., and Youngstown, Ohio.

Thirteen districts, including some of the country's largest metropolitan areas, reported in January a volume of real estate mortgages larger than in the previous month of December. These were Chicago (Cook County), New York, Detroit, Fort Wayne, Ind.; Greenwich, Conn.; Kansas City, Kans.; Milwaukee, Oakland, Calif.; White Plains (Westchester County), N. Y.; Philadelphia, Rochester, N. Y.; Tampa, Fla., and Youngstown, Ohio.

Total in Detroit.

Detroit, with a total of $12,611,439 in January, showed an increase of 142 per cent over the same month a year ago, and was about 290 per cent larger than the December total of $3,227,929. Other cities, with a much smaller dollar volume, reported unusually large percentage gains over last January and December.

Kansas City, Kans., with a total of $1,751,048, was 476 per cent ahead of January, 1931, and 936 per cent greater than in December. Youngstown, Ohio, with a total of $1,728,456, was 162 per cent ahead of last January and 149 per cent more than in the previous month. Fort Wayne's total of $645,840 was nearly five times larger than in December, but little more than half of January, 1931.

New York and Chicago (Cook County), the two largest metropolitan areas in the country, both showed a decided upward trend. Chicago, which has been showing a declining tendency for more than a year, reported a total in January of $12,757,863, as compared with $12,538,080 in December. The January volume was, however, about 44 per cent below that of the same month a year ago.

MILLER FIRM MARKS 20TH ANNIVERSARY

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lumbia; its winding roads are fit to the contour of the hills and valleys and so cleverly have these roadways been placed and with such care have the trees been preserved that from an airplane photograph taken in the summer time, the roadways are scarcely discernible. In this territory for the past four years W. C. & A. N. Miller have been building modern homes varying in price from $30,000 to $150,000 and public approval of the project has been so great that there have been few times when finished homes have been available for purchase.

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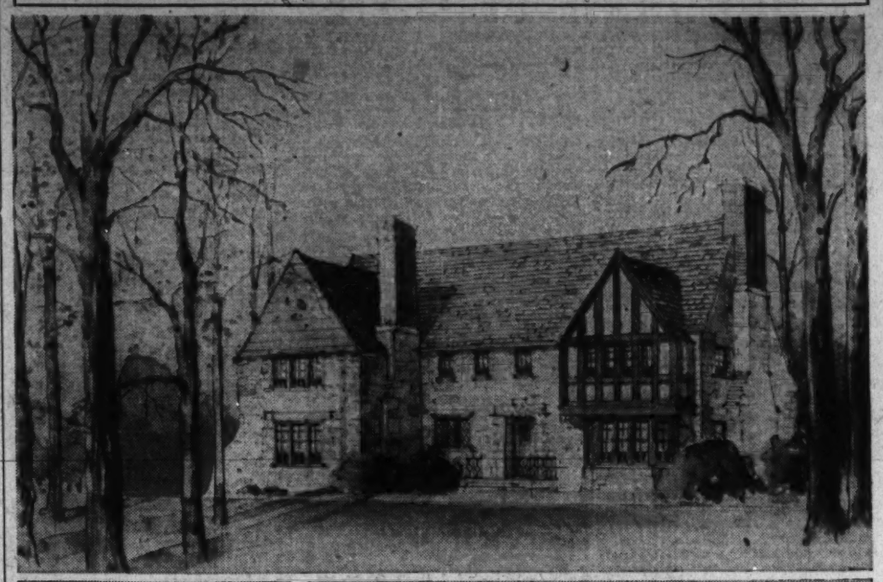
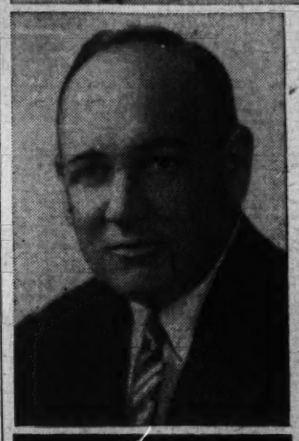
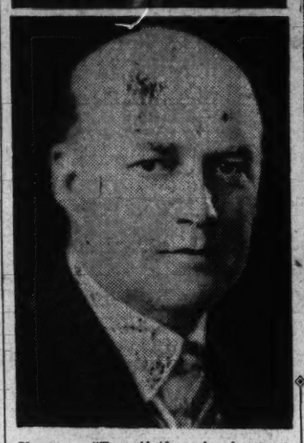
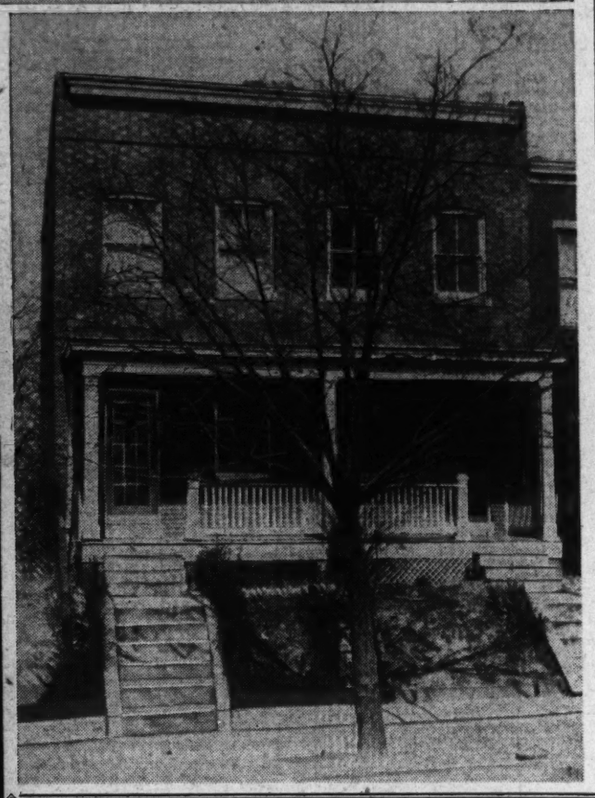






Upper, "Twentieth Anniversary Home," built by W. C. & A. N. Miller at 4914 Glenbrook road northwest. Lower right, first two homes built by firm at 757 and 759 Kenyon street northwest. Lower left, top, A. N. Miller. Bottom, W. C. Miller.



POST'S HOME OF TOMORROW IS VISITED BY LARGE CROWDS

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stopped up. The tub is of classical design, fitted with shower and transfer valve, so that the temperature of the water can be adjusted by the flow through the nozzle and then turned up to the shower head.

The medicine cabinet has a full Venetian mirror and is constructed with rounded corners to make cleaning easier. In the opposite wall is a towel closet and built-in laundry container, lined with galvanized iron. The fittings include a razor blade disposal slot, numerous towel racks, toothbrush and tumbler holders and soapdish, all of porcelain.

The floor is white tile of wicker-weave pattern, with small buff dot, and the walls of square glazed white tile with buff strip border. Above is a vent shaft to provide light and summer ventilation, with ceiling sash, copper weather-stripped for prevention of heat loss during the winter. With this shaft open during the summer there is a constant current of air drawn in from the bedrooms and first floor and carried upward through the lowered ventilator on the roof.

The third floor is furnished as a studio suite, with a studio den in the front and a bedroom with private bath in the rear. The walls and ceiling are celotex insulating board, painted and stippled to give a highly decorative finish.

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Weaver Bros. to Handle Leasing of Three Stores

Leasing of three stores to be erected at 1817-21 Columbia road northwest, for Lennard H. Mitchell, the owner, is to be handled by Weaver Brothers, Inc.

Frederic B. Pyle is the architect and Samuel J. Prescott, the builder. The stores which will be modern in every detail, will have a width of 14 feet each and a depth of 73 feet.

2-STORY HOUSE PLAN IS GIVEN GOLD PRIZE

Homelike Character Combined With Dignity Found in Constructed Home.

The gold medal for the best two-story house constructed in America between 1926 and 1930 has been awarded to Dwight James Baum, architect, of Riverdale-on-Hudson, N. Y., for the residence of Francis Collins, of Fieldston, N. Y., it is announced by the American Institute of Architects, making public the results of the 1931 small house architectural competition conducted by Better Homes in America, of which President Hoover is honorary chairman, and Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur, president.

The design of the prize-winning house, the first to receive a medal in the two-story group, represented, according to the institute's jury of award, of which Frederick L. Ackerman, of New York, is chairman, "a direct approach to the problem through simple means and the skillful handling of proportions, resulting in a house combining dignity and a homelike character."

In One-Story Class.

In the one-story class the medal was won by Winchton L. Risley for the home of Miss Stella Smith, of Palos Verdes, a suburb of Los Angeles, "for a simple and altogether charming solution of the problem." The designs, the announcement said, were "of a distinctly higher standard" than those submitted in the first competition held last year.

Honorable mention in the two-story group went to Windsor Soule and John F. Murphy, of Santa Barbara, Calif., for the residence of W. E. Risser, of Santa Barbara, and to Mr. Baum for the residence of Thomas McCall, of Fieldston, N. Y.

Architects receiving honorable mention in the one-story class were Charles S. Keefe, of New York City, for the guest house at Homewood on the estate of E. Hope Norton, Darien, Conn., and H. Roy Kelley, of Los Angeles, Calif., for the home of Gilbert Bloss, Palos Verdes Estates, Calif.

Honorable mention in the story-and-a-half group was awarded to Waldron Faulkner, of New York City, for the residence of E. H. Corlett, Lake Katonah, N. Y.; to Winchton L. Risley, of Los Angeles, Calif., for a house in Palos Verdes, and to Arthur Hutchason, of Los Angeles, Calif., for a house for Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hicks, San Marino, Calif. No medal was given in this class.

To Overcome Faulty Design.

The purpose of the awards, it was explained, is to discover and call attention to the best small houses built during the given period and to stimulate interest in overcoming the faulty design and construction of the really small house. While the medal is intended as an annual award, houses entered in the 1931 competition were those completed between 1926 and 1930. Designs of houses submitted in one year can not be resubmitted in later years.

Arthur B. Heaton, Irwin S. Porter and Waddy B. Wood, of Washington, D. C., and William J. Sayward, of Atlanta, Ga., were the other members of the jury, which in its report said:

"While the designs submitted came from a very wide geographical area, many States were not represented. Considering the fact that the competition was open to houses completed between the years 1926 and 1930, inclusive, and that during the period, to the knowledge of the jury, many houses of excellent design were built, it is to be regretted that a larger number of submissions were not offered in competition.

"In confining the award of medals to the one-story and two-story classes the jury was of the opinion that the establishment of the medal standard in the story-and-a-half group might well be deferred."

Better Homes in America will sponsor a similar competition in 1932.

Texas Preachers' Kids Form College Society

Fort Worth (U.P.).—P. K. on the campus of Texas Christian University means "Preachers' Kids."

Students whose fathers are ministers have organized a social fraternity of their own, and have adopted the name Preachers' Kids. The single purpose of the organization is to develop the social life of these students.

Nat Wells, of Dallas, is president of P. K.; Dan Salkeld, of Abilene, is vice president; Miss Annell Phares, of Dallas, is secretary, and Miss Mary Louise Scott, of Kerrville, is treasurer.

Diners Eat Planked Turkey.

Hartford, Conn. (U.P.).—A new American delicacy—planked turkey—was introduced at a luncheon of directors of the Connecticut Turkey Producers' Association. It is credited to Dr. C. E. Terry, of Shelton, and turkey growers believe it will improve their business.

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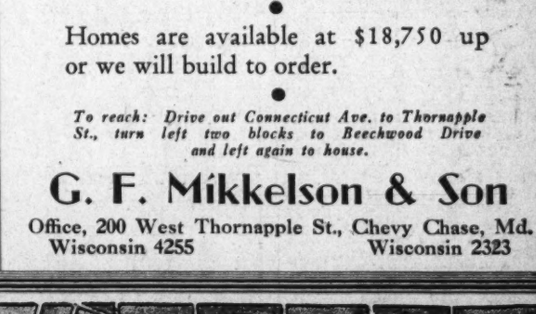

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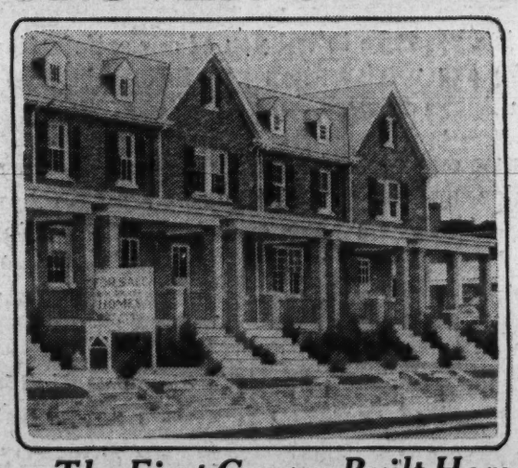

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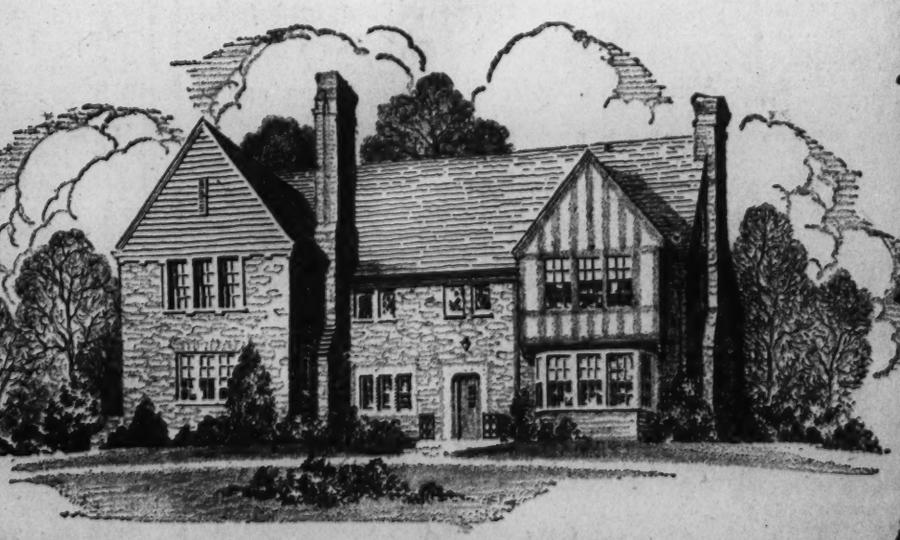

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JANUARY BUILDING COSTS $50,909,971

Decrease From December Is Shown in Permits for 345 Cities.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics of the United States Department of Labor has received building permit reports from 345 cities of the United States having a population of 25,000 or over, for December, 1931, and January, 1932. The estimated cost of all buildings for which permits were issued in these 345 cities in January, 1932, was $50,909,971.

This was 18.6 per cent less than the estimated cost of building operations for which permits were issued during December, 1931. There was a decrease of 4.9 per cent in the number of buildings for which permits were issued comparing these two periods. Comparing January, 1932, with December, 1931, permits there was a decrease of 13 per cent in number and a decrease of 13.2 per cent in estimated cost of new residential buildings.

New nonresidential buildings decreased 21.4 per cent in number and 24.1 per cent in estimated cost. Additions, alterations and repairs increased 3.7 per cent in number but decreased 5.7 per cent in estimated cost during these two periods. During January, 1932, 3,431 family dwelling units were provided in new buildings. This is a decrease of 2.1 per cent as compared with December, 1931.

Various agencies of the United States Government awarded 85 building contracts to cost $6,504,290 during January, 1932.

Comparing permits issued in 345 identical cities in January, 1932, and January, 1931, there was a decrease in new residential buildings of 48.2 per cent in number and 66.6 per cent in estimated cost. New nonresidential buildings decreased 25.8 per cent in number and 40.6 per cent in estimated cost. Additions, alterations and repairs decreased 6.6 per cent in number and 51.2 per cent in estimated cost. Total building operations decreased 18.7 per cent in number and 51.9 per cent in estimated expenditures.

Permits were issued for the following important building projects during January, 1932: In Boston, Mass., for two school buildings to cost more than $316,000 and for a public building to cost $350,000; in the Borough of the Bronx, New York, for three apartment houses to cost $620,000; in Brooklyn for apartment houses to cost nearly $1,500,000 and for a school building to cost more than $2,000,000; in Manhattan for office buildings to cost over $3,500,000; in Cleveland for a city sewage disposal plant to cost $2,700,000; in Austin, Tex., contracts were awarded by the State for nine buildings at the University of Texas to cost nearly $3,500,000. Contracts were awarded by the Supervising Architect, Treasury Department, for a postoffice and Federal courthouse in Topeka, Kans., to cost nearly $650,000 and for a postoffice in Atlanta, Ga., to cost more than $1,500,000.

Scientists Hunting Missouri Meteor

Rolla, Mo. (U.P.).—Missouri scientists are conducting an intensive search in southwest Missouri for a huge meteor, reported to have landed in this section with a loud detonation.

It was so large, observers said, that it illuminated the sky and changed night into day as it passed over. It was believed to have come to earth near Vienna, Mo.

The meteor probably was 100 miles from the earth when it first appeared, said Dr. C. E. Bardsley, professor of astrology at the Missouri School of Mines here. It probably was 20 miles high when it exploded, he believed.

HOME ON NEVADA AVENUE

Post Staff Photo.

House at 5355 Nevada avenue, sold to Louis S. Brown as his home by a local bank through the office of Hedges & Landvoigt.

RETURN SEEN BEGUN TO NORMAL BUILDING

Large Portion of Awards in January Are Found for Residences.

Of the $12,955,800 in new construction awards made in the Middle Atlantic territory during January, $5,975,100 was in residential building, according to F. W. Dodge Corporation. That such a large proportion of the month's contract total should be for residential work may, in the opinion of the statisticians of this organization, indicate the beginning of a return to more normal conditions.

In normal times residential building is more important as a group than either nonresidential building or public works and utilities. The two other major classes, nonresidential building and public works and utilities amounted to $4,516,100 and $2,464,600, respectively, during the month.

This Dodge territory is comprised of eastern Pennsylvania, southern New Jersey, Maryland, Delaware, District of Columbia and Virginia.

A recent study conducted by the statisticians of this organization shows that of the States in the area Maryland, New Jersey and Pennsylvania offer good prospects for residential revival and that of the principal cities, Baltimore, Norfolk, Reading, and Scranton are most favorably situated.

The nonresidential building contract total for January was 44 per cent below that reported for January, 1931. Further losses appear probable for this class of construction.

"The wage question in this territory is still an open one," the statistical bulletin reads. "Philadelphia is alone, of all the important cities in the territory, to show wage adjustments in the principal building trades. Though other cities in the area have effected new wage agreements for certain trades it appears likely that further general adjustments may be necessary before the forces making for revival are adequately meshed.

"The January contract record for public works and utilities was only a fraction of that shown for a year ago the loss for public works was much more severe than in the case of utilities. Closely tied up with the loss in public works is the current wave of budget cutting on the part of municipalities and other public bodies While this has a depressing effect on current operations, it is actually one of the final steps in the long chain of cost deflation, debt deflation, and real estate deflation."

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Concrete Chiefs Here This Week

Mortar Joints in Walls Will Be Topic Discussed by Institute.

Mortar joints that will not come out of masonry walls and at the same time can be handled with economy and dispatch in laying walls will be discussed in all their many properties during the twenty-eighth annual meeting of the American Concrete Institute, convening here at the Wardman Park Hotel this week. This is just one subject of 25 papers and committee reports that will be presented about the use of concrete, states Harvey Whipple, secretary of the institute, who arrived here last week to make arrangements for the meeting.

"Mortar joints for walls are generally made of mixtures of portland cement and lime, deriving advantages from both ingredients," says J. C. Pearson, director of research, Lehigh Portland Cement Co., in a report he will persent. "An opportunity has long existed for manufacturers to produce such combinations of materials as a finished product. Today there are not less than 40 brands of such masonry cement on the market."

Mr. Pearson will tell how to measure the good qualities of such cements and describe just how well they last under service tests. He thinks that many people underrate the importance of plasticity, which has an influence on most of the other desirable qualities. A general specification should be developed that will recognize certain properties as essential to all classes of work, he believes

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Well-known in the oil-burner business of this city, with which he has been connected for the past six years, has been appointed vice president and sales manager of the Dome Oil Burner Co., Inc., which has opened a salesroom and offices at 1723 Connecticut avenue.

Lumber Association Leases New Quarters

The headquarters offices of the National Lumber Manufacturers Association will, on March 1, be moved from the present location, 702 Transportation Building, to 1337 Connecticut avenue northwest, it was announced last week. The move will effect a reduction of approximately one-half in the association's rental expense, it was stated.

The new location was formerly the home and office of one of the city's leading physicians, but is now along one of the main arteries of business development and within a few blocks of the association's present offices.

The private building, which will be entirely taken over, affords adequate space accommodations and offers other desirable advantages. The association has a five-year lease on exceptionally favorable terms and subject to cancellation at any time by the association on four-months notice.

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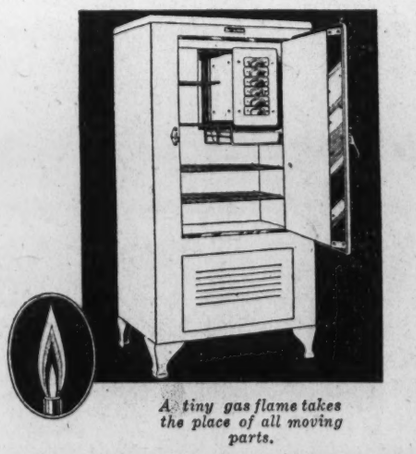

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STOCK TRADING SETS RECORD IN DULLNESS

Turnover for Short Session Drops to 400,340 Shares; Losses Prevail.

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Patiently waiting for something to turn up, stocks today droned through the dullest Saturday since last August. Transactions amounted to 400,340 shares and price changes simmered down toward the vanishing point.

The market refused to express sympathy over Auburn's early sag to a new low. Here and there another stock broke out of line with the prevailing fractional variations, but few of these moves attained proportions of more than a point. The list's behavior, in short, quite bore out the consensus of brokerage house opinion that a professional trading area was all that could be expected until events change the viewpoint.

Railroad earnings statements provided material for further comment. Santa Fe had an operating deficit of $125,901 last month, which prompted some selling of the stock. However, the extreme 2-point loss was halved. Baltimore & Ohio made a good showing, thanks to a sharp reduction in operating expenses. Pennsylvania's January brought a contraction.

Higher Rates' Effect.

A few roads made separate tabulations of the income received from the higher freight rates effective early this year. Five carriers which followed this practice reported that gross had been swelled only 1.87 per cent by the new tariffs, although it was pointed out that the early returns were hardly a fair measure of ultimate results since the seasonal influence on commodity shipments should be taken into account.

Henry Ford's announcement of his big production program, involving enormous expenditures for raw materials and labor, was naturally received with wide interest, especially the figures on the amount of steel he intends to buy in the open market. In some quarters it was suggested that such impressive leadership should have an important psychological effect.

With the Glass-Steagall bill ready for use, financial quarters will follow closely the open market operations of the Central Banking System, especially for changes in holdings of Government securities which can now be used as collateral behind reserve notes. The banks are in a position to expand credit aggressively; so far in the depression they have not made use of the expansion possible through purchases of Federal obligations.

Money Settlements Smaller.

The March money settlements are expected to be smaller this year. Income tax payments and dividend disbursements will probably be under those of 1931, while the Government financing, although still undisclosed, will undoubtedly provide for the exchange of maturing issues for new securities.

The handful of stocks which became prominent because of their break from the rut included Lambert and Western Union, each down a couple of points. The former, returning a large yield, has a dividend meeting coming soon. Although the company covered its payment last year there have been reports that a rate revision was in prospect. Western Union probably reflected estimates of unfaborable 1931 earnings.

American Telephone, Consolidated Gas and Canadian Pacific each firmed a point. U. S. Steel, American Can, Westinghouse, Gen Motors, Gillette, New York Central, Union Carbide and Allied Chemical returned small and mixed net changes. Transamerica was heavy, off half a point.

CHICAGO GRAIN.

Chicago, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Curtailment of export demand for North American wheat did much to bring about late setbacks in grain values today, and frustrate a promising advance.

Only about 200,000 bushels of wheat were taken for shipment overseas from Canada and the United States. A tendency to await March unofficial crop summaries due next week was shown, and comments were pessimistic as to any large reduction in domestic spring wheat acreage this season.

Wheat closed irregular at 1¼-cent decline to an equal gain compared with yesterday's finish, corn 1¼ down, oats ⅛ to ⅜ off, and provisions unchanged to a rise of 12 cents.

Upturns in wheat took the Chicago market well above yesterday's close, despite early declines. Influenced by prospects of large tenders on March contracts at Liverpool and by 2½ cents break in quotations at Berlin. The subsequent rallies here were associated with unfavorable crop reports on domestic winter wheat territory West and Southwest, where high temperatures for this time of year together with dearth of moisture were emphasized by forecast of continued dryness next year and expectance of windy weather characteristic of March. Possibilities of a major crop scare developing were referred to in various quarters.

Bear traders saw no stress, however, to word from Kansas City that elevator stocks of wheat there were at almost a peak record, and that many cars on track were waiting to be unloaded. Meanwhile, the lessening of activities in North American wheat export business put a damper on bullish enthusiasm, and rallies were hard to hold. There appeared to be considerable profit taking under way on the part of speculative holders in all markets that have recently had substantial upturns.

Liberal receipts of corn here and in the West acted as a weight on prices of feed grains. Shipping call for corn was unimproved. Provisions slanted upward owing to indications of smaller marketing.

Cash grain:

WHEAT—No. 2 red, 59½; No. 3 red, 59; No. 3 yellow, hard, 58¾; No. 3 mixed, 58½; No. 2 mixed (smutty), 47¼.

CORN—No. 3 mixed, 32½; No. 2 yellow, 32½; No. 3 yellow, 30½@33¾; No. 3 white, 32¾@33½.

OATS—No. 2 white, 23½@25; No. 3 white, 21@23.

RYE—No sales.

BARLEY—42@59.

TIMOTHY SEED—3.15@3.40.

CLOVER SEED—9.00@14.00.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS FUTURES:

Wheat—	High.	Low.	Close.
March	58⅞	57½	57⅝
May	62⅞	61⅜	61¾
July	63¼	62½	63
September	65	64¼	64⅞
Corn—			
March	35¾	35¼	35½
May	39¾	39¼	39¼
July	42⅜	41⅞	41⅞
September	43⅝	43⅛	43⅛
Oats—			
May	25	24¾	25
July	25⅜	25¼	25⅜
September	25⅞	25¾	25⅞
Rye—			
March	43	42⅞	42⅞
May	47	46⅞	46⅞
July	49¼	48⅝	49¼
September	50⅞	50⅛	50⅝
Lard—			
March	4.90	4.85	4.90
May	5.07	5.00	5.07
July	5.22	5.20	5.22
Bellies—			
May	5.90	5.87	5.90

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—BUTTER—Receipts, 6,193; steady; creamery higher than extra, 23@23¼; extra, 92 score, 22½; first, 87 to 91 score, 21½@22½.

CHEESE—Receipts, 142,295; steady and unchanged.

EGGS—Receipts, 18,998; weak; mixed colors, standards (cases 44 pounds net), 16@16½; rehandled receipts (cases, 43 pounds net), 14@14½; no grades, 13@13½; special packs, including unusual hennery selections sold from store on credit, 16¾@17½; mediums, 12½@13; dirties, 12@13; checks, 11½; refrigerators, as to quality, 10@13; refrigerator, whites, as to quality, 11@14; brown eggs, nearby and Western special packs, private sales from store, 17@20; Western standards, 16@16½.

POULTRY—Dressed, firm and unchanged; live, slow; broilers by freight, 17; express 15@25; ducks by freight 13@17; express unquoted.

SUGAR—Raw was easier today and prices declined 1-32c to the basis of 2.85 for spots. No sales were actually confirmed, but it was rumored and generally believed that at least one cargo of duty frees in nearby position was sold to a local refiner at 2.85. Refined sugar was unchanged at 4.15 for fine granulated, with demand limited to nearby requirements only.

COFFEE—Spot, steady; light inquiry; Rio No. 7, 7¾; Santos No. 4, 9@9¼.

SALES ON STOCK EXCHANGE

Sales in hundreds.	High	Low	Last	Chg.	Bid
A					
12 Adams Express	5	4⅝	5	.....	4¾
20 Adam Express pf (5) AS (z)	67	67	67	.....	67
1 Addressog (1)	12½	12½	12½	— ½	12½
3 Advance Rume	3¼	3¼	3¼	— ⅛	3¼
3 Affiliat Prod (1.60)	14¾	14¾	14¾	.....	14¾
7 Air Reduc (4½b)	56½	56	56	+ 1	55
20 Alaska Juneau (⅝)	13⅝	13¾	13⅝	— ¼	13⅝
15 Alleghany pf (5)	2¼	2¼	2¼	.....	2¼
3 Alleghany pf 130 ww	4¼	4¼	4¼	.....	4¼
24 Al Chem & Dye (6)	76⅛	76	76⅝	+ ⅝	76⅝
5 Allis Ch Mfg (⅝)	10⅝	10¼	10¼	— ¼	10¼
1 Amerada (2)	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞	.....	13⅞
1 Am Ag Ch Del	5¾	5¾	5¾	+ ⅛	5½
60 Am Bank No pf (3) AS (z)	42⅝	42	42	— ⅝	42
78 Am Can (4)	87½	86½	87	+ ½	86¾
1 Am Can pf (7)	125½	125½	125½	+ 1½	123½
3 Am Car & Fdy	7⅝	7	7	— ⅛	7
110 Am Car & F pf (7) AS (z)	29⅝	28½	28⅝	— 1⅝	28
1 Am Colortype	5	5	5	.....	5
7 Am Comi Al	8⅝	8⅜	8⅝	.....	8⅜
10 Am & For Pow	7¾	7⅝	7¾	+ ⅛	7⅛
1 Am & F P 3? pf (7)	23	23	23	.....	22½
1 Am Hawaii S S (1)	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	.....	5
1 Am Hide & Leather	2¼	2¼	2¼	+ ¼	2
2 Am Home Prod (4.20)	47	47	47	+ ¼	46½
2 Am Internat	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	— ⅛	7
1 Am Mach & Met	3	3	3	.....	2⅞
4 Am P & L (1a)	14⅜	14⅛	14⅜	+ ⅛	14⅜
2 Am P & L $5 pf (5)	39⅝	39⅝	39⅝	— ⅛	39½
3 Am Rad St San (.40)	7¼	7⅛	7¼	.....	7⅛
3 Am Repub	2⅜	2⅛	2⅛	.....	2⅛
6 Am Roll Mill	11¾	11½	11½	— ⅛	11½
4 Am Safety Razor (3)	28	25½	26	+ ½	26
4 Am Smelt & R (1¾)	15½	15½	15¼	— ¼	15¼
6 Am Smelt pf (7)	73¼	70	70	— 5	69½
1 Am Smelt 2d pf (6)	48	48	48	— 1	48
1 Am Snuff (3¾b)	33	33	33	.....	32½
5 Am Solv & Ch	⅛	⅛	⅛	.....	⅛
2 Am Steel Fdry	7	7	7	+ ⅛	6½
1 Am Sugar Ref (4)	26	26	26	+ 1¾	25½
82 Am Tel & Tel (9)	127½	126¾	127½	+ 1	127¼
1 Am Tob pf (6)	107	107	107	+ ½	106½
8 Am Tob B (6b)	81½	80½	80½	+ ¼	80¾
10 Am Wool pf	29	28½	28⅞	+ ⅛	28¾
14 Anaconda	9¾	9¼	9¾	.....	9¼
15 Armour of Ill A	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	.....	1⅜
43 Armour of Ill B	¾	¾	¾	+ ⅛	¾
16 Armour of Ill pf	9	9	9	.....	9¼
6 Atch T & S F (6)	80	79	80	— 1	79¼
4 Atchison pf (5)	82½	82½	82½	— ¼	81½
5 Atlantic Coast Line (4)	28	27¾	28	.....	27½
9 Atlantic Ref (1)	10¼	10⅛	10⅛	— ⅛	10¼
159 Auburn Auto (4a)	89⅜	85	86	— 3½	85¾
1 Aviation Corp	2½	2½	2½	.....	2½
B					
9 Balt & Ohio	17	16⅜	16¾	.....	16¾
2 Barnsdall A	4¾	4⅝	4¾	.....	4⅝
3 Beatrice Cr (4)	36⅞	36⅞	36⅞	— ⅛	36½
1 Beech-Nut P (3)	40	40	40	.....	39¾
7 Belding-Hem	4⅜	4	4⅜	+ ⅛	4⅛
3 Bendix Aviat (1)	15⅞	15⅝	15⅞	+ ⅛	15⅝
8 Best & Co (2)	22½	22	22½	+ ⅛	22
12 Bethlehem St	21½	21⅛	21½	— ⅛	21¼
1 Blaw-Knox (½)	8	8	8	.....	7⅞
1 Bohn Alum (1½)	19¼	19¼	19¼	— ⅛	18½
13 Borden (3)	38⅝	38⅝	38⅝	— ⅛	39
1 Borg-Warner (1)	10¼	10¼	10¼	— ¼	10⅛
10 Briggs Mfg (1)	9⅝	9¾	9⅝	+ ⅛	9⅝
17 Bklyn-Man Tr (4)	45½	45⅛	45½	+ ¼	45¼
5 Bullard Co	5	4¾	5	.....	4¾
1 Burr Ad Mch (.80)	10¼	10⅛	10⅛	+ ⅛	10⅜
15 Byers Co	17	16¾	16⅞	+ ⅛	16⅞
C					
3 Calumet & Hec	3	3	3	.....	3
74 Canada Pac (1¼)	16¾	16⅛	16¾	+ 1	16⅜
1 Cap Admin pf A (3)	24	24	24	.....	24
117 Case (J I)	35⅞	35¼	35½	.....	35½
3 Caterpil Tr (1)	11½	11½	11½	+ ⅛	11⅜
1 Central Ag (1½)	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	— ⅛	11½
2 Cerro de Pas (1)	11½	11½	11½	— ¼	11½
3 Checker Cab	6	6	6	.....	5½
14 Ches & Ohio (2½)	23½	23¼	23¼	+ ⅛	23⅜
1 Ches Corp (3)	17	17	17	+ ½	16¾
2 Chic Gt W pf	11	11	11	+ ¼	10¾
6 Chi M St P & P pf	3¾	3¾	3¾	.....	3⅝
3 Chi & N W	8⅝	8½	8½	— ⅛	8⅜
2 Chic Pneu T	4¾	4½	4¾	+ ¼	4⅜
4 Chi Rk Is & P	10½	10¼	10½	.....	10¼
1 C R I & P 6% pf	14	14	14	— ⅜	13
1 C R I & P 7% pf	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛	— ⅜	15½
32 Chrysler (1)	12⅝	12½	12½	+ ⅛	12⅜
10 City I & F pf (6½) AS (z)	65	65	65	— 1½	63⅜
1 Coca Cola (8b)	113¼	113¼	113¼	— ¼	113¼
1 Colgate Palm pf (6)	91	91	91	.....	91
3 Colum G & E (1½)	14⅛	13⅞	13⅞	— ⅛	13⅞
5 Colum Carb (3)	33	33	33	— ⅛	33
1 Comi Credit (1.60)	9½	9½	9½	.....	9½
10 Com Cr 6½% pf (6½) AS (z)	66	66	66	— ½	66
110 Com Cr 7% pf (7¼) AS (z)	20¾	20	20⅜	+ ⅛	19½
2 Com Invest Tr (2)	23⅜	23⅜	23⅜	— ⅛	23
10 Comi Solv (.60)	8½	8½	8½	— ⅛	8½
71 Comwith & So (.30)	4	3⅞	3⅞	— ⅛	3⅞
1 Conden Saf R (.40b)	66	66	66	+ 1	65
2 Congoleum Na (1)	10⅛	10⅜	10⅛	+ ⅛	10½
1 Consol Cigar (5)	23¾	23¾	23¾	+ ¼	23¾
43 Consol Gas (4)	62¾	62	62¾	+ ⅛	62¾
3 Consol Gas pf (5)	92	92	92	.....	91¼
1 Cons Laundries (1)	9¾	9¾	9¾	+ ¼	9⅝
3 Consol Text	½	½	½	+ ⅛	⅜
7 Conti Can (2½)	38½	38¼	38¼	+ ¼	38
1 Conti Ins (2.40)	21½	21½	21½	— 1⅜	21
1 Conti Motor	1¼	1¼	1¼	.....	1¼
3 Conti Oil Del	6	6	6	.....	6
1 Conti Shares	⅝	⅝	⅝	.....	½
3 Corn Prod (3)	43⅞	43¾	43⅞	— ⅛	43¾
2 Coty	3½	3¼	3½	+ ⅛	3⅜
1 Crex Carpet	15¼	15¼	15¼	+ ¼	15
10 Crucible Stl pf (7) AS (z)	37½	37⅛	37½	— 2⅝	35
13 Cuban Cane Prod	¼	¼	¼	.....	⅛
1 Cudahy Pack (4)	33⅜	33⅜	33⅜	+ ⅜	32⅝
9 Curtiss-Wright	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	.....	1¾
1 Curtiss-Wr A	2½	2½	2½	.....	2⅜
D					
1 Detroit Ed (8)	111⅞	111⅞	111⅞	+ ⅜	109¾
3 Diamond Mat (1)	14⅜	14⅛	14⅛	— ⅛	14
17 Dome Mines (1)	9⅝	9½	9⅝	+ ⅛	9⅝
1 Dominion St (1½b)	15	15	15	.....	15
1 Douglas Aircr (1)	11¾	11¾	11¾	.....	11½
5 Drug Inc (4)	52½	52	52	— ¾	52
1 Duplan Silk (1)	10	10	10	+ ⅛	10
70 Dupont de Nem (4)	55	53¾	54½	+ ⅛	54¼
E					
25 Eastman Kod (5)	79½	77	78¾	.....	77¾
6 Eaton Ax & S (1½)	6½	6¾	6⅝	— ⅛	6⅝
29 Elec & Mus	3⅜	3	3	.....	3
21 Elec Auto-L (4)	29⅝	28⅞	29¼	+ ¾	29⅛
10 Elec Boat	2	1⅞	2	+ ⅛	1⅞
81 El Pow & Lgt (1)	12⅜	12¼	12⅜	+ ⅛	12¼
5 El Stor B (3)	30⅞	30½	30½	+ ⅛	30
1 Endicott-John (3)	33¼	33¼	33¼	+ ⅜	33
1 Eng Pub Ser (1.40)	21	21	21	+ 1	21
2 Equit Office Bldg (2½)	18½	18¼	18½	— ¼	18½
F					
20 Fashion Park pf AS	5½	5¼	5¼	— ¾	5¼
2 Fed Water S A	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞	— ⅛	4¾
5 Fid P Fire Ins (2.60)	23½	23	23	.....	23
10 Fisne's Sons pf (6½) AS (z)	94	94	94	+ 4	92
1 Firestone T & R (1)	13	13	13	.....	13
1 Firestone T & R pf (6)	56	56	56	.....	55½
12 Fisk Rubber	⅛	⅛	⅛	.....	⅛
350 Fisk Rub 1st pf AS (z)	½	½	½	— ⅛	⅜
1 Foster Wheel	9½	9½	9½	— ½	9¾
1 Fourth N Inv (1.10)	19	19	19	.....	19½
3 Fox Film A	3¾	3¾	3¾	.....	3⅝
4 Freeport Tex (2)	18½	18½	18½	— ⅛	18⅝
G					
20 Gamewell (1) AS (z)	12	12	12	+ ½	12
1 Gen Am Tank (4)	32	32	32	.....	31½
3 Gen Asphalt (1)	13	12½	12½	.....	12½
16 Gen Baking (2)	18¾	18½	18¾	+ ⅛	18½
100 Gen Baskin-pf (8) AS (z)	99½	99½	99½	— ½	100
2 Gen Cigar (4)	35¾	35¾	35¾	— ¼	36
79 Gen Elec (1.60)	20⅜	20¼	20⅜	— ⅛	20¼
18 Gen Elec spl (.60)	11	11	11	.....	11
11 Gen Foods (3)	35¾	35½	35¾	— ¼	35½
8 Gen G & El A (6%)	2	2	2	.....	2
1 Gen G & El cv pf (5)	17½	17½	17½	— 2½	16¾
10 Gen G & E $7 pf A (7) AS (z)	26	26	26	+ 1	25
1 Gen Mills (3)	36½	36½	36½	.....	36¼
1 Gen Mills pf (6)	87½	87½	87½	.....	87½
19 Gen Motor (2)	21	20⅝	21	.....	20⅝
7 Gen Motor pf (5)	85½	84½	84½	— ½	84⅜
100 Gen Pr Ink pf ww (6) AS (z)	56¼	56	56	— 3¾	55¼
5 Gen Real & Ut	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	.....	1
3 Gen Refract	12	12	12	— ⅛	11½
50 Gen St Cast pf AS (z)	10½	10	10	— 2	8
2 Gen Thea Eq	¾	¾	¾	.....	⅝
81 Gillette Saf R (.40b)	20½	20⅜	20⅜	— ⅛	20¼
3 Gillette pf (5)	67¼	65¾	65¾	— 1¼	66¼
3 Glidden Co	5¼	5¼	5¼	+ ⅛	5
10 Gobel Adolph	5¾	5¾	5¾	+ ¼	5¼
5 Gold Dust (2½)	17⅜	17¼	17¼	.....	17¼
1 Goodrich pf	15	15	15	.....	15
17 Goodyear T (1)	15⅞	15½	15⅞	+ ⅛	15⅝
3 Goodyear T 1st pf (7)	54½	53½	54½	+ ¼	54
1 Gotham Silk H pf (6)	11	11	11	.....	11
3 Graham Paige	3⅛	3	3⅛	.....	3
3 Grand Sil St	1¾	1¾	1¾	+ ⅛	1⅝
5 Gt No Ir Ore ctf (2)	12¼	12¼	12¼	.....	12¼
5 Grigsby Grunow	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	— ⅛	1⅛
H					
30 Hack W pf A (1¾) AS (z)	26	25	25	— 1¼	25
3 Hollander	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	.....	8½
1 Homestake M (8.80b)	115	115	115	+ 3	113
1 Houd-Her B	3¼	3¼	3¼	— ⅛	3⅜
1 Houston Oil new	3½	3½	3½	— ⅛	3½
6 Hudson Mot (1)	7¼	7¼	7¼	— ⅛	7¼
3 Hupp Motor	3¾	3¾	3¾	.....	3¾
I					
3 Illinois Cent	13¼	13⅛	13¼	+ ⅛	13
27 Indust Ray (4)	35½	34⅝	35¼	— ½	35
4 Inspirat Cop	3	3	3	.....	2⅞
1 Insurgnsh ct (Md) (.28)	3	3	3	+ ⅛	3
14 Intern Rap Tr	12¾	12	12	.....	12
1 Int Bus Mach (6)	104¾	104¾	104¾	+ ¼	104
1 Int Carrier Ltd (½)	4	4	4	.....	3⅝
1 Int Cement (2)	16	15½	15½	— ½	15⅜
6 Int Comb E	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	+ ⅛	1⅜
18 Int Comb E pf	18	17	18	+ 2⅞	18
4 Int Harvest (1.80)	23½	23	23	— ¾	23
9 Int Hydro-El A (2k)	8⅛	8⅝	8⅛	— ⅛	8¾
12 Int Match pfc pf (4)	18½	17½	18½	+ ⅛	18
21 Int Nick Can	7¾	7½	7½	— ⅛	7½
1 Int Nick C pf (7)	79½	79½	79½	— ½	79
10 Int Pap 7% pf AS (z)	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	+ 1⅜	8
1 Int Pap & P A	2	2	2	.....	2
2 Int Shoe (3)	38¾	38½	38½	— ½	38½
11 Int Tel & Tel (.60)	10⅝	10½	10½	.....	10½
J					
7 Johns-Manville (1)	22½	21¾	22	+ ⅛	22
10 Jones & L S pf (7) AS (z)	76⅛	76⅛	76⅛	+ ⅛	76
K					
1 Kan City S pf (4)	17	17	17	— 2½	16

Total sales, 400,340 shares; previous day, 894,145 shares; week ago, 704,690 shares; year ago, 1,747,875 shares; two years ago, 1,806,700 shares; January 1 to date, 65,183,319 shares; year ago, 107,228,566 shares; two years ago, 129,117,949 shares.

XD—Ex-dividend. XR—Ex-rights. AS—Actual sales. (a) Plus extras. (b) Including extras. (d) Partly stock. (e) Paid in scrip. (f) Paid last year. (h) Paid so far this year. (j) Payable in stock. (k) Cash or stock. (l) Payable when earned. (z) Unit of trading, ten shares.

REVIEW OF TRANSACTIONS ON WASHINGTON STOCK EXCHANGE

Total sales since January 1, up to and including Friday, Febr uary 26, giving opening, high, low and closing figures. Compiled by W. S. Hibbs & Co.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
	BONDS.				
	PUBLIC UTILITIES.				
$22,500	Capital Traction 1st 5s, 1947	60	60½	58¼	60
11,000	Pot El Pow cons 5s, 1936	100	101	100	100¾
4,000	Pot El Pow gen & ref 6s, 1953	106	106	103¾	104½
16,000	Wash Gas Lt 5s, 1960	100¼	101	99	100¼
47,800	Wash Gas Lt 6s, 1933, Ser A	100	100⅛	99⅝	100
10,200	Wash Gas Lt 6s, 1936, Ser B	100¼	103⅜	100¼	100½
3,000	Wash Ry & El 4s, 1951	82	82¼	82	82¼
	MISCELLANEOUS.				
1,000	Chevy Chase Club 5½s, 1976	100¼	100¼	100¼	100¼
	STOCKS.				
	PUBLIC UTILITIES.				
672	Capital Traction	18¼	20	18	20

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
28	Pot El Pow 6% pfd	110⅝	111	109	109
164	Pot El Pow 5½% pfd	102½	104	102	103¾
15	Washington Gas	85	86	85	86
302	Wash Ry & El pfd	86	94½	86	92
	TITLE INSURANCE.				
10	Columbia	7	7	7	7
	MISCELLANEOUS.				
20	Col Sand & Gravel pf	99½	99½	99½	99½
8	Fed Storage Co pfd	100	100	100	100
65		65	65	60½	60½
95		95	95	95	95
236	Mergenthaler	55	55	43⅞	43½
10	Peoples Drug Stores pfd	80½	80½	80½	80½
20	Woodward & Lothrop pfd	107	107	107	107

PHILADELPHIA MARKETS.

Philadelphia, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—POULTRY—Live, chickens, fancy, mixed colors, 18@20. Dressed poultry: Fowls, fresh killed, in boxes, 19@24; old roosters, dry picked, Western, 12@13; turkeys, fancy, young, 25@26; old hens, 21@22; old toms, 19@20; chickens, fresh killed fancy Western, broilers, 24@25; chickens, stags, 14@16; roasting chickens, frozen, 25@27; Western broilers, frozen, 26@29; Pacific Coast broilers, fancy, frozen, 26@28.

BUTTER—Top, 24½@27½; 92 score, 23½; 89-91 score, 22@22½; 86-88 score, 21@21¾.

CHEESE—Unchanged.

EGGS—Unsettled: Pacific Coast best marks, 23@24½; nearby closely selected, white extras, 20@20½; nearby white extras, 17½@18½; nearby brown extras, 17½@18½; nearby average extras, mixed colors, 16½@17; nearby graded firsts, mixed colors, 15@16; nearby current receipts, mixed colors, 13½@14½; Midwest average extras, mixed colors, 17@17½; Midwest graded firsts, mixed colors, 15½@16½; Midwest current receipts, mixed colors, 13½@15; receipts, 4,163.

BOND SALES ON NEW YORK EXCHANGE

U. S. GOVERNMENT BONDS.
(Dollars and Thirty-seconds. Sales in $1,000.)

Sale	Issue.	High.	Low.	Last.
36	Liberty 3½s, 1932-47	98.6	98	98.6
199	Liberty 1st 4¼s, 1932-47	99.29	99.26	99.26
2	Liberty 1st 4¼s, 1932-47, reg	99.20	99.20	99.20
178	Liberty 4th 4¼s, 1933-38	100.7	100.3	100.5
143	Treasury 4¼s, 1947-52	103.9	102.31	102.31
56	Treasury 4s, 1944-54	100.2	99.31	99.31
13	Treasury 3¾s, 1946-56	97.8	97.4	97.4
17	Treasury 3¼s, 1943-47	94.8	94.4	94.8
6	Treasury 3¼s, 1941-43, March	95	94.26	94.26
48	Treasury 3½s, 1946-49	91.6	90.26	90.26
107	Treasury 3s, 1951-55	90	89.14	89.14

CORPORATION BONDS.

Sales	Issue	High.	Low.	Last.
	A			
4	Alleghany Corp 5s, 1950	29½	28⅝	28⅝
21	Am & For Pow 5s, 2030	43	42	42¼
1	Am Chain 6s, 1933	86	86	86
3	Am I G Chem 5½s, 1949	69	69	69
5	Am Internat 5½s, 1949	69½	69	69½
2	Am Smelting 5s, 1947	89⅝	89⅝	89⅝
12	Am Sugar Ref 6s, 1927	100	99¾	100
30	Am Tel & Tel 5½s, 1943	104	103½	104
12	Am Tel & Tel 5s, 1965	97¾	97½	97¾
6	Am Tel & Tel cvt 4½s, 1939	105	104¼	104½
1	Am W W & Elec 5s, 1934	90	90	90
5	Ang Chil Nitrate 7s, 1945	12	12	12
7	Armour & Co Del 5½s, 1943	64½	64¾	64¾
1	A T & S F cvt 4½s, 1948	91½	91½	91½
6	A T & S F gen 4s, 1995	87	86½	87
	B			
8	Balt & Ohio rfg 5s, 1995	68	67½	68
11	Balt & Ohio 4½s, 1933	82½	82¼	82¼
7	Balt & Ohio cvt 4½s, 1960	53½	53½	53½
8	Bell T Pa 1st 5s, 1960, C	100⅜	100	100⅜
5	Boston & Maine 5s, 1967	74¾	74⅜	74¾
36	Bklyn Man Trans 6s, 1968	87⅞	87	87¼
2	Buf Gen Elec 4½s, 1981, B	93⅜	93	93
1	Buf Ro & P con 4½s, 1957	54¼	54¼	54¼
	C			
9	Can Nat Ry 4½s, 1957	78½	78	78½
11	Can Nat Ry 5s, 1969, July		83½	84
1	Can Pac 4½s, 1960	73½	73⅛	73½

BANKERS TO EXPAND OFFICES IN CAPITAL

Robert Jones & Co. Run Into Prosperity Despite State of Business.

By THOMAS M. CAHILL.

Robert C. Jones & Co., Inc., investment bankers, with offices in the Shoreham Building, announced yesterday that for the second time in slightly more than a year, the company finds it necessary to increase its office space to take care of increased business. The corporation is moving to much larger offices in the same building and will have about 300 per cent more space than it has been occupying.

It will have complete trading facilities in United States Government bonds, municipal bonds and bonds of a generally miscellaneous character, bank and insurance stocks and bonds, out-of-town unlisted stocks and bonds.

The company announced the following appointments: Charles D. Carroll, as manager of its bond trading department; Edgar B. Rouse, as manager of its stock trading department, and Oscar P. Hunt, formerly manager of the bookkeeping department of G. M.-P. Murphy & Co., as manager of its accounting department.

Success Is Unusual.

"During these perilous and trying times," a firm official said, "it is a novel experience for an investment house to make such a pleasant announcement, but we owe it all to the confidence which the banks and the community have shown in us and for this we are extremely grateful."

The prominent place that women are taking in these assemblies is again in evidence in connection with the fourteenth annual convention of the District of Columbia Bankers Association. Each year shows an increased attendance of the wives and daughters of bank officials as well as of women engaged in the banking business. Many of them attend the business sessions of the convention and make its social features an attractive part of the general program.

Selection of Hot Springs, Va., this year has been commended by the female contingent and General Chairman Claude H. Woodward, president Mount Vernon Savings Bank, has accordingly appointed a ladies committee to be headed by Mrs. C. H. Pope, wife of the acting president of the association, as chairman. She will be assisted by Mrs. George O. Vass as vice chairman. The other members of the committee are Mesdames Frederick H. Cox, Charles H. Doing, Albert S. Gatley, Edward L. Hillyer, Lanier P. McLachlen, Frederick P. H. Siddons, Sidney F. Tallaferro, Eliot H. Thompson and Claude H. Woodward.

Members Get Notices.

Mrs. Pope is sending her committee members notice of their appointment and inviting them to a meeting for planning a program of interesting events to feature their stay in the Virginia mountains next June. Last year, it included golf tournaments, bridge parties, teas, swimming contests and automobile trips through many of the beautiful mountain resorts, besides the usual dancing after dinner.

The January statement of operations of Washington Rapid Transit Co., filed yesterday with the Public Utilities Commission, shows in net income a deficit of $9,160.40, as compared with one of $3,446.88 for the month last year.

Plans for expansion of the Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone companies of Virginia and Baltimore City were announced yesterday following meetings of their boards. Capital expenditures for new plant and equipment in Virginia were authorized by the board, bringing the total appropriation for similar work throughout the State this year to $1,198,934. Those authorized for Maryland bring the total appropriation for that State this year to $1,474,579.

Wilson Is Reelected.

Lloyd B. Wilson was reelected president and Frederick J. Irish, general manager, of the Baltimore City company. Other officers reelected were Marshal O. Sedam, Philip O. Coffin and John C. Koons, vice presidents; Walter B. Clarkson, vice president and secretary; Thomas B. Clarkson, treasurer; Harry C. Gretz, general auditor and Ralph A. Van Orsdel, general counsel. Administrative officers are Harry C. Ross, auditor; E. L. Florance, general commercial manager; A. D. Speer, jr., chief engineer; J. W. Talbot, general plant manager and C. L. Oswald, general traffic manager.

Mr. Wilson was reelected president and Charles H. Weber general manager of the Virginia company. Other officers elected were Marshal O. Sedam, Philip O. Coffin and John C. Koons, vice presidents; Walter B. Clarkson, vice president and secretary; Thomas B. Clarkson, treasurer; Harry C. Gretz, general auditor and Ralph A. Van Orsdel, general counsel. Administrative officers are E. R. Koogle, auditor; Lloyd Griffin, general commercial manager; J. T. Graham, chief engineer; S. F. Merriam, general traffic manager and V. B. Fitzpatrick, general plant manager, Richmond.

Phone Company Meeting.

At the annual meeting of the Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co. of West Virginia, held in Charleston, the following directors were reelected: T. S. Clark, Charles A. Cabell, Charleston; Charles M. Gohen, Huntington; John M. Crawford, Parkersburg; Daurie Burt, Wheeling; John Raine, Rainelle; Lloyd B. Wilson, Marshal D. Sedam, Philip O. Coffin, Washington; Walter S. Gifford, Eugene S. Wilson, New York.

At the annual meeting of the Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co., of Virginia, held in Richmond, the following directors were reelected: John S. Eggleston, William T. Reed, Richmond; Goldsborough Serpell, Norfolk; Homer L. Ferguson, Newport News; Junius P. Fishburn, Roanoke; Lloyd B. Wilson, Walter B. Clarkson, Marshal D. Sedam, Philip O. Coffin, Washington; Walter S. Gifford, Eugene S. Wilson, New York.

At the annual meeting of the Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co., of Baltimore City, held in Baltimore, the following directors were reelected: Charles H. Phillips, Lee Claiborne, Edgar H. Henry M. Warfield, R. Howard Bland, William G. Baker, Baltimore; Alexander Armstrong, Hagerstown and Baltimore; Lloyd B. Wilson, Marshal D. Sedam, Philip O. Coffin, Washington; Walter S. Gifford, Eugene S. Wilson, New York.

Alvin Fischer, well known in local financial circles, is now associated with Westheimer & Co.

CHICAGO STOCKS.

(Quotations furnished by W. B. Hibbs.)

	Bid.	Asked.
Yellow Taxi	10¼	11½
Thompson	11½	12½
Wahl	1	1½
Butler Bros	2	2¼
National Leather	4	4½
Swift	18½	18¾
Swift International	22	23
Libby, McNeil & Libby	3⅞	4⅛
Midwest Util	3⅛	4
City Con. com	⅛	..
City Con. pfd	1	4
Edison	10⅝	10½
Public Service, $100 par	100	108
Public Service, no par	102	104½
Quaker Oats	955/4	97⅞
Quaker pfd	103	105
Bendix	15⅜	15⅞
Borg Warner	10⅛	10¼
Illinois Brick	4½	5¼
U. S. Gypsum	23½	25
Great Lakes Dock & Dredge	10½	11
Balaban & Katz	10	27
Cons. com	½	⅞
Cons. pfd	10	..
Electric Household	4½	5
McCord	3½	..

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Call money, steady; 2½ per cent all day.

Time loans, steady: 60 days, 3½@3¾; 3-6 months, 3½@3¾ per cent.

Prime commercial paper, 3½@3¾.

Bankers' acceptances, easy: 30-60 days, 2¾@2⅞; 90 days, 2⅞@2¾; 4 months, 2¾@2¾; 5-6 months, 3¼@3.

Bar silver, barely steady and ¼c higher at 30¾c.

EXPANDS

ROBERT C. JONES.

Wall Street Briefs

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Because of the substantial dividend casualties in the last year, disbursements to stockholders in March are expected to show a sharp decrease from the 1930 total. Estimates place the amount to be paid next month at roughly $200,000,000, whereas a year ago payments aggregated $310,000,000.

Changes in capital structure have been made by 36 companies thus far in 1932. The purpose is, through reduction in stock par values or in outstanding volume of shares, to write off losses met in operations. A score of additional companies are also planning similar changes.

The New York Central is coming into the market soon for a substantial volume of steel rail. The amount has not been determined.

A reversal of last week's sharp decline in mill operations in the Youngstown steel district is indicated for the coming week. It is estimated that plant operations will be at about 28 per cent of capacity, an increase of 5 per cent over the current rate.

Cash dividend payments by the companies of the Standard Oil group in the first quarter of 1932 are estimated at $46,717,367, compared with $48,530,230 in the fourth quarter of 1931, and $63,101,997 in the first quarter of 1931, according to records compiled by Carl H. Pforzheimer & Co.

State and municipal financing scheduled for next week totals only $7,357,864, according to the Daily Bond Buyer. This compares with $24,684,672 as the past week's total, and a weekly average for the year to date of $17,033,732.

Both unfavorable and favorable dividend changes dropped in number last week. A compilation by the Standard Statistics Co. shows 54 unfavorable revisions compared with 63 the week before, and 8 favorable changes compared with 14.

Bank suspensions were fewer in the week just past, numbering 8, compared with 27 in the preceding week, according to the American Banker. This is the most favorable showing for any recent week. Reopenings numbered 6. The total number of closings so far this year is 467, affecting deposit liabilities of approximately $225,075,000.

A Wall street report is to the effect that the contract between Radio Corporation of America, General Electric Co. and General Motors Corporation under which the automobile company has manufactured radio sets since 1929 may be terminated on April 30. It is said that ending of the contract will remove one of the principal objections of the United States Department of Justice to the relationships of Radio Corporation with other leading manufacturers of radio equipment.

The St. Louis, San Francisco Railway Co. today received $2,805,000 to meet interest payments due March 1. The funds were advanced by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation on approval of the Railroad Credit Corporation.

The United States produced 62 per cent of the world's production of petroleum in 1931, compared with nearly 64 per cent in 1930. Output reached a total of 1,370,299,000 barrels, of which the United States contributed 850,275,000 barrels, according to preliminary figures compiled by the United States Bureau of Mines. For 1930, world production was 1,410,037,000 barrels, of which the United States' share was 898,011,000 barrels. Russia was the second largest producer in 1931, with 11.6 per cent of the world total. In 1930 Venezuela ranked second with 9.7 per cent, and Russia third with 8.9 per cent.

Youngstown advices say that the Republic Steel Corporation will resume operations at its Warren, Ohio, plant on a large scale next week. Carnegie Steel Co. is said to plan a 5 per cent increase in operations in the Mahoning Valley to 35 per cent of capacity.

DAILY COTTON MARKET.

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).

PORT MOVEMENT.	Middl'g.	Receipts.	Exports.	Stock.
N. Orleans	6.83	8.154	23.900	1.095.523
Galveston.	6.65	4.120	10.660	960.730
Mobile	6.60	1.305	....	220.899
Savannah	6.97	836	....	194.197
Charleston	....	718	4.354	139.912
Wilmington	....	121	....	23.338
Norfolk	6.97	39	300	66.917
Baltimore	....	....	....	2.593
New York	7.05	....	....	208.445
Boston	....	....	....	13.008
Houston	6.60	3.967	3.725	1.550.520
Min. ports	....	....	....	194.100
C. Christi	....	290	....	78.355
Tl. today	....	19.550	42.939	4.796.311
Tl. week	....	19.550	42.939	....
Tl. season	....	8.381.300	5.749.464	....

Sales—New Orleans, 2,328; Galveston, 500; Mobile, 797; Savannah, 515; Norfolk, 101; New York, 300; Houston, 1,924; total, 6,465.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT	Middl'g.	Receipts.	Ship'ts.	Stock.
Memphis	6.25	5.446	5.358	452.119
Augusta	6.88	382	619	128.705
St. Louis	....	397	397	882
Ft. Worth	6.30	....	....	....
Lit. Rock	6.16	105	518	70.529
Atlanta	6.80	....	....	....
Dallas	6.35	....	....	....
M'tgomery	6.45	....	....	....
Tl. today	....	6.330	6.892	652.235

Sales—Memphis, 5,725; Augusta, 479; Fort Worth, 826; Little Rock, 1,654; Dallas, 2,956; Montgomery, 389; total today, 12,029.

BALTIMORE MARKETS.

Baltimore, Md., Feb 27 (A.P.).—POTATOES—New stock bushel hampers Bliss Triumphs, U. S. No. 1, 1.50@1.75; U. S. No. 2, 1.25; barrels Spaulding Rose, U. S. No. 1, 6.50.

POULTRY—Live: chickens, old, heavy, 19@20; medium, 18@19.

Other articles unchanged.

DAILY GOLD MOVEMENT.

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Imports of $983,100 from Canada and exports of $300,000 to Holland and $57,000 to Peru comprised today's gold transactions, the New York Federal Reserve Bank statement disclosed.

There was an additional earmarking of gold for foreign account of $245,000 as of Friday, with no change for today.

NEW YORK CURB TRANSACTIONS

Sales in hundreds.	High	Low	Close
A			
2 Allied Mills	3¾	3¾	3¾
25 Alum Co Am AS.	48¾	48¾	48¾
2 Am C P & L A(3z)	26	26	26
1 Am C Pow A	¼	¼	¼
6 Am Cyan B	3¾	3¾	3¾
1 Am Equities	2½	2½	2½
1 Am & Fgn P war	4	4	4
4 Am Founders	1	⅞	1
3 Am Gas & El (1a)	34½	34¼	34¼
1 Am Invest. B	3	3	3
25 Am Laun M(1.20)AS	15½	15½	15½
1 Am Lt & T (2½)	19¾	19¾	19¾
11 Am Maracaibo	½	½	½
34 Am Sup Power	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
1 Am Sup P 1 pr (6)	61½	61½	61½
4 Am Ut & G B vtc.	¼	¼	¼
10 Appalach Gas	⅛	⅛	⅛
2 Appal Gas war	⅛	⅛	⅛
1 Ark Nat Gas	2½	2½	2½
4 Ark Nat Gas A	2½	2½	2½
1 Armstrong Ck	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
3 As G & El	5½	5	5½
25 As G & El ctf(8)AS	38¾	38¾	38¾
28 As G & El A(5¾ f)	3¾	3½	3½
9 Atlas Util	5¾	5⅝	5¾
B			
2 Bliss E W (8¾ f)	3	3	3
2 Blue R cvt pf (3r)	22½	22½	22½
2 Braz Tr & Lt (1)	12	12	12
1 B N & E P pf(1.60)	22⅞	22⅞	22⅞
1 Buiter Bros	2¼	2¼	2¼
C			
2 Cab R Tube vtc	⅝	⅝	⅝
1 Can Marc Wireless	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
50 Celanese 1st pf AS	18	18	18
3 Cent P & A	1¾	1½	1½
4 Cent St El	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
1 Centrif Pipe (.60)	3½	3½	3½
26 Cities Serv (.30a)	6¼	6	6¼
1 Claude Neon Lts	1½	1½	1½
4 Cleve El Ill (1.60)	29½	29¼	29¼
1 Colon Oil	½	½	½
120 Col G&E cv pf(5)AS	84	83½	83⅞
10 Com & Sou war	½	½	½
4 Cons Cop Min	⅞	⅞	⅞
8 Cons Oil	6	5⅞	6
3 Cord Corp	5	4⅞	5
11 Creole Pet	2½	2⅜	2⅜
1 Crown C Intl A	1¾	1¾	1¾
D			
1 Dayton Airpl	⅛	⅛	⅛
5 De Forest	1	1	1
1 Detroit Aircraft	¼	¼	¼
1 Draper Corp (2)	19	19	19
25 Duke Power (5) AS	71	71	71
E			
1 East Gas & F	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
4 Elsler Elec	2	2	2
36 El Bond & Sh(6% f)	9⅞	9¾	9⅞
2 El Bd & Sh new	30	30	30
2 El Bd & Sh pf (6)	57½	57	57½
2 El P & L opt war	4½	4½	4½
1 Elect Share	4¼	4¼	4¼
F			
1 Fire As Phila (1.60)	8½	8½	8½
1 Flintkote A	3½	3½	3½
2 Ford M Can A	14	13¾	13¾
1 FordMotLtd (.366e)	5	5	5
1 Founda Foreign A	2	2	2
G			
4 Golden Center Min	¾	¾	¾
5 Goldman Sachs	3	2¾	2¾
3 Gotham Knit	1	1	1
30 Gt A&P nv(6¼g)AS	146	146	146
2 Gulf Oil Pa	28	28	28
H			
2 Hackmeister L	13	12⅞	13
6 Hecla Min (.40)	4	4	4
4 Hir Walker (¼)	3½	3½	3½
3 Hudson Bay M & S	2	1⅞	1⅞
1 Humble Oil (2)	46½	46½	46½
1 Hygrade Fd	3	3	3
I			
1 Imp Oil Can (⅛)	9	9	9
28 Intercon Petrol	⅛	⅛	⅛
4 Internat Pet (1)	9⅞	9¾	9⅞
2 Inter Util A	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
8 Inter Util B	2⅛	2	2⅛
3 Lackaw Sec (4)	22½	22½	22½
1 Lone Star Gas (.88)	7¾	7¾	7¾
M			
8 Magdalena Syn	⅛	⅛	⅛
1 Mass Util Asso	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
10 Mavis Bott A	¾	¾	¾
1 Mead John (3¼g)	54	54	54
1 Memphis N G (.60)	4½	4½	4½
10 Mid W Util(8% f)	3⅞	3¾	3⅞
1 Mid W Ut pf xw(6)	25	26	26
4 Mo Kans P L	⅞	⅞	⅞
25 Moh Hud 1 pf(7)AS	91½	91½	91½
N			
1 Nat Aviation	3	3	3
3 Nat Bond Sh (1)	21¼	20	20
2 Nachman Spring	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
1 Nat Fuel Gas (1)	13	13	13
1 Nat Investors	2¼	2¼	2¼
50 Nat P&L 6% p(6)AS	65	65	65
5 Nat S T Sec A(.60a)	1½	1½	1½
1 Newberry(J)(1.10)	17½	17½	17½
10 N Engr P pf (6) AS	51	51	51
1 N Eng T & T (8)	107¾	107¾	107¾
1 N J Zinc (2)	26	26	26
6 N Y Shipbuild Pd	5¼	5	5
43 Niag Hud B (.40)	6¾	6¼	6¼
9 Nor & So Am A	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
1 Nor Europ Oil	¼	¼	¼
1 Northw Eng (1)	6½	6½	6½
O			
1 Outhrd Mot B	⅞	⅞	⅞
P			
1 P G&E5½p(1.37½)	21⅞	21⅞	21⅞
1 Pacific Tin	1½	1½	1½
1 Pac West Oil	4½	4½	4½
100 Parker RP (3) AS	44¾	44	44¾
1 Pennroad (.40e)	3	3	3
6 Pilot Radio A	2½	2½	2½
1 Pion G M Ltd (.12)	3	3	3
50 Pitts Lake E (5)AS	45	45	45
22 Pub Ut Hold xw	½	½	½
1 Pub Ut Hold pf	3¼	3¼	3¼
R			
1 Relian Manage	⅞	⅞	⅞
3 Rep Gas	⅜	⅜	⅜
4 Reybarn Inc	1	1	1
S			
200 Safety Car H&L AS	30½	26	30½
3 St Regis Pap	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
1 Salt Cr Prod (1)	3¾	3¾	3¾
1 Seaboard Util (.28)	1	1	1
22 SecAlliedCor nv(1)	6½	6½	6½
4 Segal Lock	1¼	1¼	1¼
7 Selected Indus	1½	1½	1½
2 SoCalEd B pf (1½)	24½	24¼	24¼
1 So Nat Gas	¼	¼	¼
100 S W G & E pf(7)AS	68	66	66
21 St Oil Ind (1)	15½	15⅝	15⅝
100 St Oil Ohio(2½)AS	25½	25	25
2 Stutz Mot Am	12⅝	12½	12⅝
1 Sun Inv pf (3)	22¼	22¼	22¼
1 Swift & Co (2)	18½	18½	18½
1 Swift Int (3)	22¼	22¼	22¼
T			
1 Tastyeast Inc A	⅜	⅜	⅜
2 Technicolor	2⅜	2⅛	2⅛
2 Teck Hugh G(.60)	3¾	3⅝	3⅝
1 Texon Oil (1)	6¼	6¼	6¼
2 Trans Lux	2¼	2⅛	2⅛
4 Tubize Ch B	3	2¾	3
U			
1 Unit Carr Fast(.40)	3¼	3¼	3¼
1 Unit Dry Dock	½	½	½
14 Unit Founder	2	1⅞	2
6 United Gas	2¼	2⅛	2⅛
1 Unit Gas war	⅝	⅝	⅝
1 Unit Gas pf (7)	43	43	43
36 Un Lt & P A (1)	6⅛	5¾	5¾
2 U S & I Sec pf	21¾	21½	21¾
1 U S Elec Pow	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
10 Util P & L (10%f)	2	1¾	2
V			
4 Van Camp	1	⅞	1
1 Vogt Mfg (.60)	5	5	5
W			
6 Waitt & Bd B(.80)	3	2½	2½
5 Wenden Cop	⅛	⅛	⅛
Y			
1 Y Oil & Gas	⅜	⅜	⅜

DOMESTIC BONDS.

Sales in hundreds	High	Low	Close
A			
1 Alabama Pow 4½s, 1967	80	80	80
1 Aluminum Co 5s, 1952	93	93	93
2 Am Comwlth Pow 5½s, 1953	4	4	4
6 Am Comwlth Pow 6s, 1940	3½	3	3⅛
1 Am Community Pow 5½s, 1953	12½	12½	12½
4 Am El & Pow 6s, 1957, A	38¼	37¾	38¼
9 Am El & Pow 6s, 1939	31½	30	30
5 Am G & Pow 5s, 1953	25	24	25
1 Am P & L 6s, 2016	78⅝	78⅝	78⅝
1 Am Roll Mill 5s, 1948	58	58	58
2 Am Roll Mill 4½s, 1933	66	66	66
1 Appalachian Gas 6s, 1945	13	13	13
4 Appalachian Pow 5s, 1956	84½	84⅜	84½
5 Arkansas P & L 5s, 1956	84¼	84	84
10 Asso Elec 4½s, 1953	54½	54½	54½
7 Asso G & E 5½s, 1938, inv ctf	32	30½	32
15 Asso G & E 5s, 1950	34½	32¼	33
2 Asso G & E 5½s, 1977	40½	40½	40½
70 Asso G & E 5s, 1958	33	32	32½
51 Asso G & F 4½s, 1949, C	31	30¼	31
5 Asso Hardware 6½s, 1933	33	33	33
13 Asso Tel Util 5½s, 1944, C	43	41½	42½
4 Asso Te & Tel 5½s 1955, A	68¾	68½	68½
B			
1 Bell Tel Can 5s, 1955, A	88¾	88¾	88⅝
2 Bell Tel Can 5s, 1957, B	89½	89½	89½
50 Brooklyn Edison 5s, 1952, E	98¾	98¼	98¾
C			
2 Carolina P & L 5s, 1956	83	82¾	83
2 Caterpillar Trac 5s, 1935	90	89¾	89¾
1 Cent Arizona P & L 5s, 1960	86	86	86
3 Cent Ill P S 5s, 1968, G	75	73	73
3 Cent Ill P G 4½s, 1981, H	68	68	68
1 Cent Ill P S 4½s, 1967, F	69¼	69¼	69¼
7 Cent P & L 5s, 1956	68¼	67¼	68¾
2 Cent Pub Serv 5½s, 1949	18¼	18⅛	18⅛
12 Cent St El 5½s, 1954	39½	39½	39
11 Cent Ut P & L 5½s, 1953	57⅞	57	57¼
3 Chic Dist El 5½s, 1935, B	74	74	74
1 Chic Pneu Tool 5½s, 1942	45	45	45
4 Cities Serv 5s, 1966	44½	44⅜	44⅜
69 Cities Serv 5s, 1950	46⅝	46⅛	46⅝
5 Cities Serv Gas 5½s, 1942	54½	53¾	54½
5 Cities Serv Pow 5½s, 1952	33¼	33¼	33½
1 Cleve El Illum 5s, 1954, A	100½	100½	100½
8 Cleve El Illum 5s, 1939	100⅝	100½	100½
1 Comwlth Edison 4½s, 1956, C	88	88	88
7 Comwealth Ed 4½s, 1960, E	87½	87	87½
23 Comwlth Ed 4s, 1981, F	80¼	79⅞	80¼
3 Community P & L 5s, 1957	61¼	61	61
2 Cons Gas Balt 5½s, 1952, E	105	104½	104½
5 Cons Gas Balt 4s, 1981	87¾	87¾	87¾
1 Cons Gas Util 6½s, 1943, A	17½	17½	17½
3 Cons Gas Util 6s, 1943, A	29⅞	29⅞	29⅞
8 Cont Gas & El 5s, 1958, A	89	88¾	89
5 Cont Oil 5½s, 1937	63½	63¼	63¼
2 Cudahy P 5½s, 1937	78¼	78	78
1 Cudahy Pack 5s, 1946	84¾	84¼	84¾
D			
1 Detroit C Gas 6s, 1947, A	97½	97½	97½
7 Detroit C Gas 5s, 1950, B	97¾	97⅞	97¾
1 Dix Gulf Gas 6½s, 1937, A, ww	83¾	83¾	83¾
E			
4 East Util Inv 5s, 1954, A	70	70	70
1 Ed Elec Ill 5s, 1933	24½	24	24
7 Elec Pow & Lt 5s, 2030	100¼	100¼	100¼
1 Empire O & R 5½s, 1942	55½	55	55
F			
2 Fed Water 5½s, 1954	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛
9 Fla Pow & Lt 5s, 1954	33	33	33
7 Fla Pow 5½s A, 1979	77½	77	77½
G			
3 Gary E & G 5s, 1934, A	61	59	61
1 Gatineau Pow 5s, 1956	83¼	83⅛	83⅛
2 Gatineau Pow 6s, 1941	70½	70½	70½
1 Gen Refract 5s, 1933	63¼	63¼	63¼
1 Gen Wat Wks 5s, 1943, A	60	60	60
1 Gen Wat Wks 6s, 1944, B	37	37	37
9 Geo Pow 5s, 1967	21	19½	20
3 Geo Pow & Lt 5s, 1978	87	83⅛	87
2 Gillette 5s, 1950	60	60	60
1 Gobel A A 6½s, 1935, A	90	90	90
3 Grand Trunk 6½s, 1936	65¾	65¾	65¾
2 Guan Inv 5s, 1948, A	96	96	96
1 Gulf Oil Pa 5s, 1947	33	33	33
1 Gulf St Ut 5s, 1956, A	44¼	44¼	44¼
14 Gulf St Ut 4½s B, 1961	80	80	80
H			
1 Hood Rub 7s, 1936	74½	72	74½
1 Hood Rub 5½s, 1936	48	48	48
1 Houst Lt & Pow 4½s, 1978, D	39½	39½	39½
5 Houst Lt & Pow 5½ A, 1953	82	82	82
4 Hudson Bay 6s, 1935	89¾	88¾	89¾
I			
11 Ill Pow & Lt 5s, 1956, C	60	59	59
17 Ill Pow & Lgt 5½s, 1957	75½	75	75½
5 Ill Pow & Lt 6s, 1953, A	70	66½	70
1 Ill Pow & L 5½s, 1954, B	85½	85	85
1 Ind E 5s, 1951, C	79½	79½	79½
5 Indianapolis P & L 5s, 1957, A	78½	78½	78½
31 Insull Util Inv 6s, 1940, B	90	90	90
3 Insull Util 5s, A, 1949	16½	16	16½
3 Inter Pow Sec 7s, 1936, D	13	12⅛	12⅛
3 Inter Pow Sec 6½s, 1955, C	86½	86½	86½
6 Interl Pow Sec 7s, 1952, F	67	66	66
2 Interl Pow Sec 6½s, 1955, C	67¾	67¾	67¾
4 Interl Sec Am 5s, 1947	49¼	49¼	49¼
13 Inters Pow 5s, 1957	64¾	64	64¾
5 Inters Pub Serv 4½s, 1958	73¾	71½	73
10 Inters Pub Serv 5s, 1956, D	78½	74¾	78½
1 Inter Pub Serv 6½s, B, 1949	89¾	89¾	89¾
2 Iowa-Neb Lt & P 5s, 1961, B	76¼	76¼	76¼
1 Iowa P & L 4½s, 1958, A	78⅛	78⅛	78⅛
2 Iowa Ry & Lt Co 5s, 1932	97	97	97
J			
1 Jacksonville Gas 5s, 1942	60	60	60
5 Jersey Cent P & L 5s, 1947, B	93¾	93¾	93¾
K			
1 Kan P & L 5s, 1957, B	78	78	78
1 Kan Pow 5s, 1947, A	80	80	80
2 Ky Util 5s, 1969, I	76¾	76¾	76¾
9 Kop Gas & C 5½s, 1950	83	81½	83
22 Kop Gas 5s, 1947	80	78½	80
1 Kresge 5s, 1945	90	90	90
1 Kresge 5s, 1945, ctf	91	91	91
L			
1 Louis P & L 5s, 1957	89	89	89
M			
1 Manitoba Pow 5½s, 1951, A	57¾	57¾	57¾
1 Mass Gas 5½s, 1946	94¾	94⅜	94⅜
1 Mass Gas 5s, 1955	85¾	85¾	85¾
60 Mid West Util 5s, 1932	64	58	58
17 Mid West Util 5s, 1933	44	40½	42
20 Mid West Util 5s, 1934	41	40	40½
28 Mid West Util 5s, 1935	41	39	39
7 Minn G & E 4½s, 1950	75	75	75
1 Minn P & L 4½s, 1978	79¾	79¾	79¾
1 Miss Pow & Lt Co 5s, 1957	78¾	78¾	78¾
2 Montreal L H & P 5s, 1951, A	87¾	87¾	87¾
3 Mont L H & P 5s, 1970, B	86½	86⅜	86½
2 Morris Plan Shares 6s, 1947, A, xw	52	52	52
N			
3 Nati El Pow 5s, 1978	31½	31	31
3 Nat Pow & Lt 5s, 2030, B	66	66	66
5 Nat Pub Serv 5s, 1978	38¼	37½	37½
4 Nevada Cal El 5s, 1956	74½	74	74¼
12 New Eng G & E 5s, 1950	60½	60	60
4 New Eng G & E 5s, 1947	61⅜	61	61
1 New Eng Pow 5½s, 1954

HELP WANTED—FEMALE 17

PERSONNEL DIRECTOR — Experienced; age 28-35; for large organization. Beord's, 1333 F st. nw.

WOMAN, over 25, teacher preferred, interested in advancing in business; education, dependability, tact and initiative necessary; salary $1,200. Box 241, Washington Post.

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HELP WANTED—MALE 18

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HELP—Male and Female 19

WANTED—To hear from cellist who can accompany singer. Write Box 233, Washington Post.

SALESMEN—AGENTS 20

AGENTS—$20 daily new patented electrical device; retails $25c. Every home, store, factory needs one; more than 150 per cent profit. Sixinone, G-803 Madison, Chicago.

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SITUATIONS—MALE 22

ENGINEER—27 years old, with 6 years' experience designing, supervising and estimating heating and ventilating equipment for all-class bldgs.; can furnish best of refs.; salary no object. Box 251, Washington Post.

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Seeks position; traveled.
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SITUATIONS—Male—Female 23

DOMESTIC AGENCY—1937 14th st.; Decatur 2419. Will furnish reliable cooks, maids, waitresses, g. h. w., day workers; quick service.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES 24

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REAL ESTATE LOANS 27

FIRST AND SECOND TRUST LOANS
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1416 F ST. NW. National 9172.

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BOX 221, WASHINGTON POST.

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Private Lessons — Mathematics, sciences, languages; Cornell graduate; $1. Albert Jonas, 1406 Hopkins st. nw., near 20th and P.

INSTRUCTION COURSES 29

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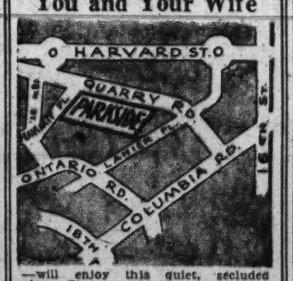

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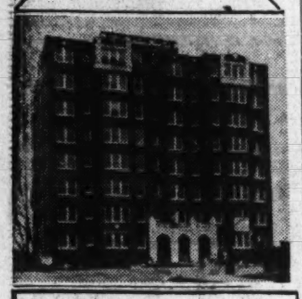

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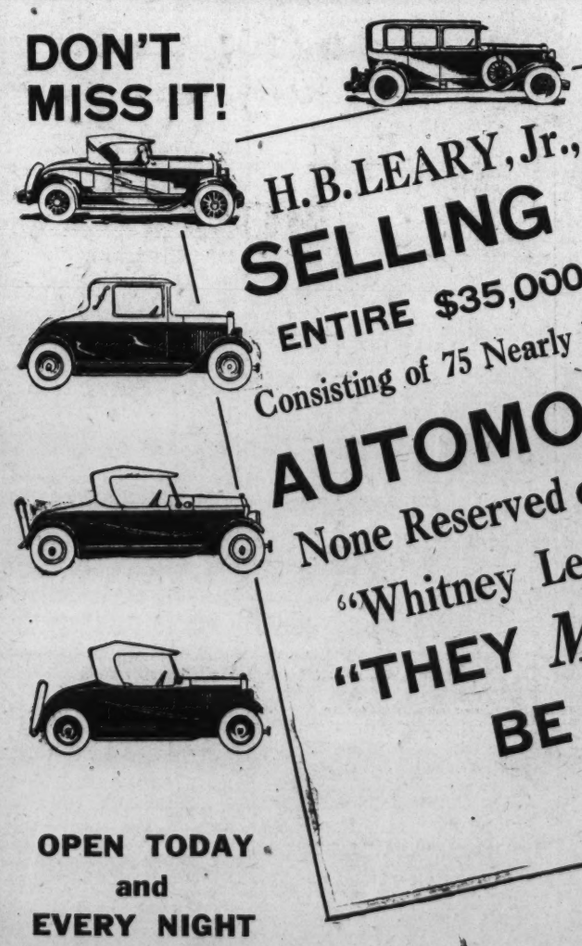

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The Washington Post.

WASHINGTON: SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1932. A

Four New Films—And Two Screen Stars in the Flesh

WASHINGTON'S STILL THE MOST DISCRIMINATING OF AUDIENCES

By NELSON B. BELL.

A CONDITION in the theater no less bewildering than the peculiarly upside-down weather that has characterized our so-called winter, the chaos in the stock market or the scrambled aspects of international relationships, still is not without its compensations in the view of a commentator upon the more obvious of the stage's manifestations.

Such occasional lulls in the succession of strictly professional presentations of the living art of Thespis as occurs this week afford brief opportunities for a placid contemplation of the times and an estimate of the trends of public taste—if any.

It imposes no great strain upon the power of memory to recall the seemingly remote, but in fact comparatively recent, days in the theater when maximum production and generous attendance of the public at the playhouse made it a simple task to book a continuous season of first-grade attractions extending over a period of from 30 to 40 weeks, with a following season of split-weeks and one-night stands in the communities of lesser magnitude, if desired.

So unfailing was the yearly schedule of production, with the star system at the high point of its development, that theater managers in the cities of major importance outside of New York found it a helpful expedient to book the same artists for approximately the same month, or possibly week, season after season. Thus it came about that in Washington it was almost possible to discard the almanac and ignore the calendar, placing full reliance in the enticements held out upon the boards as a means of determining the period of the year.

Early spring in the old days—and the temptation is strong to interpose the adjective "good"—invariably was productive of a troupe or two of Merry Minstrels, parading the streets at high noon under the droll guidance of such masters of ebonized art and apoplectic wit as Lew Dockstader, George Primrose, Neil O'Brien or George "Honey Boy" Evans; Richard Carle in one or another of his amiable buffooneries set to music; the Roger Brothers, with their devastating dialect and a scattering of tentative premieres, calculated merely to determine the advisability of a more vigorous sounding of the tocsin come late August or early September.

To those who are gamblers at heart and find their chief source of exhilaration in the element of chance, the present system of week-to-week booking—when, as and if there is anything to book—no doubt appeals as the better method!

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Possibly the most eloquent commentary upon the present status of the theatrical industry is to be found in the fact that out of the eighty theaters dotting New York's midtown area only thirty are occupied by productions of sufficient worth to attract sustaining patronage.

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TO draw conclusions from a little nearer at hand, the National Capital, this spotty season, has demonstrated one unmistakable and decisive trend in theatrical taste, the only one this department has been able to perceive with any degree of surety—its predilection is wholly in the direction of the finer traditions of the theater and such wholesome dramaturgic exhibits as depart farthest from the receding wave of decadence, by which the playhouse has been inundated, and still manage to remain extant.

It has been made clear, I think, by such revivals as "The Admirable Crichton," "Cyrano de Bergerac" and "The School for Scandal" that the blasphemous oath that caused Clyde Fitch's play of "The City" to be banished from numerous stages a scant two decades ago need not even in this hectic era of loose thinking and looser action be arbitrarily dragged into dialogue where it has no defensible place, as an imaginary prerequisite of box office appeal. And there have been an ample number of musical comedies and revues—that have not resorted to it—to emphasize the absurdity of looking upon nakedness as an essential element of popular success.

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Which is to say, at least insofar as the viewpoint of this city's theatergoers is concerned, that merit is still, as it always has been, the dominating factor in determining the degree of support any offering may hope to command upon the stages of our playhouses. I do not recall an instance this season in which local amusement seekers have been deluded by the tinsel embellishments of any tawdry product.

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IT is not difficult, however, to recall instances in which Washington has been indifferent to new and untried plays that have premiered here, preparatory to their Broadway debuts.

Most notable among these was "Blessed Event," an instant and unequivocal hit that could probably return to Washington for a capacity week following its Broadway triumph, but which languished somewhat at the box-office when presented as an unknown quantity in the face of the opposition of a widely heralded revue bearing the stamp of Broadway approval.

This is an odd contretemps, too, for—the matter of premiere presentation eliminated—Washington frequently refuses to indorse Broadway's estimate of plays it has not previously been privileged to view.

The weight of evidence, nevertheless, seems to be on the affirmative side of the proposition that as between a new venture in the theater and an old, Washington is apt to bestow its cold shoulder upon the newcomer and its favor upon the production that many distant audiences have seen and applauded, even though subsequent events prove them to have been upon no less than an absolute parity.

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It is a matter upon which additional evidence may be gathered next week, when Miss Katharine Cornell will come to Washington in "The Barretts of Wimpole Street," fresh from a triumphant year on Broadway, and Miss Madge Kennedy will bring to town a new comedy, "Bridal Wise," by the authors of "Up Pops the Devil," destined for Broadway after tune-up weeks in Brooklyn and this city—a round-about way, it would seem, to cross the bridge!

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KATHARINE CORNELL, by the way, bought the American rights to Rudolf Besier's romance of the Brownings after her own manager had failed to discern its many merits and vast potentialities as "box office drama."

Miss Cornell, at the time, was starring in Margaret Ayer Barnes' "Dishonored Lady." As she was to begin her tour in California, she decided to go to the Coast by the Panama Canal route and with her carried a number of plays to read on the way. Among them was "The Barretts of Wimpole Street," which a number of New York producers, with their proverbial blindness to hit material, had declined with thanks, just as English managers had also turned their backs to it. From Havana she cabled for the American rights, but at that time had no expectation of appearing in the play herself.

When Miss Cornell reached Los Angeles, where her husband, Guthrie McClintic, was directing talking pictures, it was decided that she should act Elizabeth Barrett, a character very different from the naughty ladies she had been impersonating on the stage. Also she determined to become her own producing manager.

The success of the Besier drama is stage history. It broke all records at the Hanna Theater in Cleveland at its try-out and put up a new record for Buffalo for the week it played there. Miss Cornell played it for a year in the Empire Theater, New York, and ended her engagement there at a time when the public still was crowding the theater, so that she might appear on tour.

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There is as yet, of course, no such triumphant record to set down in the case of Miss Kennedy's "Bridal Wise," although it is freely predicted that the new Albert Hackett-Frances Goodrich comedy will more than fulfill the promise of "Up Pops the Devil," as a sprightly and provocative entertainment that will enjoy an extensive career in the Times Square sector.

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HARDLY more need be said on behalf of last week's bookings in the houses primarily devoted to motion pictures than that three of the features are held over for continuations of

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Mary Astor, Richard Dix in "Lost Squadron"—RKO-Keith's.

Marie Dressler in "Emma" —Palace

Marlene Dietrich, Clive Brook in "Shanghai Express"—Earle.

MISS RICH IN PERSON AND A DIX THRILLER

RKO-Keith's program this week takes the spectator back stage in Hollywood both in its screen and stage presentations. On the stage Miss Irene Rich, famed picture star in her own right and who has won lasting fame in the Will Rogers series in which she played opposite the comedian, will headline the RKO vaudeville program. Miss Rich is appearing in the playlet, "Ask Your Wife," and is supported by a competent group of well-known players.

The screen, too, ventures back stage in that "The Lost Squadron" is a story of the stunt fliers of Hollywood, who, working under a mad director, are forced to do a series of thrilling air episodes that have never before been duplicated on the screen—while through the mass of thrills runs a heart-interest love story.

Written by Dick Grace, whose series of short stories on making thrills for the movies is a feature of The Sunday Post Magazine, "The Lost Squadron" has a cast of players that in addition to the star, Richard Dix, includes Joel McCrea, Mary Astor, Eric Von Stroheim, Robert Armstrong and Hugh Herbert. However, one of the most interesting points of the picture lies in the fact that Grace, himself, not only wrote the story but also does all of the stunt flying in the production.

Reverting to the vaudeville portion of the new RKO-Keith program, in addition to the personal appearance of Irene Rich the bill contains such well-known players as "Bomby" (Aldo Bemonto), who first gained fame with Roxy. Now "Bomby," one of the pioneer tenors of radio, has his own "gang" and is making a highly successful tour of the RKO theaters.

Eddie Stanley, with his supporting company, styles himself "Jest a Jester," with his mission in life to create laughter; Will Aubrey, a bard of the highways, is a modern version of the troubadour of yore, who journeyed afoot from castle to castle writing verse, singing lays, and strumming an instrument for the amusement of the royal family.

Los Torres and her Barcelonians present a combination of athletics and dancing.

Peter Laurini, guest conductor, and the RKO-Lians are also prominently featured in the program, as is the always interesting Pathe News.

ARLISS HELD SECOND WEEK IN FILM HIT

Acceding to thousands of requests, the management of Warner Bros. Metropolitan Theater announces that George Arliss, in "The Man Who Played God," has been held over for a second week for the benefit of those who wish to see the film which it is predicted will take high honors among the best pictures of 1932. The engagement will end Thursday night.

"The Man Who Played God" is the story of a musician whose sudden deafness completely changes his mode of living, his thoughts and outlook on life. After much self-imposed misery, he finally finds his way back to happiness, bringing joy at the same time to many more unfortunate than he.

A brilliant cast supports Arliss, including Violet Heming, Bette Davis, Ivan Simpson, Donald Cook and Louise Closser Hale.

"Washington, the Man and the Capital," Warner Bros. Bicentennial film, enthusiastically received by all who witnessed it, will also continue on the program. Clarence Whitehill, famous Metropolitan Opera star, plays the part of Washington in this picture, which was filmed in Washington, D. C., and Mount Vernon.

The latest issue of the Paramount Sound News, presenting world events in pictures, completes the program.

Bette Davis, blonde film ingenue, recently celebrated the first anniversary of her entrance into motion pictures in a way that showed the remarkable progress she has made in one short year.

On December 13, 1930, Miss Davis spent her first day on a studio lot, an unknown bit player, just arrived after some brief experience on the New York stage. The same day, 1931, found her playing the ingenue lead in a George Arliss picture, "The Man Who Played God."

George O'Brien and Conchita Montenegro in "The Gay Caballero"—Fox.

Clark Gable in "Hell Divers"—Columbia.

Sidney Fox in "Murders in the Rue Morgue"—Rialto.

'HELL DIVERS' SECOND WEEK AT COLUMBIA

"Hell Divers," costarring Wallace Beery and Clark Gable, remains a second week at Loew's Columbia Theater, where it has been thrilling thousands with its glamourous romance of the naval aviation service. Both press and public have hailed this production as being the most thrilling of its kind yet produced.

The story is that of the enlisted personnel of the Navy, who form the background of this important branch of service. Many thrilling sequences have been filmed, with what is said to be one of the most appealing romances ever written interwoven in its action.

Conrad Nagel has an important supporting part in a cast that includes Dorothy Jordan, Marjorie Rambeau, Marie Prevost, Cliff Edwards and John Miljan.

"We tried to tell the story of naval aviation from the viewpoint of the enlisted man."

This is how "Hell Divers" was conceived, written and produced, according to George Hill, its director.

"We wanted to get close to the heart and soul of the Navy," Hill explained. "The fashion used to be to write a military story from the viewpoint of officers. But the men who do the work, the enlisted men, are the real soul behind it all. That's what we tried to bring out in "Hell Divers."

Hill himself was an officer in the Army. The author of the story was Lieut. Comdr. Frank W. Wead; but they placed every situation in the hands of the enlisted men in the play, and every bit of psychology in the enlisted man's manner of thinking.

Two More.

Two more pictures, following "The Man Who Played God," are to be made by George Arliss at the Warner Bros. studios in Burbank, Calif., before he returns to England for his regular summer vacation.

George Arliss in "The Man Who Played God" —Metropolitan.

STAR ILL, BUT FILMING GOES ON AS TIMED

Although "The Tinsel Girl" entered production late last week at the West Coast studios of First National, Lee Tracy, assigned to the leading male role in the picture, was unable to start work on his scenes at that time.

Since his recent arrival in the cinema capital, following the closing of his most recent Broadway play, "Louder, Please," Tracy has been suffering from a severe cold and his doctor ordered rest. Hal Wallis, supervisor, and Michael Curtis, director of "The Tinsel Girl," so rearranged their shooting schedule as to start with sequences not requiring Tracy.

EARLE FILM A BIT OF DRAMA SEEN IN EAST

The tantalizing Marlene Dietrich heads this week's program at Warner Bros.' Earle Theater in "Shanghai Express," a Paramount picture directed by Josef von Sternberg, who also directed the star in "Blue Angel," "Morocco," and other successes. It is presented in conjunction with a new vaudeville bill featuring Evelyn Wilson, recently with George White's "Scandals."

"Shanghai Express," with the glamourous Marlene Dietrich, is the dramatic story of a mysterious woman who meets her former sweetheart on a train. Before the train reaches its destination, Marlene, as a wise woman of the world, not only shows how much she still loves the man, but also changes the lives of a dozen other persons. Clive Brook is the man of her heart, while Warner Oland is the cause of all the trouble. Other important members of the cast include Anna May Wong, Eugene Pallette and Louise Closser Hale.

Evelyn Wilson, who heads the vaudeville, offers a new group of humorous songs; the Three Swifts present a comedy skit, Abbott and Robey continue the fun-making, and Johnny Pastine and his "Dancing Sweethearts" are seen in song and dance novelties. Maxine Doyle is mistress of ceremonies.

The program is completed by Graham McNamee news events, a new release of the popular novelty song reels, "Battling Bosco," and prelude by the Earle Orchestra.

From a colorful career as a youthful adventurer-author, Harry Hervey has drawn the material for his latest screen story, "Shanghai Express."

Hervey, barely turned 30, spent seven years of his life in the Far East, visiting China on sporadic journeys which totaled some two years' time in the Orient.

From such travels as these Hervey found the dramatic material which made up such of his novels as "Congai," "Ethan Quest," "The Black Parrot," "Caravans by Night," "Where Strange Gods Call," "King Cobra" and "Red Ending."

Hervey's idea for "Shanghai Express" came one turbulent day in the war zones of China when an armored Shanghai express, on which he was a passenger, was stopped at a small village en route from Peking to Shanghai.

Here the British authorities entered the train and placed under arrest an aid to a Chinese general who had been creating serious disturbances. The arrest caused considerable commotion against a background of nearby warfare which could be heard but not seen by the train passengers. For more than an hour and a half the train remained stationary while arguments were passed, until finally the general's assistant was led off, under arrest.

On that train was a famous courtesan of the country, an Austrian woman whose love escapades were colorful and many. By strange coincidence, she looked somewhat like Marlene Dietrich, the heroine of "Shanghai Express," Hervey says.

From this character and the Shanghai express escapade, Hervey drew his foundation for the film story.

POE THRILLER CONTINUED AS EERIEST FILM

As might have been expected, that rair-raising film version of "The Murders in the Rue Morgue," remains a second week at the Rialto Theater, where it has been playing to capacity audiences.

Washington has found this famous Edgar Allan Poe classic, now a living thing, a more grotesque entertainment than "Frankenstein," and the performances of Bela Lugosi, who plays Dr. Mirakle, and Sidney Fox are acclaimed the finest of their respective screen careers.

"The Murders in the Rue Morgue," as directed by that illustrious Parisian, Robert Florey, for Universal Pictures, has a supporting cast that includes Leon Waycoff, Brandon Hurst, Betty Ross Clarke and Bert Roach. The scene of the picture is, of course, the Paris of 1840, which Poe knew so intimately, and the story is a fiendish, hair-raising drama that involves the erossing of a girl's blood with that of an ape.

As a story it has always been accorded high literary praise, the finest of the many exotic masterpieces written by America's first and greatest short-story writer.

In addition, the Rialto offers Graham McNamee with the latest Universal News and a group of selected short subjects.

SPEAKING OF OPERATIONS, AS MISS MARITZA WAS AT DOCK!

EUROPE'S latest contribution to America's cinema world, now in New York, under contract to Paramount, plans to leave for Hollywood within a few days to continue her motion picture triumphs.

Her name is Sari Maritza, her ancestry is English and Hungarian, her gowns are Parisian, her smile is infectious, her English is close to perfection and her birthday is on St. Patrick's Day, which means, she says, that she travels under a lucky star.

Last week she limped down the gangplank of the White Star Liner Majestic with a smile and apology for the fact that she is convalescing from an operation. When Miss Maritza boarded that steamer in London she was on a stretcher carried by four stewards and had to remain in bed for her first three days at sea by orders of the surgeon who had removed her appendix ten days before.

"But I'm all right now," the little actress will tell you (she is 5 feet 1½ inches tall and weighs 103 pounds, bandaged) "except that I have to walk slowly, can not dance, get tired quickly and have to watch my diet. But in a few days—well, just watch me."

Miss Maritza's most recent film work was in Berlin, where she had the leading role in Ufa's "Monte Carlo Madness." Before that she was starred in five English pictures, "Greek Street," "Bed and Breakfast," "No Lady," "The Water Gypsies" and "Two Way Street."

The actress has studied in London, Paris, Berlin and Switzerland. She has won many medals for swimming and diving and holds championships for ice skating at St. Moritz.

SWEDE COMIC AND ROUSING FILM AT FOX

The Fox Theater program is topped this week by the personal appearance of that famed comedian, El Brendel. On the screen is "The Gay Caballero," with George O'Brien, Victor McLaglen and Conchita Montenegro in the leading roles.

"The Gay Caballero" is adapted from the popular magazine story by Tom Gill, a native of Washington. The exciting plot is based on O'Brien's leaving the football field for the West to begin life there where his father left off. He is immediately involved in intrigue and romance along the Mexican border, not the least being his love affair with Conchita Montenegro. Finally a mysterious Robin Hood brings peace to the countryside and happiness to the lovers.

The supporting cast is headed by another Washingtonian, Weldon Heyburn, who recently made his first feature. Others in the cast are Linda Watkins, C. Henry Gordon, Willard Robertson and Juan Torena.

The direction is by Alfred Werker.

The comedian who made millions laugh in "Sunny Side Up," "Just Imagine," "Mr. Lemon of Orange" and many others, El Brendel is causing just as much merriment at the Fox this week with his skit on the stage.

Fanchon & Marco are offering their "About Town" Idea, featuring Ted and Al Waldman, Max and His Gang, Ben Dova, Paul Olsen, Joe Pasco and the Sunkist Beauties.

Al Mitchell, conducting the orchestra, and Movietone News complete the bill.

Authors who live prosaic lives are not fitted for the action-writing required by George O'Brien's film stories, but no one ever thought of Tom Gill as a prosaic man.

Lives do not come any more exciting than the one he has led, and much of this color gleaned in his years on the Mexican border has been retained in "The Gay Caballero."

Except for interludes at Yale and in the war, most of Gill's life has been spent in Mexico and the West. He has served as a forest ranger, firefighter and as an Army aviator on flying patrol along the Rio Grande. When that threatened to become placid routine he resigned and took up exploring and the mapping of jungles of southern Mexico, traveling over lost reaches of this dangerous country in the modern manner by plane, as well as by the traditional canoe, muleback and afoot.

Receives Decoration.

Adolph Zukor, president of the Paramount Publix Corporation, recently made Chevalier of the Legion of Honor by the French government, was formally presented with the decoration Thursday, February 18, in his office at the Paramount Building in New York. Presentation was made by Henri Job, French consul.

The bestowal of this high honor upon Mr. Zukor, it was announced by the French government, was in recognition and appreciation of his services in the promotion of cordial relations between motion picture industries of the two lands.

NEW DRESSLER VEHICLE WITH A LOEW REVUE

Marie Dressler is to be currently seen at Loew's Palace in her latest and reputedly most entertaining production, "Emma."

Those who have seen this picture claim it to be by far the most entertaining thing this outstanding actress has ever brought to the screen. It is a tale of the life of an everyday American family, with Miss Dressler playing the role of the family housekeeper who has been responsible for the rearing of a large brood of children. Jean Hersholt, Richard Cromwell, Myrna Loy, Purnell Pratt, John Miljan and others have important parts.

On the Palace stage, Loew's Vaudeville Revue, featuring seven big Loew acts, is the attraction. Many well-known acts appear, including Bob Murphy, Al and Ray Samuels, Johnny Hyman, Dave Tannen, the Chester Hale Girls and others.

American family life, its comedies and tragedies told in intimate style, is said to furnish the basis for one of the most dramatic stories of the screen in "Emma."

The story deals with an engrossing phase of the "stepmother problem," with Miss Dressler playing the role of a devoted family servant who mothers the children of a rich inventor as though they were her own. Her subsequent transition from housekeeper to stepmother gives rise to a number of dramatic problems which reach a climax in a sensational courtroom sequence.

Miss Dressler, whose peerless talents in the straight dramatic field were first made apparent when she played the drunken hag in "Anna Christie," succeeded by her remarkable performance as the disreputable waterfront woman in "Min and Bill," is reported to have an even more forceful and stirring role in "Emma." Information is to the effect that her scene in the courtroom episode is the finest piece of acting in her entire screen career.

The picture is said not to be devoid of comedy moments. There are hilarious incidents in the family life in which moviegoers may enjoy the familiar Dressler humor. A scene in which the inventor proposes to Emma in a crowded railroad station, an episode in which the star attempts to manipulate a pair of rowboat oars and an incident at an airport in which Miss Dressler gets mixed up with a machine which tests for dizziness, are said to keep audiences in a constant uproar.

Plans Tour.

Following the enormous success of his personal appearance tour last summer, during which he visited important cities of the Middle West and East, Joe E. Brown plans to make a similar tour at the end of March, according to latest word from Hollywood. If the present project materializes, he will set out from the cinema capital as soon as his next picture, "The Tenderfoot," has been completed and will visit approximately half a dozen cities before returning to Hollywood to make another film.

A GUIDE TO THE PICTURES

THIS WEEK.

PALACE—Marie Dressler in "Emma" (screen). Loew's Vaudeville Revue, No. 6 (stage). Hearst Metrotone News, orchestra and Charles Gaige organlogues.

RKO-KEITH'S—Richard Dix, Mary Astor and Erich von Stroheim in "The Lost Squadron" (screen). Irene Rich headlining the vaudeville (stage). RKO-Pathe News and orchestra.

EARLE—Marlene Dietrich and Clive Brook in "Shanghai Express" (screen). Evelyn Wilson headlining the vaudeville (stage). Universal News, with Graham McNamee, and orchestra.

FOX—Victor McLaglen, George O'Brien and Conchita Montenegro in "The Gay Caballero" (screen). Fanchon & Marco's "About Town" Idea and El Brendel, in person (stage). Fox Movietone News and orchestra, with Al Mitchell.

METROPOLITAN—George Arliss in "The Man Who Played God," and "Washington, the Man and the Capital." Second week.

COLUMBIA—Wallace Beery and Clark Gable in "Hell Divers," short sound subjects and Paramount Sound News. Second week.

RIALTO—Sidney Fox and Bela Lugosi in "Murders in the Rue Morgue," comedy and Universal News, with Graham McNamee. Second week.

NEXT WEEK.

COLUMBIA—Ronald Colman and Helen Hayes in "Arrowsmith."

EARLE—William Powell and Evelyn Brent in "High Pressure," and Gus Edwards' "Radio Understudies" headlining the vaudeville.

RKO-KEITH'S—Fannie Hurst's "Symphony of Six Millions," and Dorothy Stone and the Pat Rooneys headlining the vaudeville.

PALACE—Marion Davies and Clark Gable in "Polly of the Circus," and Al Wohlman in "Make It Snappy" revue.

METROPOLITAN—Nancy Carroll and Phillips Holmes in "Broken Lullaby."

FOX—Ben Lyon in "The Big Timer" and on stage, in person.

RIALTO—Lew Ayres and Mae Clark in "The Impatient Maiden."

The Washington Civic Opera Company Makes Its Bow

LOCAL STAGE HAILS CIVIC OPERA DEBUT

Scenes of the famous Gilbert & Sullivan opera, "The Gondoliers," to be presented by our own newly formed Washington Civic Opera Company, at the Belasco all this week, are laid along the Grand Canal in Venice and later in the imaginary Kingdom of Barataria. This affords a colorful scenic investiture and interesting costuming.

In the court scene in the second act, will be seen gorgeous new creations in costumes by the same designer that supplied the Grand Parade in a recent Ziegfeld production —Brooks, of New York. The Brooks company has outdone itself to help the Washington Civic Opera to a flying start. These new and richly colored costumes will be worn by the following Washington soloists and choristers, widely and favorably known:

Rita Reyos, Nina Norman, Hasseltine Dunn, Beverly O'Brien, Alma Harris, Lorraine Bentley, Leonora Fague, Harriett Gunderson, Eulalie McEachern, Helen Bache, May Nuchols, Edith Hamacher, Margaret Phillips, Elma Gathman, Sarah Balback, Virginia Weeden, Virginia Wooden, H. Irene Woltz, Eleanor Horning, Blanche Heacock, Pauline Yurdin, Maxine De Silvia, Cristine Devidos, Rose Rubenstein, Doris Lee Segall, Margaret Vogt, Marion McCarthy, Elizabeth Chamblin and Oba Jan Gibson.

Edward Stock, jr., Ira Philip Meyer, Raymond Pigott, Henry Nestor, Kroon Bagranoff, Paul Garger, Howard Severe, Gerald Flood, Jesse Veitch, James Peat, Edwin Ludwig David Lanza, Walter Snellings, Carl Horn, Edmund Simonton, A. E. Fivaz, Bert Cohen, William Hollis, Charles Famosa, Frederick Unger, Raymond Baine, James Backus and Alden Potter.

A heavy advance mail order indicates great interest in "The Gondoliers" and the new Washington Civic Opera.

All social Washington will turn out for the gala premiere tomorrow evening and a generous advance booking for the remaining nights and Saturday matinee indicates a probable "sell out." This important musical activity deserves the interest the music loving public is showing.

Officers heading the Washington Civic Opera have labored long and earnestly to give every possible value to the production of "The Gondoliers."

Beverly O'Brien, Kroon Bagranoff, Hasseltine Dunn in "The Gondoliers"—Belasco.

Bernardino Molinari, conductor—Constitution Hall, Tuesday.

SEASON DRAWS TO ITS CLOSE FOR SYMPHONY

With 20 of the 24 concerts originally scheduled for this, its first full season, already converted into brilliant musical history, the National Symphony Orchestra of Washington, D. C., Hans Kindler, conductor, faces four more outstanding concerts before its initial season closes with its eighth symphony concert on March 17.

The current week offers but one concert—the eighth concert for children and young people—which will be given at Central High School Auditorium, Thirteenth and Clifton streets northwest, at 11 o'clock next Saturday morning, March 5. This concert will terminate the splendid series of juvenile concerts given during the season by Conductor Kindler and his men, and on this occasion, the outstanding event of the concert will be the presentation of the gold, silver and bronze medals for the three best essays on the concert series by members of the audience.

The first major concert in March will be the concert to be given next Sunday afternoon, March 6, at 4 o'clock—the eighth and last Sunday concert of the season—at which time the orchestra will offer not only two choral works but also a Bach concerto for three pianos.

This Bach concerto in C major will open the program. The movements are: Allegro moderato, adagio and allegro. Mary Howe, well-known Washington pianist and composer; Helen Heinl, another distinguished Washington pianist, and Anne Hull, who has appeared on piano programs with Mrs. Howe frequently, will be the pianists.

Assisted by the Washington Choral Festival Association chorus of 100, the orchestra will also play Bach's "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring," from the cantata, "Hertz und Mund," as well as Cesar Franck's 150th psalm.

Worth Winning.

Walter Von Herbulis has been burning up the wires again, not with reports from Chapel, but with some more good news from New York. The popular Club Michel impresario has just completed negotiations with Mr. Joe Moss, of the Hollywood Restaurant, in "the big city," that will add zest to the free round-trip aeroplane flights to New York via Ludington Lines that Club Michael is giving away every Wednesday evening.

The two lucky winners of these flights will also be the guests of the famous Hollywood Restaurant while in New York—dinner, supper, cabaret—the whole works!

AT THE PLAY IN NEW YORK

By MARK BARRON.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The stage, with motion pictures not far behind, is unleashing its most satirical shafts against the ancient circus of politics.

Hollywood studios are rushing the filming of "Washington Merry-Go-Round" and a half dozen other political stories in time to fling them upon screens before the national conventions in June.

As for Broadway, the two outstanding current musical shows are both unrelenting pokes at the foibles of our politicians. "Of Thee I Sing" began the big parade several weeks ago, it being a hilarious series of guffaws, thumbing its nose at the way in which a national election is held.

Now comes "Face the Music," in which Irving Berlin and Moss Hart take the politicians of New York on a highly uncomfortable bob-sleigh ride which is more amusing to bystanders than to municipal officials obviously burlesqued in the show.

The youthful Hart, who was also coauthor of that comedy which ridiculed Hollywood, "Once in a Lifetime," has taken the Seabury investigation as the basis of his story in "Face the Music."

The show begins with the Astors, Vanderbilts, Rockefellers and other wealthy notables embarrassed so by the depression that they must hold their banquets in one of those cheap nickel-in-the-slot restaurants.

THE only people in town who have money are the policemen who carry around their "little tin boxes" ready to receive contributions. Messrs. Berlin and Hart's bluecoats discover their tin boxes are so stuffed they must do something about getting rid of the surplus money.

It is decided the quickest way to lose money is to back a musical show and the show happily turns out to be a costly failure.

The policemen and their tin boxes are brought to justice before Judge Seabury (the character in the show actually looks like Seabury and is addressed by that name).

Their bankrupt producer decided that here is really something worthy of his showmanship talents. He is going to stage the Seabury investigation like a "Follies" production. Undraped chorus girls form the jury, and the chief witness enters the courtroom astride a rhinestone bedecked elephant.

A. H. WOODS marked his return to Broadway by producing a drama, "Inside Stuff," which purports to expose evil workings of political organizations.

In order to protect the czar of liquor and gambling rackets, who is chief contributor to its campaign funds, the machine "railroads" a young boy to prison. Later he is allowed to escape, and then is accused of murder, the trial to be used as a stepping stone for the district attorney to win the governor's chair.

Politics is not being treated too gently by the dramatists and librettists these days.

EDNA FERBER'S niece, Janet Fox, became an actress this week when she played the leading role in a special production of "June Moon." This is the comedy hit from the pens of Ring Lardner and George Kaufman, the latter having once collaborated with Miss Ferber in the writing of "The Royal Family."

In fact, it is difficult to discover any author with whom the prolific Kaufman hasn't collaborated!

Nora Ford with "Innocent Maids"—Gayety.

GUEST LEADER WILL CONDUCT HERE TUESDAY

Bernardino Molinari, one of Italy's great conductors, will be heard at Constitution Hall with the Philadelphia Orchestra on Tuesday evening, March 1, at 8:45, thus acquainting music lovers of the Capital with the work of a man who has gained steadily in popularity since his first visit to America in 1928.

Molinari is an accomplished musician and a profound scholar. He has transcribed and arranged a number of orchestral works, among them the "Sonata sopra Santa Maria," of Claudio Monteverdi; much of the music of Vivaldi, and the compositions of Debussy. It was, in fact, at the request of Debusey that he made an arrangement for large orchestra of the piano composition "L'Isle Joyeuse."

Bernardino Molinari was born in Rome in 1880. As a boy he studied the piano. Later he entered the Liceo Musicale, of Santa Cecilia, where his instructor of harmony and organ was Remigio Renzi, and for composition, Stanislao Falchi.

His first important opportunity came in 1909 when he was asked to arrange the concerts of Strauss at the Augusteo in Rome. This he did so well that he was engaged as a regular conductor and in 1912 he was made general artistic director of the Augusteo.

WORTHY OPERA GAYETY BOAST FOR NEW WEEK

With Lillian Dixon, the popular brunette star, topping the list of players, a more than average show may be anticipated when "Innocent Maids" opens at the Gayety Theater this afternoon.

This impression will be more than verified when the names of the supporting cast are looked over. In the list can be found that group of funmakers, George Murray, Bob Startzman and Charles Cole, whose eccentric, blackface and tramp comedy reaches a high point of rib-tickling in costume and gags. Harry Beasley, the dancing straight man, seconds their efforts. Harry Finkle, the singing juvenile, is a vocalist of unusual merit and devotes his attention to songs that are and will be popular.

Miss Dixon has gathered around herself a group of young feminine stars that has already achieved a reputation in burlesque. Madeline LaVerne, red-haired blues singer; Ethel Du Boise, the brunette singing and dancing soubrette, and Marcella Newberry, the pretty blonde soubrette, who adds unusual talent in singing and dancing, complete the line-up.

EVELYN GRENT, one of the entrancing decorations of the Loew Vaudeville Revue, No. 6, currently occupying the stage at Loew's Palace.

COMING STAGE ATTRACTIONS

KATHARINE CORNELL appears as Elizabeth Barrett in Rudolf Besier's "The Barretts of Wimpole Street," in the Shubert-Belasco Theater, for one week only, beginning on Monday, March 7, with matinees on Thursday and Saturday. The curtain rises at 8:15 sharp at nights and 2:15 at the matinees.

The play made history in New York. There Miss Cornell established the record for the length of her run which was the longest the historic Empire Theater had known in its 39 years of existence.

The love story of Elizabeth Barrett and Robert Browning ranks with that of Abelard and Heloise, Anthony and Cleopatra, Tristan and Isolde and Romeo and Juliet in the world of fact and imagination. Besier has taken the chief incidents of his story from the letters which passed between the two poets. Dominating the background is Elizabeth's father, who jealously shielded his children from contact with the outside world. He disapproved of any inclination they showed toward marriage and when Elizabeth finally eloped with Browning to Italy he neither would see her nor read any of the letters she wrote him. In the same fashion he later treated Elizabeth's sister, Henrietta who also ran away from home to marry the man she loved.

Miss Cornell has been seen here in several plays, but in "The Barretts of Wimpole Street" she appears in a role in great contrast to any she hitherto has acted.

Brian Aherne appears as Robert Browning, Margalo Gillmore as Henrietta and Charles Waldron as Elizabeth's father. The cast includes also Joyce Carey, Myra Hampton, Brenda Forbes, John Buckler, George Riddell, Oswald Marshall, Ian Wolfe, Vernon Downing, Frederick Voight, Richard Lambart, Leslie Dennison, Ian Emery, Robert Champlain and Flush.

MADGE KENNEDY, delightful comedienne and an established favorite here, will be the star of the new comedy coming to the National Theater on Monday, March 7, previous to being done on Broadway. The play is "Bridal Wise," from the pens of Albert Hackett and Frances Goodrich, who wrote the very mirthful and successful "Up Pops the Devil."

Miss Kennedy, it is said, is given ample opportunity in "Bridal Wise" to display her superb comedy talents. It was in the playing of farce, notably "Twin Beds" and "Fair and Warmer," that she first gained country-wide recognition. Her most recent appearances in Washington were made in "Private Lives."

The supporting cast for Miss Kennedy has been particularly well chosen. Allen Kearns is the featured member with the role opposite the star. He will be remembered for his parts in "Little Jessie James," "Very Good Eddie," "Girl Crazy" and other light comedy hits, including "Tip Toes." Also in the company are Rachel Hartzell, of "Little Accident" and "Cloudy With Showers;" John Litel, twice leading man for Jane Cowl; Harry Sothern, nephew of E. H. Sothern; Virginia Morgan, niece of Ralph and Frank Morgan; J. Arthur Young, Ben Lackland, Sara Perry, John Frost, Ella Gordon and Lew Payton.

Jo Mielziner has designed elaborate settings reproducing attractive angles of a country estate outside of Baltimore, which serves as the background for the swift-hurdling situations wherein love and horses and marital mishaps are mixed in laughable complications.

THE special added attraction announced for the Gayety Theater next week, beginning with Sunday matinee, March 6, will be Mrs. Jack ("Legs" Diamond in person at the head of her own Columbia Burlesque unit, billed as "Mrs. Jack 'Legs' Diamond and her 30 Racket Dears."

Clever principals, dazzling beauties and a lively chorus will form an animated background for the star, but, after all, whoever else is in the company won't much matter!

That "Blue Bird."

"The Blue Bird" is a rare, exotic, stimulating super-cocktail of song, dance, musical comedy and romantic tableaux, bubbling with robust fun, charged with light gayety, spiced with nostalgic flavors of old Imperial Russia, shaken through a sieve of satire and served with a dash of continental sophistication on a stage dripping with the bright, fantastic colors and the haunting melodies of Russian music.

"The Blue Bird" has been hailed by every European country from Scandinavia to Italy. Over 4,000 performances have been given abroad. It comes to the National March 13.

IRENE RICH, celebrated star of the cinema, who headlines this week's vaudeville bill at RKO-Keith's in a clever one-act playlet.

EVELYN WILSON, formerly of George White's "Scandals," who headlines this week's vaudeville bill at the Earle in her tuneful skit, "Songland."

FORREST ORR SIGNED WITH NAT. PLAYERS

Forrest Orr, for several seasons one of the outstanding members of the National Theater Players, has been signed by the management to return and play comedy roles during the eighth annual spring and summer season soon to open in the National Theater.

A thespian of marked ability, Forrest Orr's experience in the theater has carried him throughout the length and breadth of the land as a supporting member of many stock companies. Years ago he was a member of the celebrated stock company that played Poli's Theater when Izetta Jewel was leading woman and A. H. Van Buren the leading man. Then Mr. Orr played juvenile roles. That was the real beginning of his career in the theater, although he had served an earlier apprenticeship in the theaters of his native State, Texas.

When the Miller Brothers organized the old 101 Ranch, they looked for material in the States of the great Southwest, Oklahoma and Texas. Their scouts went around in the panhandle country and all the way down to the Rio Grande on a thousand acre tract they discovered Forrest Orr. Mr. Orr had one year as a rider with the Wild West troupe. It brought him into contact with an outside world he had known nothing about. Then was born a desire to go on the stage. So, setting aside lariat, sombrero and chaps, Forrest Orr went to Dallas, Tex., and got his first speaking part on the stage. It happened to be a character role, that of a young cowpuncher.

From Dallas, Tex., to Broadway is a long hop, but Forrest Orr made it by dint of perseverance. It was not by any manner a straight line that brought him to the electric lights of Broadway, for he trouped in all the small towns of his native State and afterward went to Louisiana, where one season he played in New Orleans. Then up the seaboard coast, he came to Washington, where he joined forces with the old Poli Players and after that it was easy sailing into New York.

One touch of Washington made Forrest Orr decide that some day he would come back and play another season. He did so, and liked it so well that he played the second season. Now he has signed the contract which calls for his appearance here with the National Theater Players in their eighth annual season.

Janet Richards.

Miss Janet Richards, in her usual weekly talk tomorrow morning on "Affairs Political and International," will review the most important events of the past fortnight, including developments in the Chinese-Japanese imbroglio, progress at Geneva, the possible serious consequences of impending elections in several European countries, and also affairs congressional.

The talk will be given in the small ballroom of the Willard Hotel at 11 o'clock.

PLAY CONTEST ENLISTS MANY LOCAL GROUPS

The opening contest of the 1932 District of Columbia one-act play tournament, conducted by the Community Center Department, with the cooperation of the Drama Guild, will take place Tuesday evening of this week, March 1, at 8 o'clock, in the auditorium of East Washington Community Center, Eastern High School, Seventeenth and East Capitol streets.

Four plays will be presented on that evening and three plays will be presented on Thursday evening, March 3, also at East Washington Community Center. The four plays to be given on the opening night will be "The Trying Time," to be played by the North Carolina Avenue Players, directed by Frances G. Donovan; "The Rest Cure," presented by the Women's City Club drama unit, directed by Mrs. B. M. Foote; "Overtones," played by the Jewish Community Center Dramatic Society, directed by Dorothy Abrams, and "Deceivers," presented by the Woodlothians, directed by Robert Halsted.

Thursday evening's plays will include "Martha Washington at Valley Forge," presented by the Rebecca Dial Studio Players of the Institute of Musical Art; "The Stoker," played by the Pierce Hill Players, and "Quare Medicine," played by the Columbia Players.

Biblical Drama.

The young players of the First Congregational Church will present another Biblical drama, "James of Galilee," at the church, Tenth and G streets, at 8 o'clock next Sunday evening, March 6.

The drama deals with the calling of James, son of Zebedee, to become a disciple of Christ. His wife is unsympathetic and James is unable to convince her of the change in him until she herself meets the Master face to face and understands.

Tudor Whiton is cast in the role of James, Gail Whiton in the role of Esther, James' wife, and William Taylor takes the part of Zebedee.

EL BRENDEL, the Swedish comic of both stage and screen, who this week appears in person as a special added attraction at the Fox.

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their prosperous runs through a second Lenten week.

To these will be added four new films, with elaborate supporting bills of both screen subjects and stage offerings, of rather more than ordinary distinction.

In "Emma," the homely, human-interest story that has taken possession of the Palace screen, Marie Dressler departs from the slapstick brand of comedy she has popularized as a partner of the indelicate, but, to many, irresistible, Polly Moran, and etches a character of profound impressiveness. At the Earle, Marlene Dietrich, one of the cinema's most engaging personalities, is assisted by Clive Brook in the visualization of a gripping tale of the Far East, called "Shanghai Express," and at the Fox and RKO-Keith's, respectively, are offered two thrill subjects in Tom Gill's "The Gay Caballero," featuring Victor McLaglen, George O'Brien and Conchita Montenegro, and Dick Grace's aviation stunt picture, "The Lost Squadron"—the last a world premiere.

Add to all this the glamour that attaches to the simultaneous personal appearances of two popular screen stars on local stages, and the week can not by any just measure be catalogued as an amusement dud.

Both Irene Rich and El Brendel, present among us in the flesh, have an advantage over many others of their associates who have preceded them to the local rostrums. Each is equipped with a deftly turned vehicle for the further revelation of those generous talents that have made them both welcome figures on the articulate screen.

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In such fashion is fear of the variant quality of extemporaneous effort removed from both sides of the footlights—a prodigious aid to complete relaxation and perfect enjoyment for all concerned!

SIR THOMAS A CONDUCTOR OF RARE TALENTS

Sir Thomas Beecham, the distinguished English conductor who has been called the most unusual figure in the European world of music, has been in this country only once before, in January, 1928, when he acted as guest conductor of the New York Philharmonic Orchestra for four concerts and of the Boston Symphony and Philadelphia Orchestras.

Sir Thomas Beecham will conduct the third and last concert of the New York Philharmonic Symphony this season in Washington, at Constitution Hall, on Tuesday afternoon, March 8, at 4:30 o'clock.

Sir Thomas' favorite composer is Mozart, and he has done much to revive interest in Handel and to stimulate effort in behalf of the British composers, particularly Delius. Sir Thomas will present on this program the Mozart Symphony No. 34 in C major. The well-chosen program will also include Haydn's Symphony in E flat major as well as the beautiful Franck Symphony in D minor.

Although only 52 years old, Sir Thomas has had what Englefield Hull called a "prodigious career." Inheriting millions from his father, he started his career as an "amateur of genius." Born in Liverpool, he attended as a boy the Rossall School, where he studied composition under Dr. Sweeting. Later at Wadham College, Oxford, he continued his musical studies in a rtaher desultory fashion under Dr. Varley Roberts. And that was the end of his regular musical schooling.

However, even as a boy he possessed an extraordinary talent. Many tales are told of his amazing memory. It is said that he once lost a score of "Rosekavalier" on the way to Manchester, where Strauss' opera was to be performed, and, without the slightest hesitation, conducted the whole work from memory.

MUSICAL FOR HALF A WEEK

The delightful combination of a scintillating cast, an interesting plot, tuneful music and a wide variety of dance, all blending against a veritable riot of harmonious pictorial magnificence, will be revealed with the presentation by the Messrs. Shubert of "Everybody's Welcome," the musical comedy of song hits, following its successful run of many months on Broadway, at the Shubert-Belasco Theater, for four days only, March 13, 14, 15 and 16.

Heading the stellar cast of Broadway favorites whose names make "Everybody Welcome" a logical rival of the year's biggest revue, are Frances Williams, Oscar Shaw, Ann Pennington, Harriett Lake, Jack Sheehan and Victor Morley, whose presence in the play assures a plentitude of dramatic art, song, dance and comedy. Others in the company who lend further melody, agility and vivacity to the production include Eric Titus, Jean Newcombe, Lucille Osborne, Charles Garland, Tom Harty, Bernice Lee and a fast-stepping chorus of dancing maidens who enliven the proceedings to an even greater extent. Tom Jones' Orchestra constitutes another big feature of the production.

Noted Speaker.

Herbert Adams Gibbons, internationally known publicist and speaker on contemporary politics the world over, will be heard at Central Community Center, Thirteenth and Clifton streets northwest, Tuesday evening of this week, March 1, at 8:15 o'clock, on the subject of "Wider Horizons," his talk being in the nature of an up-to-the-minute "review of affairs and events in this ever-changing world." He comes to the city under the auspices of the Community Institute of Washington.

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EASTER FASHIONS NOW CLAIMING ATTENTION

Dress Hints Becoming to Housewives

By DARE.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Not that we have been neglecting the important lady lately, but you see, since the French-maid-who-is-Spanish sailed for home shores, we've been so busy being a housewife, as well as the greatest living specimen of fashion cricket since Cleopatra, that we haven't had much time to write about it!

But now, with attention brought to bear on cotton fabrics, and some old and some new ones, that just remind me of how important the proper wearing apparel is to the housewife-lady who does any of her own housework.

The modern woman thinks of housekeeping as a profession—as a career. She is just that much more modern than her sister of yesterday who thought it a fine gesture of emancipation to abandon housekeeping along with her skirts—er, I mean—bustles.

Many a lovely lady has found, even in the last year, that housework and clever housekeeping is fun, actually. Of course, it can be hard work, too, and tiresome—but the clever and intelligent woman doesn't let it be so.

So, how about a few hints to housewives today? First, the most important phase of being a housewife—dressing to the part and for the part. You would not—go to the office or to school or to tea in your oldest and shabbiest dress, would you? Then why do you think you should do your housework in it? In these hectic days the clever woman will look her best at all times for her husband and her children.

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IN the first place, your house dresses can be entirely practical, eminently suited to the purpose to which they will be put, and at the same time be attractive and becoming. There is absolutely no reason why they should be shapeless, ugly-looking affairs masquerading under the title of practicality. For if they are ugly they are decidedly impractical and extremely expensive—in their psychological effect upon yourself as well as upon your family. Practicality is merely a matter of colors and materials that you can launder often and well, and lines that do not hamper your working. These colors and materials can be becoming to you, and these lines can be modish.

Now, there is no particular reason why you need wear your most expensive silk stockings in the house, but neither do you need to wear, in an attempt at economy, stockings that would make a lovely lady weep with mirth. You can have two or three pairs of stockings to be worn in the house only, and wear them in the house only—but they don't have to be all of your castoffs and torn odds and ends which you couldn't wear anywhere else.

Getting breakfast isn't such a messy job, the way we do it! Therefore you can wear a pretty negligee for it. Then whisk into your yesterday's and perhaps not so very fresh house dress for the dishwashing—but with always a fresh apron in the offing to slip on when the doorbell rings. After your work is done put on a fresh and slightly more elaborate dress, perhaps, for your marketing and for luncheon. And this, with the proper kind of apron, should survive the rest of the day until it is time to dress for dinner—something a lovely lady always does, you know.

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A LITTLE thought aand experience will show you how many and what kind of dresses you need, how many detachable aprons, how many shoes and stockings. The days in which one used to put on any old dress for the housework have gone. Nowadays a young housewife is sartorially equipped for her job as she is for her evenings, for her sports, for the street.

The most practical and simple types of frocks are necessary for the early morning work! Short sleeves, short and not too tight skirts, a careful avoidance of pleats or ruffles or ties that flop into the soup and the dishwater at the most annoying moments. All of these things are inefficient, and waste energy and your nerves.

Do you know the kind of flat-soled sandals that children wear? If you do much standing or walking in the course of the day's work, you will be

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The criss-cross treatment appears in the first frock at left, effected in diagonal flouncings of the baby blue lace which makes the frock. This was posed over a matching satin slip. A discreet shoulder width registers. Next to it is a gown selected for its coloring, which is ombre eggshell to a coppery brown at the hem, in satin, with a soft scarf girdle of ashes of roses transparent velvet. The third gown is another interesting color combination, navy blue taffeta, with the bow-knot lining and a center front flower in water lily yellow. The decollete ruffle extends over the shoulders.

The fourth figure wears a costume arresting in its accessories, the gown of pale blue pecu d'ange lace, accented with suede girdle and gloves and satin sandals of brilliant rosy red. The shoulders of the brief bolero drop over the arms.

Attesting to the interest in the bodice sections of frocks these evenings are those at left and below; the first is a pale gray semisheer crepe with a one side rever scarf of red and gold brocade pulled through the other rever.

One of the most popular models, white satin trimmed in dark fur, is next—several of these were seen the same evening.

In the lower group two black-and-white combinations are illustrated. The first is in satin, with a bib front of the black skirt, and a string sash loosely knotted in front, and the second is of black Elizabeth gored in the Empire fashion with yoke and puff sleeves of white Irish lace, and a crocheted girdle of the white Irish.

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Fashion Dictates Tailored Coiffures

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The perfectly turned-out woman dresses her hair to match the mood of her clothes. Thus it is that the tailored silhouette which is the outstanding fashion theme of the season has brought the tailored coiffure.

Even very feminine curls have the trim sleekness of correct tailleur. All the flippant little wisps of hair are tucked neatly in and the curls are more in the kid-curler stage than out of it—that is, they are tightly rolled and pinned closely to the head.

One coiffure is accomplished with a narrow roll just over each ear, similar to the style seen in prebob days. Another shows two rolls extending clear across the top and back of the head.

Tilted Hats And Shorter Skirts Vogue

By VYLLA POE WILSON.

Flaunting the bugaboo of depression the fashion world saucily gives an upward trend to clothes, detail from the high tilted hats, the skirts which start above the belt and the necklines so much higher.

Even the skirts have become higher or perhaps a more proper term would be "shorter" for as spring and summer advances the women of the fashion world look for the chic which comes with the shorter skirtes, daytime dresses and suits.

The colonial trend is with us to remain all during the Bicentennial year without doubt. This is not exactly through ideas of patriotism alone, for if the women and girls who donned colonial costumes to celebrate George Washington's birthday had not found them becoming they have had nothing more to do with them, except for such celebrations.

But there is a soft becomingness about a lace ruffle about the neckline of a drop-shoulder gown and a regal allurement in the full-hipped skirt, which begins at the natural waistline. How becoming they are to most figures!

Just to show that the modern woman exercises her privilege to go from one extreme to another, we have with us as the latest spring innovations for necklines on evening dresses the "halter neckline," which means simply that there is no back at all to the bodice of the gown except the halter straps which join a collar-like effect from the front and hold it in place. The other extreme and the even more chic is the high neckline for evening dresses which is so shallow that it is draped across the throat in front and displays very little more than the nape of the neck in the back. This type of gown is sleeveless to make the high modish line and yet give a more evening effect some of these gowns have lattice-like cut-out work coming down to where the vee neckline would be.

One of the things we have learned from dressing up in colonial costume is the grace and lure of the old-time puffed sleeves. Not tiny puffs such as we wore last winter at all but full, wide puffs which are high up on the arms and make the arms look slender above the elbow and in some fashion give a slender look to the waistline.

Every one wears Irish crochet lace as a finishing touch on the daytime dresses and suits just now. But the very latest mode adopted by smartly dressed women in Washington is the old crochet lace dress which is fashionable enough now and will certainly be the vogue this summer.

This Irish crochet lace for dresses is in white and pastel shades and while expensive is really practical, for it laundries as easily as organdie or dimity.

Organdie and dimity, by the way, insist on having their places in the fashion sun. Many a creation of these cotton materials went south to the winter resorts in the trunks of our best dressed women. One woman who is famed for dressing has a white organdie suit as carefully tailored as is her wool one with which she wears ruffled net blouses and a prim sailor hat made of organdie. This woman also has a yellow organdie eton jajcket suit with an Irish lace blouse and Irish lace hat.

Worn by Mrs. Hoover.

Mrs. Hoover has been wearing recently a most spring-like costume of blue sheer wool with an outer wrap of heavier blue cloth with a gray fur collar on it. With this she wears a hat of blue silk in very spring-like style.

Mrs. Alvin T. Hert attended one of the recent balls in a dress of black chiffon, made on long lines with a very full skirt. Over her shoulders the dress was held by crystal straps.

Mrs. Sol Bloom looked very attractive at one of the recent evening parties in a dress of black velvet made on modish lines. With this she wore a black velvet wrap with an upstanding ermine collar on it.

Mrs. Eleanor Washington Howard, who has the distinction of being the last of the Washington family now living at Mount Vernon, is wearing for the Bicentennial events a dress of black lace over chiffon, made on modish lines.

Mrs. Wade Hampton Ellis looked smart one evening in a dress of midnight blue chiffon embroidered in crystals and silver.

Mrs. Royal S. Copeland is wearing a dress of white moire silk, made with a fitted line and with a slight train. Mrs. Copeland is wearing for daytime events a becoming suit of brown cloth with beaver collar and cuffs.

Mrs. George Maurice Morris had on at a luncheon a dress of brown silk with which she wore a brown fur coat and a small brown hat.

Mrs. Hobart in Pink Chiffon.

Mrs. Lowell Fletcher Hobart was seen at one of the events at Constitution Hall last week in a dress of the new pink chiffon, made on modish lines and quite long. With this she wore a pastel shaded velvet evening wrap. Mrs. Hobart is also wearing a dinner dress of black lace, made with a draped neckline and no sleeves.

Mrs. Randolph Coyle had on recently a dress of old blue silk, made on smart lines with a long full skirt.

Mrs. William Sherman Walker is wearing a dress of flowered velvet

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Paris Models Are Awaited Impatiently

By ELEANOR GUNN.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—With an early Easter to look forward to, it is only natural that women are taking a livelier interest in spring clothes. There really is something very thrilling each season about the new fashions launched, and when the Paris models begin to arrive there is a pleasurable excitement in the air which is not necessary because of any great change in line or color. Color preferences so far are beige and blue.

Most of us are delighted with the idea of simplified fashions, skirts that are straighter, for instance, and waistlines that have risen enough to avoid the normal line which, for some reason or other, most women like to avoid. We have our choice of jackets or capes, and, what is more, of smart-looking coats, most of them unlined and many of them collarless, which will naturally bring bright scarfs into play again.

We feel less alarmed about sleeves than we did at first. They are full, and tricky, too, but there is such a wide selection from which to choose that there is little reason for complaint. The bracelet sleeve is a timely arrival for bracelets, and still more bracelets are being worn. The bracelet sleeve may be adjusted so that the wrist or forearm is left free.

Unless all women settle on just a few of the many clever things launched for spring, there seems little reason to expect to go "into uniform." We are in uniform, however, in the sense that many of the smartest outfits have either a military or naval flavor, that many are double-breasted, and that lapels and mannish details are frequent, and navy, man's own color, is much to the fore.

There is nothing drastic in silhouette changes, unless one is thinking of hats, which certainly have silhouette and a flowery and feminine flavor. Up in the back, or tip-tilted to one side, sums up their more usual direction, although there are so many types offered that it is difficult at the moment to see which way the straws are blowing. Straws are fine or in crochet effects, and for the most part highly glossed. Crowns are shallow but often draped, and flowers again bloom in the spring.

13 Coats of Arms Claimed by Woman

North Carolina Grandmother Paints Them as Hobby.

Asheville, N. C. (A.P.).—A little white-haired grandmother here paints coats of arms for a hobby, but if you don't deserve one she can tell you so like a flash.

Mrs. Jesse P. Hatch, a lineal descendant of Samuel Huntington—one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence—painted her own three coats of arms seven years ago and became interested in the idea.

Now, she says, she has done them for people from coast to coast and from Michigan to Mississippi. She explains she has painted for many people, but that only one person, so far, has deserved any great number of coats of arms. This was a woman who had a right to use thirteen.

Mother-of-Pearl Straw In Hats for Spring

Paris (A.P.).—Mme. Paul Dubonnet appeared at a recent fashionable tea wearing one of the new spring hats of iridescent mother-of-pearl straw.

It was designed with a flat, round crown and closely rolled brim from which a dotted black veil was suspended. Mme. Dubonnet wore the hat with a frock of black crepe, the neckline and cuffs of which were trimmed with a chain of white gardenias.

Shir-O-Shakker, Shark Skin, Names for Modish Seersucker

Chicago, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Shir-o-shakker, hinting of things Persian, and shark's skin are two 1932 names for seersucker, a fabric reminiscent of nursery days and now spoken of by stylists as one of the smartest cotton materials for spring and summer.

It was predicted by yards goods buyers that this summer will see considerable cotton worn all hours and all places by the fashionwise, and in anticipation of this the cotton fabric departments of major department stores have stocked in a wide range of interesting new goods.

The very latest thing on the counters of one big store was Roman stripe tweeds, an imported sheer light cotton recommended for sport suits and frocks.

Cotton is keeping step with this year's approval of novelty weaves and meshes. Among the latter are fish nets, crochet effects, trellis meshes and pique meshes. Also favored are rough weaves.

Pique is stressed as a leading fabric for dresses and trimming. New silk dresses were seen with pique flowers on the shoulder. Palm Beach saw the advent of sports evening frocks of pique. These are expected to go to the beach resorts this summer. Printed piques have swung away from the large designs of last summer. The design is now small and conventional and generally of one color. Dots are good.

Anything embroidered — organdy, batiste, voile—is excellent style. Brown batiste worked with baby Irish embroidery, an interesting new open work, was spoken of as an exceptionally smart, dressy material. The season looks good for dotted swiss.

Daintiness and femininity are keynotes in the dressy and semidressy cottons. Many of the very newest embroidered organdies and voiles have small, delicate designs. One new color combination is pink embroidered in navy blue.

The George Washington Bicentennial has its effect. One exceedingly beautiful organdy had tiny sprigs of red cherries embroidered on it. Quaint floral patterns, recalling the days of Dolly Madison, are embroidered on other organdies and voiles.

Paris Says:

The Paris openings show that houses differ regarding skirt lengths. A general indorsement, however, is given to a higher waistline, suggested by jackets just covering the bust, and skirts mounting above the belt, and dresses with skirts that are mounted in a point at front.

Many of these tiny jackets are of fur, while for evening they appear in velvets.

Prints are given a new stimulus by the presentation of unlined printed coats over plain dresses. Mainbocher's daisy printed coat worn over a black dress is a distinct success.

Collarless coats are going strong, worn with gay scarfs.

The contrast color idea is revived in light dress tops, sleeves and blouses, the later frequently as glimpsed around the waistline between dark skirt and jacket.

The importance of pale beiges is confirmed, while medium and dark purplish blues are gaining.

Evening tailleurs are launched, Chez Heim, in a type consisting of a black satin skirt and jacket, with a white blouse cut decollete. These are designed in line with the present vogue of informal evening dresses.

Throughout the Mirande collection the mood of strong contrasts is significant. It appears in the color schemes of collars and cuffs, also in belts and sleeves. Pink is opposed to dark blue, red and navy are combined or red with black. Pale or dark blue used with gray is a newer scheme. Purplish blues are a feature of the collection.

Novelty expressions in coats include fur trimming on the shoulders. Velours and duvetyn types are mentioned in coat fabrics.

Artificial Spring Flowers Blooming Ahead of Time

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The flowers that bloom in the spring, tra-la, at least the artificial ones, are sprouting out ahead of time.

Turbans entirely of little flowers and hats with flower-covered crowns have been seen for some time. Cardenias and other flowers brighten many winter coats of fur or nestle in deep fur collars on cloth coats.

Now they are used to trim the new evening gowns, replacing glittering jewel trimmings that featured the formal costumes earlier in the "dress-up" season.

Girdles of flat silk or velvet flowers are particularly noted on filmy gowns of chiffon or lace, and clusters of flowers are worn over both shoulders, epaulette fashion. Some costumes are graced with garlands of flowers artfully draped about the bodice or on the skirt. One model hangs close to the figure in the approved new mode, due to the weight of closely clustered posies edging the hemline.

At a recent fashionable wedding, wreaths of little green leaves were worn about the heads of the bridesmaids, and it is expected this fashion will continue through the summer with varieties of blossoms replacing the customary headgear of bridal attendants.

Hosiery in Spring Styles Featured by Varying Meshes

Chicago, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The trend in smart coverings for faminine underpinnings is toward openwork and more openwork as spring advances, the idea being to harmonize with the new cut-out patterns in shoes.

While there is mesh hosiery for all hours, the pattern, weave and thread determine which is the correct openwork hose for the particular occasion.

The fine meshes are designed for daytime wear. As the hour gets later the mesh gets larger, with the largest of all reserved for the night hours. Lacey weaves were also designed for evening wear, but the more conservative of lace patterns are appropriate for dressy afternoon attire.

Large mesh is also found in sport hosiery. The distinction here is that the evening mesh is made of fine silk thread, while the other is woven of heavier silk or lisle.

Lisle stockings are to have an important place in sports wear. Some new patterns and finishes can hardly be distinguished from silk. About others there is a quaintness that is reminiscent of old-fashioned mits.

Lisle stockings are especially recommended for wear with the chic soft-toe unlined oxfords that tie with cord about the ankle.

The favored colors are tans, taupes and beiges, the latter ranging from blonde to pink beige. In the dark-color range are the dust shades.

One fashionable Michigan boulevard shop recommends hosiery to match the dress and contrast with the coat. Excellent taste now is hosiery to match the accessories. Various tones of gray are expected to find a strong play later.

It was not expected that summer would see much white in hosiery. The most favored colors are expected to be the light beiges and nudes.

Simplicity, Individuality And Grace to Rule Clothes

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Tips on the style market cabled by leading Parisian designers and read at the annual fashion forecast luncheon of the fashion group today give a fairly complete picture of the modish American woman of the coming season.

"Simplicity, individuality, and, above all, grace," Lucien Lelong says, are the keynotes of his collections. The sleeved evening gown of lace with the belt just touching the hip line are favorites. Elbow length capes, puffs on the upper part of the sleeves, and epaulettes, he holds still good.

Jean Patou cabled that "notwithstanding the simplicity of the mode, it is still complicated." Differentiation between morning and afternoon attire will be less marked for summer. Dark coats will entirely cover light dresses and will be strictly tailored, he said.

A return to the straight silhouette was stressed by Edward Molyneaux. He also favors long, slender tunics for evening wear, as well as slim, draped effects, in many cases shorter in front. Satins and dull crepes are the materials he sponsored.

The only military note in the entire handful of cabled fashions was that expressed by Jean Charles Worth, who declared his house had taken adornments of ancient uniforms, lots of buttons, square shoulders and created costumes for their modern clientele.

The long slim line silhouette was also favored by Elsa Schiaparelli. Her collection, she cabled, features practically no trimming; a new abreviated line for blouses and sweaters, triangular shawl capes in ribbon romain edged with fur, and combinations, pink and brown, gray and brown.

In summing up the facts, Miss Fanny Fern Fitzwater, fashion writer, declared that the silhouette generally will follow "the straight and narrow" idea.

"Some are form-fitting; some with princess tendencies. All are broad-shouldered," she said.

"There is some fullness below the knees, and some draped backs. Skirt lengths for day vary from 10 to 14 inches from the ground. For informal evening, the instep length prevails. The waistline wanders all over the body, starts super-high, just under the bust, spends some time on the newly discovered diaphram, pauses at the waistline proper and comes to rest on the top of the hip."

Blue predominates in colors, next are beiges and next are grays. Black is contrasted with brighter colors. High shades of red, she stated, are good.

Carnival Costume Wins Favor

This costume was one of the favorites at a recent carnival fashion show in Berlin which brought out many bizarre and colorful creations.

Woman Attains Success Managing City's Zoo

San Diego, Calif. (A.P.).—Another job that women can do as well as men is managing a zoo, the six year's work of Mrs. Belle Benchley indicates. As managing director of the San Diego Zoo, in Balboa Park, Mrs. Benchley supervises the care of 2,300 animals of 1,100 species. It is the first and only job she has ever held, she says, "unless rearing a 24-year-old son classes as a job."

Her friends were dubious when she first took the post, but under her administration the zoo's popularity has grown and last year it was visited by 230,000 visitors, although San Diego's population is only 150,000.

"Animal" Lipsticks Are Capital Novelty

(Associated Press.)

Lipsticks concealed in tiny bone or ivory animals are the latest fad with the Capital's younger set.

Miss Dorothy Kurtz, daughter of Representative Kurtz, of Pennsylvania, carries one in the form of a small brown bear which goes well with a brown velvet evening dress.

Jaunty Berets Now Slipping to Right

Paris (A.P.).—Berets are slipping farther to the right than ever. The newest version, made of black antelope or narrow soft braid, is worn completely covering the right ear and almost obscuring the eye.

The left side of the head is left exposed.

Black Used for Accents.

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Black is used effectively for accents on silk crepe frocks of gray or beige. One beige model has wide bands of black on the sleeves just below the shoulders and a wide belt of black suede.

White Employed on Frocks As Contrast to Vivid Hues

Palm Beach, Fla., Feb. 27 (A.P.).—The snowy-white of old-fashioned summer modes is an insistent note in smart ensembles this season.

Clear colors in high shades combine dazzingly with it, after last year's dusty minor tones and dingy "off-whites."

Mrs. William W. Forrester, of Chicago, illustrated the trend effectively the other day in a white crepella frock, with deep cape collar, trimmed with small velvet bows in orange, yellow and green at shoulder and waist. Her white hat was turned up at the back and trimmed with grosgrain ribbon.

Miss Dell Robertson, of Baltimore, appeared at the Country Club in a white crepella sports dress with tuxedo jacket of polo red. With it she wore a white turban, red and white Ascot scarf and white envelope bag.

With a soft blue sweater of lacy weave, Mrs. Charles M. Hall, of Chicago, wore a white skirt, smartly stitched and pleated.

White whipcord was the material chosen by Miss Ruth Goerke, of Newark, N. J., for a sports frock. A double row of pearl buttons trimmed the bodice.

Miss Lucile Piper, of Kansas City, was seen in a white crepe frock with brown yoke, white turban, and brown and white oxfords.

Mrs. Guy Randle, of Chicago, watched the tennis matches in a white Roshanara crepe dress, with flared skirt, high waistline, and blue yoke.

A blue and white print dress worn by Miss Muriel Stafford, of New York, had a cape collar and skirt flared by grouped pleatings.

Mrs. Guy Thomas, of Minneapolis, wore a Roman striped sweater with the new high neckline, with her white skirt. Pine tucks trimmed the skirt.

Solid-color ensembles, like the pale pink sports suit and halo turban worn recently by Mrs. Harry J. McIntyre, of Hamilton, Ontario, borrow effective contrast from the constumes of friends on beach or veranda.

Bow Knots

Associated Press Photo.

The fashionable bow knot is tied at the neck this season. Dorothy Tree, film actress, is shown wearing a brown and white polka dot with brown wool suit.

Satin and Sable

Associated Press Photo.

Tallulah Bankhead, film actress, wears a novel combination of ivory satin and sable for a formal spring ensemble. The gown and wrap of brocaded satin are draped into the new flowing lines.

Woman Clubs Are Engrossed With Politics

Candidates Under Study; Persons of Experience Only Desired.

By VYLLA POE WILSON.

National and organization politics occupy the minds of women who take an interest in what is going on about them just now. Not only are the women giving thought to the candidates and potential candidates for President and Vice President of the United States to be nominated at the conventions of the political parties this summer, but they are also engaged in weighing the merits and qualifications of the candidates who will be elected banner bearers of the various groups of women at the spring conventions. Most of these conventions will be held in Washington this year and electioneering is already on.

In D. A. R. circles interest centers in the candidacy of Mrs. Russell William Magna, of Boston, as the only announced candidate to succeed the present president general, Mrs. Lowell Fletcher Hobart. But there will be some of the usual D. A. R. election excitement over the candidates for officers on the national board of management and of course the vice presidents general from the various States. There are always more vice presidential candidates nominated by the State conferences than there are vacancies and electioneering and "trading" is already in progress for these vice presidential candidates.

One of the most important of the prespring conventions will be that of the District of Columbia Society of the D. A. R., which will be held in Memorial Continental Hall this week. The District organization as hostess organization to the officers, delegates and visitors who come to Washington to attend the annual Continental Congress of the D. A. R. the middle week in April has most of the responsibility for the routine and entertainment features of the congress.

Since this is the era of specialization, it is interesting to note how many departments the great national women's organizations have been divided into with chairmen. Leaders of these departments are women who have made their mark in the nation along the lines the particular department or division which they lead is concerned with.

No president would think of appointing as chairman of an education committee a woman who had not won her spurs by her educational work. The day of the woman of affairs taking part in the great organizations of women has come, as they find these groups real mediums for carrying on the work they do in their professional, civic, or business world.

The day has also passed when candidates for president and other officers are selected by groups of women as their leaders because they are the daughters of famous men or women, or women of wealth and social position. These qualities are most acceptable, but not essential. The voting bodies of these organizations are apt to scrutinize the record of work of the candidates, their fitness for the position, the service they can render, or are likely to render in carrying forward the objects for which the women have become banded together. Just now practically every woman president of national organizations of women has made a record of hard work for herself on important working committees of the organization she now heads.

Chevy Chase Club

A musicale-tea will be given by the music section of the Woman's Club of Chevy Chase, Md., at the home of Mrs. Rea Shafer on Meadow Lane on Monday, February 29. Mrs. Carl Stuhler will be the hostess. Mrs. Harold Dotterer will have charge of the program.

A one-act play entitled "The Washingtons at Home," written for the Bicentennial Commission, will be presented with the following members in the cast: Mrs. George Graham, Mrs. Holland Huntington, Mrs. Curtis Jansky, Mrs. Brook Amiss, Mrs. Clarence Dawson, and Mrs. Henry N. Brawner.

A music program will follow. This will include violin selections by Mrs. Ruth Bronson Logan; a duet, "Robin Adair," by Mrs. John Underwood and Mrs. August Koehler; "The Lament of an Indian Hunter," by Mrs. E. B. German and Mrs. David Guy, accompanied by Mrs. Hazel Brown Piers; aria from "Magic Flute" and from "Don Giovanni," by Mrs. John Stewart; "Beneath the Weeping Willow Tree," and "My Days Have Been So Wondrous Free," by Mrs. Hugh Merrill, accmpanied by Mrs. Jay McCathran.

The Music Appreciation Group met at the home of Mrs. George Gavatt on Thursday.

The Civics Section will meet on Friday, March 4, at 11 o'clock. Luncheon will be served at 12 and will be followed by the program. Representative David Lewis will be the speaker. His subject is "Unemployment and Relief."

Sodality Union

The Sodality Union has completed plans for the tenth annual mass meeting to be held tomorrow evening at Gonzaga Auditorium, 45 I street northwest, at 8:15 o'clock.

His excellency Most Rev. Michael J. Curley will be the guest of honor and will deliver the principal address.

Rev. Joseph V. Buckley, spiritual director of the Sodality Union, will welcome those attending with an address.

Very Rev. Charles E Roach, V. F., pastor of St. Mary's Church, Bryantown, Md., will be present to tell the audience of the problems confronting the country pastors at the present time. His speech will be interesting and appealing, for never before in the history of our country have the rural sections felt the effects of hard times more than they are at this time.

The Sodality Union has been the generous helper of the country missions for a number of years, and shall continue to be for some time to come.

Miss Mary Walsh, secretary of the Sodality Union, will read a letter recently received from his holiness Pope Pius XI.

Those attending the meeting will receive a copy of the annual report, which will prove of interest to all.

The music will be furnished by the Sodality Union Chorus. Among the selections will be a song dedicated to the Father of His Country entitled, "Father of the Land We Love," by George M. Cohan. Miss Margaret Walsh will be director.

Miss Mary Mattingly, president of the Sodality Union, will preside at the meeting. The public is invited to attend.

LETTER WON HER A JOB

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—In her first year on Broadway, Hilda Knight's beauty, ability and physical measurements have given her high claims for distinction as the ideal chorus girl.

Last summer she wrote George White from her home in Hudson, Mass., and a few days later she was dancing in the "Scandals."

Miss Knight is red haired, 20 years old and has blue eyes. She is 5 feet 6 inches tall, and weighs 120 pounds. Her neck measures 12, her hips, 37, her ankles 8, her bust 33 and her waist 25.

Colonial Tea On Program Of Federation

Music Will Accompany Function Tomorrow With Minuet.

Franceska Kasper Lawson, soprano concert soloist, nationally known, will be heard over Station WJSV at 10:45 o'clock tomorrow morning, on the musical program sponsored by the Sunshine and Community Society, of the D. C. Federation of Women's Clubs. Elizabeth Darlington Simpson, graduate pianist of Hollin College, will be the accompanist. Hazel E. Brown Piers, concert pianist, will be heard in a group of selections. Mrs. Helen M. Hunter will present the artists.

Mrs. Harriet Hawley Locher will be the speaker on the "Among Women" program, sponsored by the federation each week on Friday morning at 10:45 o'clock, over Station WMAL; "Special Programs for Children," will be the subject of the talk. Mrs. H. M. Hunter, radio program director, will present the speaker.

Mrs. Edgar B. Meritt, president, will preside at the business meeting to be held tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock, at the Sears-Roebuck Galleries, 1106 Connecticut avenue. Mrs. Charles H. Bair, chairman of the Bicentennial committee, will present a program at 2:30 p. m., to be followed with a tea, which will be colonial. Those on the program and members of the committee will be in costume. On the program to be presented will be Selma Selinger Klein, concert soprano soloist; Rose Hyer Hartung, contralto soloist; violin solos by Dorothy Seamans. Louise Prescott and Mr. Earl Klein will be the accompanists. Esther Bair will read a colonial sketch, entitled "In the Heart of a Rose." The art section of the Petworth Women's Club will interpret the country dance of the eighteenth century. The dramatic club of Areme Chapter, O. E. S., will dance the minuet.

Cercle Francais

Les Precieuses Ridicules (Cercle Francais de Washington) was received at Stoneleigh Court on Wednesday evening by Mlle. Therese O'Sullivan and M. Charles H. Probert. After the opening of the meeting by the president, M. William J. Wallis, and the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting by the secretray, M. Probert, Mme. William J. Wallis played a piano solo, "Chanson Triste," by Tschaikovsky. M. Probert followed with an original story entitled "La Restauration du Jugement Dernier." Mlle. Rose Verine gave a reading and anecdotes, and Mme. Gaston de Bouy two poems by Edmond Rostand entitled "Moi, c'est Moralement que je Porte mes Elegances" and "Le Baiser." Mme. Camille Hindmarsh and Mme. Manuel Cambouri then gave a number of conundrums and puns, and M. Henri Lazard continued his readings on "L'Influence du Cinema dans la Vie Sociale." The program closed with a comedy by Lucien Varnes entitled "Service d'Ami," played by M. William J. Wallis, M and Mme. Pierre de Chauny, Mlle. Therese O'Sullivan and M. Charles H. Probert.

Columbia Heights Art

The Columbia Heights Art Club observed a George Washington Bicentennial program in place of its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. M. A. Winter last Thursday. Mrs. Charles Hoover, assisting hostess for her mother, Mrs. J. Edson Briggs. The president, Mrs. Bare, in the chair. Mrs. A. C. Roberts was a guest. Program opened with the pledge to the flag. Opening talk by Mrs. North. Welcome by Gen. and Mrs. Washington in costume (Mrs. Peckham and Mrs. Knight). Poem on Washington read by Mrs. Winter. Tribute to Mary Washington read by Miss Hill. Washington's foreign policies by Mrs. Peckham. Betsy Ross in costume (Mrs. Heitmuller). Several solos given by Mary Williams. Washington a patron of music read by Mrs. Frizzell. The minuet of 1792 was danced by Mrs. Peckham and Mrs. Knight as Gen. and Mrs. Washington in costume. Patriotic music closed the program. Mme. Coutinho presided at the piano. Refreshments were served. A small granddaughter in costume received the guests. Next meeting to be with Mrs. Walle.

Woman's Club Of Kensington Plans Travel

Trip Through Territory in Virginia Arranged for Early June.

The Woman's Club of Kensington, Md., met February 19 with Mrs. Fred Kullmar, at the parsonage, with a large number of members and several guests present.

Mrs. Irwin Linton talked on "The Homes of George Washington and His Friends" in the "Northern Neck" of Virginia, between the "yellow Rappahannock and the blue Potomac." Mrs. Linton has made a study of Washingtoniana and spends part of each year near Fredericksburg. Beginning with the early days in the "happy State," whose early, simple life developed its true aristocracy, which was characterized as both authentic and romantic, we traveled from the Westmoreland plantation, on Bridges Creek, which touches the River of Swans, the Indian name for the lower Potomac. Later a new house was built on the same Wakefield farm, but back on the side of Popes Creek.

Life at the Little Hunting Creek farm, later known as Mount Vernon, and at the Ferry farm, near Fredericksburg, was depicted, and we lived again in old Alexandria, in his town house, and went to service in old Christ Church. To Berkley, where they lived, that his invalid stepdaughter might be near its springs, and with the army in its various quarters and in official residence, then back in retirement to Mount Vernon that he might enjoy a well-deserved respite, we were carried. Mrs. Linton concluded by glimpses into the nearby homes of his friends on the neighboring estates—the Lees and the Carters and the Fitzhughs and others.

In early June the club will travel through the Virginia territory covered, under the guidance of Mrs. Linton.

The program concluded with a chorus of patriotic songs.

The calendar committee for the coming year will consist of Mrs. L. M. Cleveland, chairman; Mrs. Perry Hay, Mrs. Hosmer Hartshorn and Mrs. Henry M. Milburn.

The club will hold its March business meeting with Mrs. Hosmer Hartshorn, when officers for the coming year will be chosen. Miss Annie Gayley, Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Roy Graves comprise the nominating committee.

Park View Club

The Literary Section held its February meeting at the home of Mrs. Arja Morgan, on the evening of the 23rd. Mrs. Morgan was assisted by Mrs. Felton, Mrs. Standish, Mrs. Stett and Mrs. Griffith.

In keeping with the spirit of the day the program was arranged in honor of George Washington. A paper dealing with the life of Washington in various aspects was read by Mrs. Pierce B. Ashburn, the president of the club. Mrs. Walter Sommers, in costume, gave a humorous skit on the cherry tree incident, the words of which were written by Mrs. George Dalwick. The program closed with the ensemble singing some of the old favorites, including "Carry Me Back to Old Virginny." Mrs. Sommers accompanied on the piano.

A decorative color scheme in red, white and blue was carried out in the refreshments which followed a pleasant social hour.

Women's City Club

The Wesley Heights Book Review Club met on February 24 at the home of Mrs. Franklin D. Jones when Mrs. H. L. Parrish reviewed "The Education of a Princess," by Grand Duchess Marie of Russia, and Mrs. Herbert A. Howell reviewed "Good Earth," by Pearl S. Buck. The next meeting of the club will be on March 9 at the home of Mrs. Jones.

The Wesley Heights Child Study Club will meet on March 1 at the home of Mrs. Frank W. Ballou on Forty-fifth street, when Miss Helen Samuel, president of the Vocational Guidance Association, will speak on "Vocational Guidance From the Kindergarten Through the College."

The Horace Mann Home and School Association will hold its executive meeting at the school in Wesley Heights on March 1, at 3:15 o'clock.

D. A. R. Plans Fete in Honor Of Washington

District Conference to Have Elaborate Program This Week.

District of Columbia Daughters of the American Revolution will hold their next annual conference in Memorial Continental Hall Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. The conference will open with a Bicentennial program featuring colonial music furnished by the Eva Whitford Lovette Choral Club, Miss Elsie Cranmer at the piano.

Mrs. Tonis J. Holzberg, second prize winner in the United States Bicentennial play-writing contest, has written "Washington's Dream" especially for the local society, D. A. R., whose patriotic work forms the theme of the playlet to be given its initial presentation. The president general, Mrs. Lowell Fletcher Hobart, will be the guest of honor at the conference and participate in the playlet by Mrs. Holzberg. The cast will include Mrs. William H. Wagner and Mrs. Addams S. McAllister.

Mrs. Hoover, a member of the N. S. D A R. in California, has been invited to occupy the presidential box. Mrs. Adam Wyant, Mrs. Bertram Snell, Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen and other congressional women who are "Daughters" in their respective States, are expected to attend.

Mrs. Samuel S. Arentz, wife of Representative Arentz, of Nevada, will bring greetings from the National Society, Children of the American Revolution; Mr. William Tyler Page, author, will read "The American's Creed," and Miss Helen Stout, founder of "American Creed Day" in the District public schools, will give her report.

Miss Maude Hutchins, George Washington University student, winner of the D. C. D. A. R. medal for the best essay on "American History, 1774-1788," will be awarded the medal.

Mrs. Eva Whitford Lovette, a native of the District of Columbia, but a "Daughter," representing the Agnes Woodson Chapter of Texas, will lead the musical program, assisted by Mrs. J. Frank Rice, D. C. chairman of music.

Mrs. John M. Beavers, Mrs. David D. Caldwell, Mrs. Howard L. Hodgkins, Mrs. Galus M. Brumbaugh and Mrs. Francis A. St. Clair, former State regents D. C. D. A. R., will be special guests.

Mrs. Josiah Van Orsdel, Mrs. Charles Humphrey Bissell and Mrs. Harriet V. Rigdon will represent the national society in attendance at the conference. They will share honors also at the luncheon, to be given by Miss Helen Harman, State regent, and members of the D. C. D. A. R. executive board for the president general, Mrs. Hobart, on Wednesday, March 2, in the banquet room, Memorial Continental Hall.

On Thursday at 11 o'clock Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen, member of Congress from Florida, will speak on "Patriotic Education."

The afternoon session will be devoted to reports of local chapter regents and to the biennial election of State officers.

The following candidates have been announced: State regent, Mrs. Harry Colfax Grove; vice regent, Mrs. George Madden Grimes; chaplain, Mrs. Edward N. Weeks; recording secretary, Mrs. Pedro Capo-Rodriguez; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Jean Labat; treasurer, Mrs. A. C. Mills Payne; historian, Mrs. Arturo Y. Casanova.

Miss Helen Harman, retiring State regent, D. C. D. A. R., was guest of honor at a luncheon given by the D. C. State historian, Miss Katrina Harvey, on Wednesday. The luncheon was preceded by an informal meeting of the State historical committee, at the American Association of University Women's Club.

Sodality Convention

Plans for the first general convention of Sodalities of the Blessed Virgin in the archdiocese of Baltimore are rapidly taking form. The meetings are to be held here on Sunday, April 10, opening with a high mass in St. Aloysius Church at 11 a. m. Other meetings in the afternoon are to take place in Gonzaga auditorium.

Archbishop Curley, of Baltimore, is personally sponsoring this assembly of sodalists, the first held in this section of the country. The official address of welcome at the opening meeting will be delivered by the Bishop of Washington, the Right Rev. John M. McNamara.

The committee arranging the details of the convention has for its chairmen, the Rev. Joseph V. Buckley and the Rev. Joseph A. Garvey, spiritual directors of the Sodality Unions of Washington and Baltimore, respectively. Other members of the committee include Revs. C. Carroll Kerr, E. Jerome Winter, Jerome D. Sebastian, Carl F. Hess, Richard L. Barron, George J. Larkin and Miss Katherine J. Fischer, Miss Marie C. Rosenberger, Mrs. Louis A. Tarr, Miss Lillian Suding, all of Baltimore; the Revs. Edward P. McAdams, Edward F. Reilly, Francis X. Cavanagh, John A Cowan, O. P., John J. Coady, D. D., P. J. Dougherty, Joseph D. Amon, John F. O'Hurley, S. J., Joseph M. Nelligan and Mrs Anna C. Donnelly, Miss Sarah C. Walsh, Mrs. A. J. Sculen, Mrs. James C. Simpson, Mrs. Margaret Lanvoigt, Mrs. J. Floyd Maley, all of Washington. Miss Mary Mattingly, of the Washington Sodality Union, is the executive secretary.

North Beach Club

The Women's Home Club of North Beach will hold the twelfth annual dance and card party on Friday, March 4, in the gold room of the new Shoreham Hotel. The patronesses include Mrs. M. Lane, Mrs. Grace Ryan, Mrs. Edwin P. Hinkel, Mrs. A. Nock, Mrs. C. E. Casassa, Mrs. W. T. Roche, Mrs. W. Redrow, Mrs. James Nealon, Mrs. Nina Baumgartner, Mrs. V. Garlinger, Mrs. Timberlake, Mrs. Eugene McDowell, Mrs. Selma Prinkert, Mrs. Agnes Enright, Mrs. William Lewis, Miss Lucille Holland, Miss E. De Neale and Mrs. Rosella Shaw.

Capitol Hill Club

The Capitol Hill History Club met in the home of Mrs. H. F. Patterson, 55 Bryant street northwest, February 24. Mrs. V. G. Austin was the assisting hostess. Luncheon was served. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Stanley Beasley. Two interesting papers were given, "Washington the Man and the Citizen," Mrs. J. C. Hemphill; and "The Women of the Washington Family," Mrs. H. F. Patterson. Thirty members responded to the roll call. (Famous Colonial Mansions). Two guests were present. The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Daniel Shook, March 9.

Political Study Club Addressed By Senator

Balancing Budget Is Topic of Pat Harrison; Dance Is Given.

Senator Pat Harrison, of Mississippi, spoke on "Current Questions" at the February meeting of the Political Study Club. Among other things he spoke on the question of balancing the national budget, and stated that the President, be he Democrat or Republican, should have complete power to reorganize the Government departments. Senator Harrison was introduced by Commissioner Jessie Dell.

Mrs. Dorothy Sinnot, chairman of music, presented a group of C. A. R. children, which included Misses Doris Rock and Janie Malone in a new minuet; Miss Home McAllister in piano solos, and Miss Lidia McAllister (3 years old), who played America on the piano. They were all in colonial costume. Miss Lillian Chenowith, accompanied by Mr. Clifton P. Clarke, gave a short recital. Miss Chenowith and Mr. Clarke were also in colonial costume.

The salute to the flag was led by Mrs. Edgar Meritt, and Mrs. E. P. Alexander led the assembly in the reading of George Washington's Prayer for the United States, copies of which she had generously distributed before the meeting, so that each one present had a copy.

Mrs. Theodore Uhler, in an exquisite white lace colonial costume, introduced the members and guests to Mrs. Ernest Humphrey Daniel, the president of the club, who, in turn, presented them to the ladies receiving with her, Mrs. Pat Harrison, the wife of the speaker of the afternoon; Miss Chenowith, Mrs. Jerome Lightfoot, who closed the meeting; Mrs. Edgar Meritt and Mrs. E. P. Alexander.

Mrs. William J. Bulow, the wife of the senator from South Dakota; Mrs. William Elmer Evans, the wife of Representative Evans, of California; Mrs. John W. Lyman and Mrs. Flora McGill Keefer presided at the tea table.

Mrs. Albert Baggs, Miss Margaret I. Fraser, Mrs. William C. Clerk, Mrs. Sterling Backoven, Mrs. Edwin J. Ryan and Mrs. Gertrude Janney McPherson, all in colonial costume, assisted in the dining room.

Among the guests were Mrs. Conrad Syme, Mrs. W. B. Mell, of Florida; Mrs. W. W. Husband (also in costume), Mrs. Littlejohn, Mrs. Lambert, Mrs. Wotherspoon and Mrs. Willard Macdonald.

Mrs. John W. Bennet, a direct descendant of Bushrod Washington, represented the Washington family.

Catholic Daughters

The business meeting of Court District of Columbia No. 212, will be held Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock when reports will be had from all committees.

The Bicentennial card party and dance to be given at the Willard Thursday, April 7, is in charge of Mrs. Anna Cunningham, chairman, Mrs. Mary Chesley, Mrs. Katherine Ryan, Mrs. Alice Ashe, Mrs. Violet Ratcliffe, Mrs. Anna Locke; patronesses, Miss Anne Doyle, Miss Nelle Calnan; dance, Miss Katherine Ruppert, Mrs. Bess Costello, Miss May Keefe, Miss Margaret Ruppert, Miss Dorothy Barrett, Miss Mary O'Connor, Miss Margaret Higgins, Miss Luella Ali, Miss Louise Auth; publicity, Miss Mary C. Boland, Miss Veronica Tucker; posters, Miss Mary Cecil.

On Wednesday evening the officers entertained in honor of Miss Katherine E. Holt, grand regent and district deputy from New York City.

On Thursday evening, March 3, the Juniors will give a card party for the benefit of their charity fund. The arrangements are in charge of the councelors, Miss Clara Ondreyco, Miss Agnes Batch, Miss Gwen Tise, Miss Nina Brown, assisted by Mary Keehan, Anna Mae Clark and Alice Hagen.

The Catholic Daughters of America are cooperating with the Rev. Father Keefe in giving publicity to their members of his lecture on the mass this evening at St. Aloysius Church.

Soroptimist Club

Tours of Washington by selected high school students for the purpoee of teaching civic responsibility and good citizenship was the subject of Ruth Bryan Owen's address to Soroptimists at their dinner meeting held at the Lafayette Hotel Wednesday evening. This subject, dear to Ruth Bryan Owen's heart, exemplified in the numerous tours which she has personally conducted for the high school students of her district, is also one of the objects of Soroptimism.

Ruby Lee Minar, past president of the American Federation of Soroptimist Clubs and first president of the Washington club, presided and introduced the speaker, entertainers and guests. Ruby Lee Minar paid a beautiful tribute to William Jennings Bryan in her introduction of his daughter, who was honor guest. Two solos were given by Miss Erma Embry, accompanied at the piano by Jewel Downs, and by Mr. George E. Anderson, accompanied by Irene Juno.

Several very delightful dances given by Jane Malone and Doris Rook and a reading and piano solo by Doris Rook. These children were presented by Mrs. T. J. Holberg, whose play, "The Return of Washington," won second prize from the United States Bicentennial Commission.

One hundred members and guests dressed in colonial costume attended this meeting.

Soroptimists will be the guests of Mrs. Larz Anderson at a colonial party to be given at her home on Massachusetts avenue March 5.

Wesley Heights

The hospitality committee is in charge of the poet's tea this afternoon to commemorate the birth of Henry Wadsworth Longfellow.

Mrs. Merritt O. Chance, chairman, will preside at the house committee luncheon meeting Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock.

On Tuesday afternoon at 4:45 Mrs. Helen T. Steinbarger, reader's adviser of the Mount Pleasant branch of the Public Library, will give a book chat on recent books.

The March business meeting, open to all members, will be held Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock with the president, Mrs. William Lee Corbin, presiding.

At the music appreciation hour on Thursday evening at 8:30, Mrs. Ralph F. Couch will describe and play those compositions to be given by the National Symphony Orchestra at the concerts of March 10 and 17. The form scheme of the tone poem will be talked about and demonstrated from an appreciative basis.

GIRL HEADS COLLEGE SENIORS

For the first time since the World War the senior class at Wittenberg College, Springfield, Ohio, has a coed president. She is competent Catherine Bowman, of Timberville, W. Va. Only once before in 87 years has a girl headed the seniors at this Ohio school.

Daughters of America

Star Spangled Banner Council No. 7 met with the councilor, Mrs. Lily Butler, in the chair. Two candidates were initiated. Miss Georgia Anderson of Unity Council was a visitor.

Barbara Frietchie Council No. 21 convened with the councilor, Mrs. Lena Welfinger, in the chair. The usual order of business was conducted. One candidate was initiated by our captain, Mrs. Edna Pitts, and her drill team. Mrs. Pitts reported on the Bicentennial meeting. Plans were made to have a card party in the near future. We were entertained by the ladies having birthdays in February.

Mayflower Council No. 11 were hosts to the State councilor, Mrs. Mabel Downing, and her staff of officers on February 19. The ball was beautifully decorated and presentations of gifts were made to the State councilor, Mrs. Downing, the associate State councilor, Mrs. Emma Brooks, who is a member of Mayflower Council, and to the deputy, Mrs. Rose Wells. The officers of the council also received gifts. Mrs. Ethel Burroughs rendered several solos and Mrs. Hoopes gave readings, and refreshments were served.

Triumph Council No. 8 met with the councilor, Mrs. Agnes Barbour, presiding. Mrs. Nichols made a report of the meeting on the Bicentennial committee. Mrs. Stephenson made a report on the extract. Mr. Campbell made a report on the law committee. Remarks were made by visitors from Eagle Council. Hearts were played after the meeting.

Fidelity Council, No. 4, convened with the councilor, Mrs. Risdon, presiding. After the opening of the meeting a big surprise was sprung upon us when our member, Mr. Sherman Miller, from Denver, Colo., dropped in to pay us a visit. We feel very proud of him, as he has been appointed national deputy organizer of the State of Colorado. Mrs. Sadie Cavanaugh reminded the members of the tickets that are for sale for the Martha Washington social. The initiation and the stay-at-home members' rally scheduled for February 16 is to be held March 1 at our hall. After the close of the meeting bingo was played. Refreshments were served by the assistant chairman of the good of the order, Mrs. Cora Jones.

The last meeting of Anacostia Council, No. 14, was held with the councilor, Mrs. Bertha Hubacher, presiding. The penny march prize was won by Mrs. Bailey. As we were celebrating our council's sixteenth birthday, we closed early, and our chairman, Mrs. Steiwers, took charge of the program. We were invited to prettily decorated tables, where were served chicken salad, rolls, coffee, ice cream and cake. There were fifteen charter members present. Mrs. Flora Regan, the fraternal mother of the council, cut the birthday cake and made brief remarks. She was presented with a potted plant by our councilor. After the banquet we enjoyed bingo.

P. E. O. Sisterhood

Chapter H, P. E. O., met Tuesday evening, February 16, at the home of Mrs. Bertha Nelson, 2901 Connecticut avenue. After a business session Virginia Lightfoot gave a program, which was followed by refreshments.

Chapter B. P. E. O. was entertained at a delightful tea Tuesday, February 23, at the home of Mrs. Edgar B. Meritt, 1345 Jefferson street, with Mrs. May Reed and Mrs. Horton H. McKeever, assisting hostesses.

A brief business meeting was held when Miss Jessie Elting, the president, presided and reports were given. Miss Elting told of the work being done by the cooperative committee and announced a card party to be given at the Kennedy-Warren on March 29.

Mrs. Leroy Palmer reported that a card party for the benefit of the Mira McCoy Andrews Day Nursery will be given at the Shoreham on Tuesday, April 5. Mrs. Edgar B. Meritt, president of the District Federation of Women's Clubs, announced that the next meeting of the federation will be at 1 o'clock, Monday, February 29, when a Bicentennial program and colonial tea will follow the business meeting at the Sears, Roebuck Art Gallery, 1106 Connecticut avenue.

Mrs. J. T. Spicknall gave interesting data concerning Cottey College, the Educational Fund and the Memorial Library, the out nding activities of the P. E. O. Sisterhood.

The program was in charge of Mrs. Meritt, who presented Mrs. Marie C. Deal, soprano, who was heard in a group of four songs; Mrs. Ernest E. Weaver, pianist, who gave two piano selections, and Mrs. Charles H. Bair, who gave several readings.

Following the program tea was served, Mrs. Jessie O. Elting and Mrs. F. C. Brinley presiding at the beautifully appointed tea table, which was decorated with spring flowers and red candles, carrying out the colors appropriate to the Bicentennial.

Guests present were Mrs. Whitson, Chapter 2, Oklahoma; Mrs. F. A. Brinley, Chapter C; Mrs. Virginia White Speel, Mrs. Elliott F. Brumbaugh, Mrs. John Martin, Mrs. Marie C. Deal, Mrs. Ernest E. Weaver, Mrs. Tamar F. Rorke, and Mrs. Charles H. Bair, all of Washington.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Worthy P. Sterns, 1833 Lamont street, at 5:30 o'clock, March 8, when the annual election will be held.

Twentieth Century

The regular monthly meeting of the club, Mrs. W. W. Husband, president, presiding, will be held Thursday at 11 a. m., at the Y. W. C. A. Dr. Paul R. Heyl, physicist, of the Bureau of Standards, will talk on "Dreams and Visions of a Scientific Man."

The literature section, Mrs. George R. Putnam, chairman, will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. B. Bryan, 1330 Eighteenth street northwest. Mrs. Isabelle Farrington will give her annual review of "The Best of the Season's Drama." For guest reservations call Mrs. J. B. Campbell, Cleveland 4516.

The French section, Mrs. Francis Hawes, chairman, presiding, will meet Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the Y. W. C. A. During the afternoon the members will take an imaginary walk in the country out from Paris, stopping at one of the well-known links for a game of golf.

Curley Club

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Curley Club Thursday evening at the residence of Miss Stella McGarvey, 610 Rock Creek Church road northwest, preliminary arrangements were outlined for the tenth anniversary celebration of the Curley Club, which will be held during the month of May this year. The celebration will open with an anniversary mass in one of the local churches, at which the Rev. Father Francis X. Cavanagh, chaplain of the organization, will officiate. One of the outstanding functions of the anniversary will be a banquet and reception, at which the Most Rev. Michael J. Curley, Archbishop of Baltimore, will be the guest of honor. This affair will be held in one of the local hotels Monday, May 9. Other affairs, including dances, entertainments, &c., will complete the anniversary celebration.

John Donnelly, vice president of the club, and William Boyd, chairman of the entertainment committee, conducted a card party Friday evening in the spacious parlors in St. Catherine's Home, 101 North Carolina avenue southeast, for the benefit of the club.

Miss Margaret Freedman, who was operated on in Sibley Hospital ten days ago, is rapidly recovering at her home.

Joseph McGarvey, chairman of the dramatic committee, has tendered his resignation to the president, Roland J. Hyland. The resignation was regretfully accepted, and Arthur Bradley White has been appointed to succeed Mr. Garvey.

The second meeting of the club, scheduled for Thursday, March 24, has been postponed until Thursday, March 31.

The next gathering of the Curley Club will take place Thursday, March 10, in the Continental Hotel, at which time members of St. Peter's choir, under the direction of Christopher Tenley, will render several numbers.

Washington Readers

The Washington Readers Club will hold its next meeting on March 1, with May Jameson Bryant presiding. The program is as follows: "Arthur and His Ring" (John Masefield), to be read by William E. Bryant; "Homesick" (Marjory Benton Cooke), to be read by Constance M. Goodman; "When Men Propose" (Marjory Benton Cooke), to be read by Mrs. James F. Hartnett; a scene from "To Have and to Hold" (Mary Johnston), to be given by Ada Louise Townsend, and an Irish number to be given by Alida W. Brooks. A one-act play featuring Helen Gordon, Alice E. Robinson and Eldridge Monroe brings the program to a close.

C. C. Garden Club

The Garden Club of Chevy Chase, Md., will hold its regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, March 2, at 3 p. m., at the home of Mrs. F. P. Wilcox, 6600 Meadow lane. Mrs. Wilcox and Mrs. Truman Abbe will be hostesses.

Mr. Wilbur H. Simonson, supervising landscape architect in charge of planting Mount Vernon Boulevard, will talk to the club on plans and planting of the new Mount Vernon highway.

Rubens Topic Discussed by Delphian Unit

National Chapter Review Bears on Holland Painters.

The National Capital Chapter of the Delphian Society met Wednesday in Jelleff's Little Theater. The local field secretary, Mrs. Eleanor Wilson, was a guest who spoke to the chapter about its improvement.

The literary program, "Seventeenth Century Painters of Flanders and Holland," was led by Mrs. T. J. Rice. The topic, "Rubens' Life," was presented by Mrs. C. M. Godfrey. Rubens, born in 1577, was the greatest Flemish artist, although the Venetian colorists did influence him for a short period. He is credited with the work of 2,000 paintings. "His Painting" was discussed by Mrs. H. N. Dorman. His largest commission was a series of decorative pictures for the Palace of the Luxembourg, exalting Marie de Medici. His greatest work is the altarpiece in the cathedral of Antwerp, "Descent From the Cross." He performed many religious subjects, as well as portraits, and a few landscapes.

"Rubens' Qualities as Shown in His Masterpieces" was presented by Mrs. A. M. Day. His "Descent From the Cross" was performed in 1610, a picture acknowledging his wisdom and the finest example of the Italian influence. It is painted on a black canvas with three other predominating colors, a dull green, a dull red and white. The Magdalen seems to be a fusion of the charms of both his first and his second wife, or rather, the realization of his ideal in womanhood. "The Elevation of the Cross" is a picture of impulse and fire, so characteristic of Rubens.

"Rubens' Pupils" was discussed by Mrs. D. W. Leadbetter. Anton Van Dyck, the great portrait painter, was the most successful. Other pupils, who gained renown were Snyders, the animal painter, and Teniers, painter of humble life. "Dutch Painting of the Sixteenth Century" was discussed by Mrs. J. E. Kiernan. The Dutch had little time for the arts during this period, as they were struggling to be free of the yoke of Spain. However, Lucas van Leyden is remembered, but it was Frans Hale who freed Dutch art from Italian influence. This was significant for, as Faure says, "Dutch art is of a single block, remains until its last hour within the material and moral limits of Holland."

Pictures by Rubens were displayed and discussed by Mrs. T. A. Huntley. Mrs. Hartley displayed and discussed pictures by Van Dyck. Mrs. W. M. Dixon discussed several by Hals.

The lesson summary was presented by Mrs. T. F. Law. She said that Rubens reminds one of Leonardo because painting was only one of his many accomplishments. No art is more intelligent than that of Rubens, and in its own way, more to be admired. To understand the Dutch painters, one should know something of the history of Holland. In 1581 they were freed from the tyranny of Spain and thus were cut off from church and state influence.

Current art events were presented by Mrs. I. M. Knowlton. She told of the recent collection willed to the Metropolitan Museum in New York by Col. Michael Friedsam. This collection is estimated to be worth over ten millions of dollars. In it is found many originals by the great artists of the Renaissance.

Following luncheon, the chapter was entertained in the studio of Mrs. Minnie L. Briggs, local artist specializing in etching of nature.

The next meeting will be March 9, with Mrs. Laurence Douglas as leader.

Gamma Chapter, Delphian Society, will meet tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock at the Shoreham Hotel. The topic for discussion will be "The Rome We Inherited," Miss Irene C. Westerman will be in charge of the meeting. The following reports will be given: "The Delphian Traveler," Miss Julia M. Gilbert; "The Family Caesar as Emperors," Miss Alice Cushman; "The Flavian Line," Miss Emma Hofferi "Five Good Emperors," Mrs. Jessie Krause; "Pagan God and Christian Emperor," Miss Mary Mathoit; "The Barbarianizing of the Empire," Mrs. Bertram Moore; "Current Events," Miss Clara Dickerson.

Delta Sigma Chapter of the Delphian Society will hold a meeting tomorrow at 10 a. m. in the Shoreham Hotel. Mrs. R. Page Irving will lead the literary program. The subject will be "The Rise of Greece." A travelogue embracing Corfu, Sicily, Corinth, Paestum and Naples will be presented. The leader will speak on the dispersion of the Hellenic peoples.

The following topics will be discussed: "The Land of the Hellenes," "The Spartans," "Athens' Struggle for Democracy," Plutarch's Character Sketch of Solon," "The Defeat of Persia," and "The First Historical Play." A summary will complete the program.

Girls' Friendly Society

St. Johns, Georgetown, met Tuesday, February 16. The girls are greatly interested in the work being done by the various classes. Each girl is taking a turn in doing Lenton work; that is, sewing on dresses for little children. Last Tuesday Mrs. L. Steuart had the branch at her house for a party. We had a most wonderful time. Mrs. Smoot visited our branch at this meeting.

No meeting was held by Epiphany branch on the 22d. Members are urged, on Monday, February 29, to attend the G. F. S. church service at 4:45 p. m.; also the diocesan Lenten class in block printing at 7:00 p. m., under the direction of Mrs. Steuart. All members and their friends should attend the branch benefit party at the home of Mrs. C. W. Richardson, 2901 Grant road northwest, Saturday, March 5, at 8:00 p. m. Registration should be made by February 29.

R. M. A. Auxiliary

Women's Auxiliary R. M. A. February social was held at the home of Mrs. L. W. Kasehagen on Saturday, February 20. After about an hour of social chatter, allowing the guests to become better acquainted, the program was in order. Mr. R. E. Plymale, toastmaster, announced several selections to be given by the Bethany Quartet, accompanied by Mrs. P. A. Taylor. A sketch of separate acts by a number of those present proved to be very entertaining. A solo was rendered by Mr. Mayer, accompanied by Miss Johnson. Mr. C. G. Goodloe gave an interesting talk which was enjoyed by all. At a late hour delicious refreshments were served. During the evening a beautiful oak gav

Art and Artists in Capital - - - By Ada Rainey

Official Exhibition of Washington Portraits Begins Saturday.

The official exhibition of portraits of "George Washington and His Associates" will open with a private view on Saturday evening at the Corcoran Gallery of Art. This will be the most extensive exhibition of Washington paintings that has ever been gathered together. It has been arranged by the United States Bicentennial Commission under the immediate direction of Mrs. Rose Gouverneur Hoes, who is the manager of the national historical loan exhibition. Mrs. McCook Knox has passed on all the portraits loaned to the exhibition, Mrs. Knox is an authority on early American portraits and has given much time to the collection of the paintings.

Four rooms will be devoted to the exhibition. One will contain portraits of Washington and nothing else. Another room will be devoted to the members of the Supreme Court and others to the members of Washington's Cabinet, diplomats and the representative women of the day. It will be a worthy gathering, representing as it does the personages important in the making of America, men and women who had the character and the strength to be pioneers in a new land and to establish our Government. And art, the power through which the features and the personalities have come down to us, is nowhere made more important than in this connection. Without the art of the portraiturist we should have but an imperfect knowledge of the men and women of the early times.

Twenty-seven artists painted, drew and modeled the features of Gen. Washington. Although Washington himself was not an art enthusiast, for there were no artists of that time except portrait painters, yet he submitted gracefully to having his features limmed by the many painters to whom he gave sittings. Often he grumbled at the time wasted as he said in his diary, but he was willing to sit to Stuart, to Trumble and to Peale, who were the three most noted men who depicted the features of the first President.

The most important painting in the exhibition will be the famous Lansdown portrait, which has come from England, loaned by Lord Rosebery, in whose possession it has been for a long time.

This and the portrait in the Boston Museum, called the Antheneum Washington, are the only two portraits done directly from life by Stuart, perhaps the foremost portrait painter of his day. The other portraits by Stuart were done from these two. They were replicas, or paintings done from the first portrait. Stuart painted many such, but the third portrait from life by Stuart was destroyed by him. The Atheneum portrait has been refused by the Boston Museum, but England has shown herself more generous than Boston in her willingness to send the famous portrait across the sea.

The national historical loan exhibition committee is headed by the Vice President of the United States and followed by a long list of important personages, including Mrs. William H. Taft and Mrs. Calvin Coolidge, ambassadors of six countries, members of the Cabinet, the Chief of Naval Operations, Admiral William V. Pratt; Chief of Staff, United States Army, Maj. Gen. Douglas MacArthur; Commandant of the United States Marine Corps, Maj. Gen. B. H. Fuller, and many others.

The book recently out by Mantle Fielding and J. H. Morgan on the portraits of Washington, is the authority that has been followed by those who have collected the portraits. Portraits have been loaned by many people throughout the country. They include miniatures, a Wedgewood bust and large oil portraits by most of the artists who have depicted the First President. There will be the Savage portrait loaned from Harvard University, portraits loaned by Senator Frelinghuysen, Herbert L. Pratt, A. Van Horn Ellis, the Savage portrait loaned by the Adams Memorial Society, Andrew Mellon, and others.

Versatile Artist

From miniature porcelain figurines to colossal marble sculptures is the journey made by a Washington sculptor. This is an astonishing bridge to cross in a few short years of artistic endeavor. But Vicken von Post (Mrs. George Oakley Totten) has successfully made the transit. Not many years ago Mrs. Totten was doing delightful figurines in Sweden which were fired in porcelain. She had an exhibition at the Corcoran Gallery of these figurines which elicitated great admiration from critics and public alike. They were imaginative, creative and original. They were of petite personages of fairy tale lore and of quaint charm that have not been seen here before. Swedish by birth and having attained recognition in her native land she came to America and soon after was married to George Oakley Totten, jr., well known Washington architect.

Mrs. Totten was not content to rest on her laurels, but tried her hand in other realms of art. She has done portraits in porcelain, and delightful sculpture groups, one a lovely madonna with the youthful Christ Child standing at her knee. She modeled

"The Virginia Colonel," a portrait of George Washington by Charles Willson Peale, loaned by Washington and Lee University to the Bicentennial exhibit at the Corcoran Gallery of Art.

the silver figure of the "Spirit of Aviation," which was given to Col. Lindbergh when he had the ovation in the auditorium in the city. She had done large porcelain and composition figures for convents of saints. Especially notable is the figure of "Our Lady of Lourdes" for a church in the city.

Now she has received a commission from the Government to do a series of bas-reliefs in white marble for the Postoffice Building at Waterbury, Conn. These reliefs are of colossal size and will be placed on the exterior of the building illustrating the progress of the transportation of the United States mail. First, there is the scene showing the carrier pigeons, then comes in order the Indian Runner, the Pony Express, the Early Stage Coach, the Modern Steamer, the fast Mail Train and lastly the Flying Machine. This "Story of the Mail" is a romantic story which has been evolved during a short period of human activity and it is told dramatically by the sculptor. No photographic realism here. Instead the convincing portrayal with sculptured planes shot through with moving forms on the marble surface. The designs are truly original and imaginative. The new Waterbury Postoffice Building has been designed by George Oakley Totten.

Beginning Sunday, March 6, Mrs. Totten will have an exhibition of her works in the Sears-Roebuck Gallery at 1106 Connecticut avenue. In the exhibition, which will fill an entire room, there will be examples of the various forms of her art, including the early figurines and the later paintings and drawings. For this amazing artist works in all these mediums. She has recently completed a series of illustrations for a book of fairy tales called "Tales of a Troll Boy." They are old Swedish folk tales and are being put in verse by Mrs. Catherine Palmer Mitchel, a Washington writer. The verses delightfully interpret the paintings which are done in water color and crayon. These paintings show an imaginative gift quite extraordinary. They are peopled by star maidens and gnomes who have a life of their own. The stories are fascinatingly illustrated by these paintings, which have a unique quality.

There will be a number of patrons and patronesses for the opening view on next Sunday afternoon. The following will be present: The Ambassador of Poland, the Minister of Sweden, the Minister of Norway, the Minister of Finland, Mrs. Patrick Hurley, Mrs. Lars Anderson, Mrs. Hiram Bingham, Mrs. Walter Tuckerman and Mr. William Eno.

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On March 4 the Sears-Roebuck Gallery will hold its monthly preview with the Ambassador of Great Britain and Lady Lindsay as guests of honor. There will be etchings by the British artists, D. Y. Cameron, James McBey, Muirhead Bone, loaned through the courtesy of Lessing Rosenwald. There will also be etchings by George T. Plowman and Allan C. Sherwin and sculptures by Frank C. Jirouch. There will also be a group of Craftsmen of the Delaware Valley. This exhibition will continue through March.

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At the Corcoran Gallery of Art there were placed on view yesterday paintings by Harold Gaze. Mr. Gaze is a New Zealander by birth, who had been trained in London and is now living in California. Mr. Gaze's paintings are entirely imaginary and are fairy stories which he has illustrated delightfully. He has exhibited in Boston and in Coronado in California and elsewhere in the State, where he is a member of several art clubs.

Gaze painted the portraits of children among the fairies and done them exquisitely. The grandchildren of Harold McCormack are among those whom he has painted seated in the open and surrounded by creatures of the imagination. They are delightful portraits and a novel conception. It is a wonderful way to have a child's portrait painted, for children always live in the land of fancy and they are more at home there than in the land of everyday grown-up folk. The paintings are rather small, are uniform in size and exquisitely drawn and painted. It makes one have a love for the denizens of the woods and the world of make believe when one sees these fascinating paintings. They will be on view in one of the small rooms on the lower floor of the gallery through March 13.

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At the Arts Club beginning this afternoon there is a special exhibition of paintings in oil, water color, etchings and sculpture, which was placed on view last night too late for review for this page. There was an opening reception for the members and their friends which was a special event as there is usually the opening reception on Sunday afternoon. The exhibition contains about 100 works of art and all the members are privileged to send in three paintings and etchings, which will be on view for March until the 24th. In April there will be a special Bicentennial exhibition which will continue through the summer. The usual procedure of the club is to have a summer exhibition of the works of the members, but this year it is reversed and the members will have the privilege of exhibiting their paintings during the season when everyone is in town instead of during the dull season.

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At the Smithsonian Building the prints of H. Luthmann will be placed on view tomorrow to continue through the month. A German by birth, Luthmann was in Hongkong as a merchant and was taken prisoner in 1914 and sent to Japan where he stayed five years.

He had never studied art before his imprisonment, but began to take an interest in the drawings of the other men who were confined with him. He began to sketch and learned what he could from the other artists. He secretly escaped during the day to the woods and drew from nature, returning to camp at night. Until 1921 he knew nothing about etching.

But after his release in 1920 he invited poor artists to his home in Japan from whom he learned all that he could. Then he found a book by Singer on Modern Graphic Arts, which he studied and learned from this all that he knew about etching. But he studied and worked all the time until he perfected his art. It took him a year to learn the printing of etchings. He took Pennel for his model and absorbed much from his prints. The exhibition will be on view through March 27.

The palette belonging to Gilbert Stuart and the palette belonging to Thomas Sully are now on view at the Smithsonian Building. They have been secured through Mr. Ferris, who has done a series of historical paintings which will be on view in reproductions in the National Gallery of Art. There is also a group of tools used by Timothy Cole in his engraving which have been placed on view. There is a table that Sully used to mix his paints on which is especially interesting.

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Preparations are going on with great vigor for the fine arts exhibition of the George Washington Bicentennial which will be held at the National Gallery at Tenth street and Constitution avenue. This will consist of a series of mural paintings depicting scenes from several phases of the life of Washington. The leading art associations of the country are cooperating with the George Washington Bicentennial Commission in this exhibition. There will be in addition plans of the city of Washington as seen in the time of Washington and also plans for the future development of the city.

The paintings are under the direction of the Society of Mural Painters, of which Ernest Peixotto is president. The panels are 15 feet in height and from 8 to 20 feet in width. The series was planned as a unit and is now being installed in the gallery. It will be opened to the public on March 19. Further details will be given later on.

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Dumbarton House was opened to the public on Washington's birthday. It is the old Bellevue House, on Q street, in Georgetown, and has been purchased by the National Society of Colonial Dames. The house has been reconditioned without and within and carefully refurnished in the style of the eighteenth century. The furniture is all antique and has been

Mrs. Totten Will Display Her Art Works Beginning Sunday.

authenticated by experts. Much of it has been loaned. There is a spinet, loaned by Mrs. Breckenridge Long, and many other pieces have been obtained from the members of the National Society of Colonial Dames.

The mantels in the house are beautiful. They were, however, obtained from houses of the period and then installed in Dumbarton House. The carving in the friezes of the ceiling, the staircase in the entrance hallway and the large rounded rooms on the back of the house have scarcely been equaled anywhere in the country. The house is a model of the domestic arrangements of a manor house of the eighteenth century. There will be exhibitions of early American art and craft work held in the house from time to time. The first will be that of the American child, the toys and clothes of children of early days. The house is now opened to the public.

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The portraits and etchings by Fred Taubes at the Austrian Legation last week proved even more than had been claimed for them. The four portraits were in the modern manner, but were delicate and individual interpretations of character painted sympathetically. The etchings and drypoints were strong and tremendously effective. One, a nude, has been purchased by the Brooklyn Museum and another of three figures is in the exhibition of the "Fifty Best Prints of the Year." These etchings are strong with significant lines, sure and telling with a vital sense of beauty running through them. The excellence of the exhibition was a pleasant surprise to the invited guests at the legation.

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Another Austrian will have an exhibition of her paintings at Corrados, 1331 Connecticut avenue. She is Clo Hade, the Baroness Hertha Doblhoff. The exhibition will continue through March 10 and is opened daily from 9 to 5. The exhibition is under the patronage of Donna Antonietta de Martino, Mme. Edgar Prochnik, Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, Mrs. Eugene Meyer, Mrs. Walter Tuckerman, Mrs. Grosvenor Backus and others.

The artist is the wife of Baron Doblhoff who has been in Washington for a year or more painting portraits. A review of her paintings will follow next Sunday.

Cotton Sweaters Chic As Spring Suit Blouses

Paris (A.P.).—Cotton sweaters are a new wrinkle in blouses for spring suits. Black wool suits designed with skirts having a high waistline are worn with brief sweaters knitted of white cotton thread tucked into the skirt.

A short fitted black jacket completes the costume.

Handkerchief Scarfs WornWith Dinner Gown

Paris (A.P.).—Handkerchief scarfs finish the neckline of a number of spring dinner gowns. The scarfs are knotted softly about the decolletage and cover the shoulders.

One dinner gown of pinky beige satin has a handkerchief scarf of rose satin as its only ornament.

Straw Dress Trimmings Is New Spring Novelty

Paris (A.P.).—Straw dress trimmings are the newest novelties to be added to spring styles. During the recent style shows one widely known designer displayed belts, collars and detachable cuffs of bright-colored black and white lacy straw to accent lightweight wool frocks.

An outstanding feature of the display was a brown straw jacket worn with a beige wool frock.

Coarse White Silk Lace Used on New Frocks

New York (A.P.).—Coarse white silk lace is much in vogue this season.

Afternoon frocks are designed with black wool skirts and white lace bodices, black satin evening frocks are worn with peplum jackets of white-crocheted lace and black cocktail dresses have peplum bodices of the same design.

Old Dobbin's Collar Suggests New Fashion

Paris (A.P.).—Fashion has borrowed the design of Dobbin's collar for new spring frocks. Big, soft hoop collars of velvet or crepe falling halfway to the waist are worn with simple dark dresses.

Most of them are caught on one side with two large artificial flowers of brilliant color.

HAUSFRAU OUT, FRAULEIN WINS

Associated Press Photo.

There was an uproar when Germans discovered that the beauty selected to bear the title "Miss Germany 1932" wasn't a "fraulein" at all, but a "frau." It's against the rules for a married woman to be "Miss Germany." So the honor was transferred to pretty Fraulein Liselotte de Booy (above), who had been second in the judging.

Bethesda Club Host to Farm Board Official

American Agricultural Situation Portrayed at Meeting.

The February round table meeting of the Bethesda Woman's Club held on Tuesday at the clubhouse was conducted by Mrs. Frank E. McMillin, chairman of legislation, who presented as guest speaker Robert P. Green, educational assistant, Federal Farm Board. Mr. Green discussed comprehensively the situation in American agriculture which led up to the passage of the 1929 marketing act, with the establishing of the Federal Farm Board. He gave high lights of the long-time, far-seeing program the Farm Board with the aid of economic experts and keen business minds is working out, and showed how the intricate farm problem may be solved by strengthening cooperative marketing agencies and supplying this basic business with the credit it actually rates in view of the $58,000,000,000 investment represented by American farms.

Mr. Green's talk inspired numerous questions which he answered, bringing out the clubwoman's and housewife's relation to the farm problem.

Miss Jessamyn Eaton gave a group of readings. Luncheon was served under the direction of the hospitality committee, Mrs. L. L. Nicholson, chairman. Announcement has been made that the club's art chairman, Mrs. Edwin H. Etz, has been awarded second place in the State-wide poetry contest conducted this year by the Maryland Club Women.

Printed Shoes Match Colored Spring Frocks

Paris (A.P.).—Printed shoes to match printed frocks are the newest wrinkle in spring footwear.

Mannequins displaying colored print frocks in the spring style shows wore high heeled slippers made of matching print. Black backgrounds sprinkled with bright flowers were the favorite design.

Dancing Frock Made Of Pink Wax Lace

(Associated Press.)

Red slippers and long red gloves were worn by Miss Patience McCormick-Goodhart when she led the Washington Bachelors' Cotillion.

Her dress was of pink wax lace and had one of the new high neck lines in the front.

Free Lance Club to Hear Three Writers

Original Stories Will Be Read at Meeting to Be Held on Thursday.

A promising program has been arranged by the Free Lance Club for the meeting Thursday at 8 o'clock, at the Sears, Roebuck Art Galleries, 1106 Connecticut avenue. Original stories will be read by Ilone Lee Mooney, Felix Schwarz and Bertha Inbody. Laboratory analysis of the stories will follow.

At the meeting of February 18 Mayne Coe reported the sale of an article on buckwheat. Other members also made sales.

A letter of literary experiences was read from Mrs. Pool, who is now at station with Maj. Pool at Fort Thomas, Ky.

Evelyn Crane talked on markets for the new writer. Gertrude McKenzie read "Miss Clinton's Comic Valentine." It was a story of juvenile psychology with a vein of sympathetic humor. Col. Edmund Sayer read "The Ten Dollar Mascot," the adventures of some American sailors.

Some of the artists who are to illustrate the Freen Lance Book of Stories exhibited samples of their work.

Mrs. Bertha Inbody was approved for active membership.

Day Frock Combines White Kid, Black Crepe

(Associated Press.)

Katherine Lamneck, daughter of the representative from Ohio, combines black and white in an afternoon dress of black crepe.

Half of the girdle is of white kid and half of black crepe. It fastens with a large white buckle. The square neck is finished with a lace collar.

"Take-Apart" Coats Doing Double Duty

Paris (A.P.).—Coats which come to pieces are a new spring wrinkle designed for practicality. Dark blue wool models are designed with long sleeves which unbutton 3 inches below the shoulder, making them wearable as long or short sleeved wraps.

Many full-length coats of beige diagonal wool have little detachable matching scarves edged with fur, which may be taken off and worn with a wool frock on warm days.

AMONG MUSICIANS

By ELISABETH E. POE.

WASHINGTON music lovers express much pleasure at the news that the first season of the National Symphony Orchestra of Washington, has been so successful that those in charge consider another season justified. There are also many expressions of gratitude over the information that Hans Kindler will conduct the orchestra again. Mr. Kindler has won widespread approval as a conductor, and the standard he has sustained and the fine quality of the players of the symphonic unit.

Now, under the impetus of a big new committee of women that is being formed, with Mrs. Tracy Dows chairman, new interest, new blood is to be injected into the future of the orchestra through the creating of a far larger list of contributors to the orchestra fund for 1932-33.

"To make the National Symphony a civic thing is the objective of the women's committee for the orchestra," says Mrs. Dows. "This season the orchestra was possible through a few interested people. So widespread has been the enthusiasm for it, however, with audiences quite exceeding our fondest expectations, that a broader field will make it more surely the city's own orchestra.

"Last season's contributors have, thus far, sent in reports that are very satisfactory. Next season requires a larger budget. To insure the necessary $75,000 budget for 1932-33, which is the minimum that is asked, the whole-hearted response of the community is sought."

With a view to including the many, many interested people in the city, a "Dollar Fund" campaign is just being launched.

The "Dollar Fund" will be obtained from groups or from individuals.

Again the symphony series, the Sunday series, and the children's concerts will be a delightful feature of the season's music.

There are still five more concerts this season, two more on Thursday afternoons in March; on next Sunday is the last Sunday concert at Constitution Hall, at 4 o'clock; and one more of the children's concerts remains, that of next Saturday morning at 11, at Central High School Community Center.

This evening at 9 o'clock Emile Simon, cello player of the National Symphony Orchestra, accompanied by Dorothy Coggeshall, will give the following program of Netherlands music at the diplomatic Sunday evening salon of the Bureau of Commercial Economics in the west ballroom of the Shoreham:

Suite for cello and piano, "Menuet Triste," "La Danse de Conchita," by Emile Simon and Dorothy Coggeshall. Old Dutch folk songs and contradances, arranged by Julius Rontgen; "The Farmer," contradance; "The Fishergirl," folk song; "Upon Returning," contradance; "Nor Day Nor Night I Have Rest," folk song; "Meeting My Sweetheart," contradance, by Emile Simon, cello; Dorothy Coggeshall, piano.

The Lovette Choral Club will give a musical program under the sponsorship of the District of Columbia organization of the Daughters of the American Revolution at Memorial Continental Hall on Tuesday evening. The occasion will be the opening session of the thirty-first annual State conference. The club will repeat a portion of the Bicentennial concert program presented at the Willard last Thursday. On behalf of the Daughters of the American Revolution the club directors, Eva Whitford Lovette, extends a general invitation to lovers of colonial music to be present, and especially to those who were unable to attend the concert.

It is also announced that the Lovette Choral Club will give a half-hour program of colonial music over WRC on the afternoon of March 7.

At the next rehearsal the club will start intensive preparation for the regular spring concert in May. Mrs. J. Lester Brooks, president of the organization, will receive applications for several memberships from singers who read music readily and who have studied music for several months during the last two years. Applications for auditions should be addressed to Mrs. Brooks, 4218 Thirty-eighth street northwest.

The Madrigal Singers, directed by Mrs. John Milton Sylvester, will present old English and early American music in Barker Hall at the Young Women's Christian Association vesper hour, on today, at 5 p. m. On Tuesday evening they will sing for the Chevy Chase Chapter of the Eastern Star, and also dance the minuet. All of their programs are given in colonial costume.

The program of music at the National City Christian Church today will be as follows:

Morning—Organ prelude, "Dawn" (Jenkins); "Contemplation" (Saint-Saens); anthem, "The Wilderness" (Goss); offertory, "Prayer" (Loret); contralto solo, "The Spirit of God" (Neidlinger); organ postlude, "March in B flat" (Paulkes).

Evening—Organ recital (1) "Final," first symphony, (Vierne); (2) "Two Cradle Songs" (Botting); anthem, "Now the Sun is Sinking" (Ashworth); offertory, "Meditation" (Ketelbey); mixed quartet, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" (Buck); organ postlude, Minuet, from "Berenice" (Handel).

The activities of the U. S. Marine Band and its Orchestra for the coming week will include the following: Monday, February 29, at 3 p. m., band concert; Wednesday, March 2, at 8 p. m., orchestra concert; Friday, March 4, at 3 p. m., orchestra concert; Saturday, March 5, the orchestra will play in the Corcoran Gallery of Art, for the view of the national historical loan exhibition. The concerts will be given in the auditorium at the Marine Barracks.

A costume song recital with the Washington Bicentennial as its theme was given by Mrs. Selma Selinger Klein at the birthday party of the Washington Chapter Hadassah held Tuesday at the Jewish Community Center.

After a brief resume of early American music Mrs. Klein sang such old favorites as "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms," "Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes," and "Tell Me Do You Love Me." Her sweet voice and personality was entirely in harmony with the pink rose, blue and silver of her colonial garb, and her efforts were enthusiastically received.

She was accompanied by Earl Klein. Mrs. Klein sang recently over WMAL'S first television program.

The American contralto, Grace La Mar, who is having great success in New York City this season, will appear in a solo recital tonight at the Caroline McKinley studio, with Gertrude McRae Nash as hostess of the occasion.

Among Miss La Mar's numbers will be Mozart's "Parto Parto" (Titus), two Schubert numbers, two Strauss numbers, an Italian group comprising songs by Pizzetti, Respighi, Donaudy and Cimara, as well as Szule's "Clair de Lune," Goosens' "Chanson de Fortunio," Delius' "In the Seraglio Garden," Guion's "Mam'selle Marie" and Bantock's "Feast of Lanterns."

A world-wide selection of sacred music will be offered by the A Capella Choir of the First Congregational Church, conducted by Ruby Smith Stahl, at its second public Lenten concert, on Friday evening, March 11, at 8:45 o'clock, in the ballroom of the Hotel Mayflower.

Among the schools of sacred music represented in this program will be the Russian, Early and Late English, Italian and the Classical, as well as the best of the American schools, including the spirituals and going back as far as George Washington's time, with "The Lord Is Risen," composed by an American composer, Billings, and arranged by another American, Joseph Clokey.

Compositions included in the widely varied program to be sung by the A Capella Choir include numbers by Rachmaninoff, Tschaikovsky, Nicolsky, Gretchaninoff, Bach, Bennett, Boernschein, Burleigh, Christiansen, Damrosch, Harvey Gaul, MacKinnon, Palestrina, Shaw and Vulpius-Dickinson—a truly comprehentive list for a capella singing.

The chorus of 60 trained voices is reinforced by the solo quartet of the First Congregational Church, including Ruby Smith Stahl, soprano; Dorothy Wilson-Halbach, contralto; Francesco Della-Lana, tenor, and C. Ridgway Taylor, bass.

The Washington Choral Festival Association Chorus will sing "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring," from the cantata, "Hertz und Mund," by Johann Sebastian Bach, and the 150th Psalm, by Cesar Franck, next Sunday with the National Symphony Orchestra, when the last Sunday afternoon concert of the season will be given.

The rehearsal Monday night will be held at Central High School at 8 o'clock, with Louis A. Potter conducting.

Leonard Davis, barytone, will assist Lewis Corning Atwater, organist, in a program of Cesar Franck music at All Souls' Church, Unitarian, this afternoon at 5 o'clock. Mr. Davis will sing "Panis Angelicus."

The Capital City Choristers will present a program at the second of this season's Twilight Hour Musicales at the Congressional Country Club this afternoon at 5 o'clock, with the music from the old masters, Bach and Beethoven, to that of one of our most brilliant of local composers, Dorothy Radde Emery, who is also the very able director of the organization.

Two of Mrs. Emery's chorals will be sung and the lovely andante movement from her "Trio in F Minor" will be played by Elizabeth and Louise Bernheimer, violinist and cellist, respectively, with the composer at the piano.

Catherine Benson, the pianist and accompanist of this group of singers, will present a group of piano solos by Debussy, Ibert and Dohnanyi. The choristers will close this unusual program with a group of songs written in the folk-song style. Members of the club and their friends are invited. This series of Sunday afternoon musicales is being given under the direction of Dorothy DeMuth Watson, chairman of music.

The program of music Thursday at the Metropolitan Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church will be as follows:

Toccata, "O Filii et Filiae" (Lynnwood Farnam); "In Summer" (Charles Albert Stebbins), gavotte in A (Edward Elgar), Prelude and Fugue in E Minor—"The Cathedral"—(Johann Sebastian Bach); Berceuse (Edward Delbruch), Scherzo from Second Symphony (Louis Vierne), "The Angelus" (Jules Massenet), "The Legend of the Mountain" from "Seven Pastels from the Lake of Constance" (Sigfrid Karg-Elert), Largo (G. F. Haendel), Toccata From Fifth Symphony (Charles Marie Widor).

Cherry Prints Fashion New Afternoon Frocks

Paris (A.P.).—Cherry prints are being used for many new spring afternoon frocks.

They are made of black silk crepe stamped with patch clusters of white, pale green or pale pink cherries and leaves.

Current Exhibitions

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART—Portraits of Washington and his associates. Lithographs by George Bellows, until March 13. Permanent collection of paintings, sculpture, faience, textiles and other works of art. Open daily except Monday morning, 8 to 4:30; Sunday, 2 to 5.

NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART—Permanent collection of paintings and sculpture. Open daily, 9 to 4:30; Sunday, 1 to 4:30.

FREER GALLERY OF ART—American paintings, Whistler etchings and Oriental art. Open Sunday and daily except Monday, 9 to 4:30.

ARTS CLUB OF WASHINGTON, 2017 I street—Paintings by club members until March 24.

SEARS, ROEBUCK GALLERY, 1106 Connecticut avenue—Paintings and sculptures by Vicken von Post, etchings by George H. Plowman and Muirhead Bone and English etchers, Delaware craftsmen. March 4-31.

PHILLIPS MEMORIAL GALLERY, 1600 Twenty-first street—Group exhibition of contemporary paintings.

TEXTILE MUSEUM OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, 2330 S street—Rugs and textiles of the Near and Far East. Open Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 2 to 5. Cards of admission obtained at office of George H. Myers, 730 Fifteenth street.

LIBRARY OF CONGRESS—New group of Pennell lithographs. Loaned collections of Japanese prints.

DUNTHORNE GALLERY—Mayflower Hotel. Lithographs and aquatints of Washington and early Presidents.

SMITHSONIAN BUILDING—Prints by H. Luthmann until March 27.

Americans Will Not Dress To Fit Their Personality

Cincinnati, Ohio (A.P.).—The American male just won't dress to fit his personality. He wears formal morning clothes to business affairs. He dances in knickers. And oftentime he turns "dudish" with extreme styles and colors.

But he has the finest clothing in the world, even if he doesn't know when to wear it.

That was the opinion reached by Wilbur S. Stewart, of Philadelphia, a former president of the National Association of Merchant Tailors at the opening of the association's fashion exhibit here.

As a tip to the man who seeks sartorial perfection, Stewart said occasion for wearing of formal daytime apparel are limited to weddings, receptions and functions for the President of the United States, diplomats and statesmen.

The fashion committee of the association pointed out that there is a difference being well dressed and "dudish."

A "dude," the committee said, is inclined to go to extremes in color, cut and style. A well-dressed man dresses to fit his personality.

But the American male is becoming emancipated from the taboos of over-conservativism. Consider the brilliant red riding breeches on display at the exhibit. Then there are "host coats" of maroon and mulberry and many shades—particularly pastel shades—of flannels.

Business suits run to brown, gray, blue and green, with sport suits and outfits featuring plaids and tweeds. Tuxedos and full dress outfits still cling to the conventional black.

The association, in business session, condemned the action of the 1932 first classmen of Annapolis Naval Academy in purchasing service and civilian outfits in Europe during their summer cruise.

Quota Club

The Washington Quota Club held its weekly meeting at the Women's City Club on Thursday, February 26, at 6:30 p. m., with the president, Miss Alma McCrum, presiding.

Mr. Charles Edward Russell was the guest of the club and his talk on the supremacy of orchestral music in America was of especial interest to the musically inclined guests and members present.

The next meeting will be the regular monthly business meeting held on March 3 at the Women's City Club.

Heaven Hotter Than Hell, Some Physicists Declare

Temperature in Hades Uniform, One Says, Otherwise a Heat Engine Could Be Operated and It Could Run Refrigerator to Cool the Place.

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Some physicians have developed theories about the temperature of hell.

One of these was lecturing to a class upon difficult and unexciting formulae of heat. The class was bored, thinking that the "prof" was trying to impress them with his profundity, so one boy drawled:

"Well, professor, what is the temperature of hell?"

"The temperature of hell," shot back the professor, "is uniform, not even the slightest variation anywhere."

That comeback aroused the class. Several asked how the professor knew.

"Because," said he, "if the temperature were not uniform the differences could be used to operate a heat engine, and if a heat engine could be run, it could be made to operate a refrigerator to cool the place."

In line with religious teachings that hell is a place of spiritual punishment rather than merely a hot fire, physicists have some anecdotes illustrating temperature possibilities in all those regions which might be physical sites of an after life freed from fleshly limitations.

Some writings, they state, put bronze hinges on the gates of hades. The melting point of bronze is known, and the temperature in hades cannot reasonably be more than this melting point. For if the hinges should melt the gates would fall off.

Still other writings describe the Golden Gates of Heaven as too bright for the eye to behold. Gold shining with such brilliance as that, they further state, would have to be at an incandescent heat, which when computed is found to be higher than the melting point of bronze.

Although the temperature of Heaven is thus deduced as hotter than hades, no impiety is seen. Rather this is taken as part of the superiority of Heaven. For heat is energy, in fact is almost life itself, and when the failings of human flesh are removed from the equation, the higher temperatures which characterize most great celestial objects, are seen as evidences of a higher plane of life.

Short-Pants Juvenile Actor Has Trouble in Real Life

Elisha Cook Has Difficulty in Convincing Persons When Off Stage That He Is 28 Years Old.

New York (A.P.).—Pity the juvenile actor. Take, for example, the case of Elisha Cook, who often has been described as America's greatest "short-pants juvenile."

Puffing on a big black cigar, he explained how he spends half his time trying to look young enough for the 16-year-old parts he plays, and the other half trying to convince people off the stage he really is a 28-year-old man.

He uses gallons of lotions and face creams every year attempting to retain that schoolboy complexion. He hobnobs constantly with high school and college crowds so he won't lose the spirit of youth. He reads stacks of boys' books every month to keep his mind young.

"And I've been so successful it's embarrassing," he added with a sigh.

Twice policemen have taken him from behind the wheel of an automobile and lodged him behind bars because they were convinced, after they saw "Age, 28," on his driving license, that it wasn't his.

Elderly women often stop him on the street and say:

"A boy your age shouldn't be smoking."

When he applied for a marriage license the clerk asked him if he had his parents' permission.

When he was touring Wisconsin with a road show, a constable tried to send him home because the curfew had rung.

He once played the leading role in a movie and when it was shown in Chicago no one under 21 was admitted. Elisha wanted to see it, but he had to argue for an hour with the ticket-seller to gain admittance.

Whenever the young Mr. Cook grows weary of boy parts he locks himself in his room and acts out the role of Shylock in "The Merchant of Venice."

"If I ever stop being a perennial kid, that's the part I want to play," he said, putting on his best 16-year-old grin.

Cook came from a threatrical family. Both his father, after whom he was named, and his mother were on the stage. The son was born in San Francisco.

HOUSEWIVES GIVEN DRESS TIPS BY DARE

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grateful to me for suggesting them. Put on your high-heeled shoes when you shop, if you wish, but wear these others for your work.

The proper and becoming clothing has a great deal to do with your success in your career of housewife. If you doubt it, give my suggestions a month's chance, that is all. See the effect it has on your family, your friends, your tradespeople, and mostly upon your own personality. Don't let your neighbors say of you, "Yes, she is a pretty little thing, but you should see her while she is doing her housework!"

And apart from that, since a lovely lady doesn't care what her neighbors say about her anyway, there is just the psychology and good sportsmanship of looking and playing your part—of modern, lovely-lady housewife.

Au revoir.

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COMMUNITY CENTER NEWS

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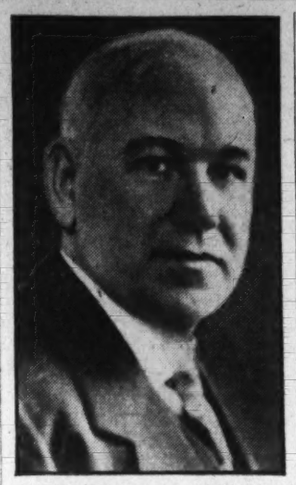

DR. HERBERT A. GIBBONS, who will lecture on "Wider Horizons" at the Central Community Center on Tuesday.

CENTRAL.

Thirteenth and Clifton streets, Mrs. Edith H. Hunter, community secretary.

Monday evening — Aurora Social Club Juniors, Naval Hospital, C. & P. Telephone Girls, Delaware-Hudson, Calvary Drakes basket ball teams, Washington Choral Festival Association, Red Cross First Aid group, Ladies Bugle Corps.

Tuesday evening — Strayer Girls, Dumbartons, Benjamin Franklin University, Strayer Men, Sak's Clothiers basket ball teams, Community Institute—Herbert Adams Gibbons, "Wider Horizons."

Wednesday evening—Ross Jewelry Co., Naval Hospital, Cardinal Preps, United Tyewriter Gray's, Washington Aces basket ball teams, National Capital Rifle Club, Kallipolis Grotto drill team.

Thursday evening—Mount Vernon Seniors, Crescents, Benjamin Franklin University, Strayer Men, Potomac Boat Club basket ball teams.

Saturday morning—Children's concert, National Symphony Orchestra.

CHEVY CHASE.

Mrs. F. K. Espenschied, community secretary.

E. V. Brown School, Connecticut avenue and McKinley street:

Monday afternoon—French conversation for children, music.

Tuesday afternoon — Rhythm, music.

Wednesday morning — Music section, Chevy Chase Woman's Club.

Thursday morning—Contract bridge.

Thursday afternoton—Tap, carpentry, French conversation.

Friday morning—French conversation for adults, beginners and advanced.

Lafayette School—Northampton street and Broad Branch road:

Friday afternoon—Rhythm.

CHEVY CHASE.

Ben Murch School, Thirty-sixth and Ellicott streets.

Monday afternoon—Rhythm.

Monday evening—Tap, contract bridge, women's gym.

Tuesday afternoon—French conversation for children.

Thursday afternoon—Girl Scouts.

Friday afternoon—Tap, music, French conversation for children, music.

Friday evening—Social dancing for juniors, Boy Scouts.

Saturday morning—Art group, carpentry for children.

Saturday evening—Social dancing for juniors.

COLUMBIA HEIGHTS.

Mrs. M. S. Young, assistant community secretary. Due to the closing of the Wilson Teachers College, community center activities have been scheduled for the week as follows:

Tuesday afternoon — Rhythmic dancing for children at Raymond School.

Tuesday evening: Columbia Players and Padgett's Orchestra at Powell Junior High.

Tuesday evening—Comet's A. C., Satellites and Als A. C. at Park View Center.

Thursday afternoon—Tap dancing at Johnson School.

Thursday evening—Columbia Players, Oates Orchestra, Ye Olde Tyme Dance Club at Powell Junior High.

Friday evening—Boy Scout troops Nos. 40 and 41, Girl Scouts Troop No. 12, Capital City Orchestra at Powell Junior High.

Saturday morning—Rhythmic dancing for children at Powell Junior High.

EAST WASHINGTON.

Seventeenth and East Capitol streets. Mrs. L. W. Hardy general secretary.

Tuesday evening—Plays by groups entered in one-act play tournament: North Carolina Avenue Players present "The Trying Time." Women's City Club drama unit present "The Rest Cure," Jewish Community Center presents "Overtones." Woodlothians present "Deceivers;" Congress Heights, Roxie, Florestelle, Census Bureau Federals, Pilots, Clover A. C. basket ball teams; dressmaking, Boys' Independent Band, library.

Wednesday evening—Vandals, Benning, Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co., Washington Union Printers, Congress Heights, Brookland A. C. basket ball teams, East Washington Community Players.

Thursday evening—Library open from 5 to 9 o'clock. One-act play tournament: Rebecca Dial Studio Players of the Institute of Musical Art present "Martha Washington at Valley Forge;" Pierce Hall Players present "The Stoker," Columbia Players present "Quare Medicine."

Saturday morning — Handcraft groups at Eliot Junior High School.

Saturday evening—Tap dancing for boys, advanced and beginners groups, rhythmic dancing for girls, Gallinger Hospital nurses basket ball, Washington Boys' Independent Band basket ball team. Community program: Moving pictures, social dancing, Mercury A. C., Ramblers basket ball team.

GEORGETOWN.

Gordon Junior, Thirty-fifth and T streets. Mrs. A. L. Irving, community secretary.

Wednesday afternoon—Drama for juniors, new group in contract bridge, all those wishing to begin the course under the direction of Mrs. Marian Barre, please come prepared to take the first lesson. Please bring your own cards. All children who were in Miss Becker's rhythm and tap class are requested to come to Gordon the same time Thursday.

Thursday afternoon—Rhythm and tap dancing, Girl Scout Troop, No. 71.

LANGLEY.

Second and T streets northeast. Mrs. D. E. Middleton, assistant community secretary.

Tuesday evening—De Molay, Heurich-Logans, Warwicks, Delta Phi Epsilon basket ball teams.

Wednesday evening—Wallace Memorial, Brethren, Atonement, De Molay basket ball teams, auction bridge instruction and practice.

Friday afternoon—Rhythm, tap, dramatics.

Friday evening—Edgewood, Warwick Flashes, Brightwood Indians, Vermonts, Senators, Moscans basket ball teams, Elks' Boys' Band rehearsal.

BURROUGHS.

Eighteenth and Monroe streets northeast. Mrs. D. E. Middleton, community secretary.

Tuesday afternoon: Girl Scout Troop 44.

Wednesday afternoon: Rhythmic and tap dancing.

Thursday evening: Burroughs Citizens Association.

Saturday evening: Bicentennial program, consisting of colonial dances, music, &c.

MACFARLAND.

Iowa avenue and Webster street. Mrs. A. L. Irving, community secretary.

Monday afternoon: Rhythm and tap dancing at Barnard School.

Wednesday afternoon: Tap dancing at Powell Elementary School.

Thursday afternoon: Sock and Buskin Club, at Petworth School.

Friday evening: Rhythm and tap dancing at Macfarland. Boy Scout Troop 30. Contract bridge. Macfarland Choral Club. Rhythm and tap dancing groups are now starting on new work in preparation for the children's program at Central High School on March 19, when the children will take part in the presentation of "Rip Van Winkle."

McKINLEY.

Second and T streets northeast Mrs. A. L. Irving, community secretary.

Beginning Tuesday, March 1, at 7 p. m., the A. A. U. will play their league games in the gymnasium every week night up to and including April 2, with the exception of Good Friday.

PARK VIEW.

Warder and Newton streets. Miss Frances Cooper, community secretary.

Tuesday evening: Comets, Satellites, Als Athletic Club.

Wednesday afternoon: Rhythmic dancing.

Friday evening: Tap dancing, game club, woodwork group, Park View Girls Athletic Club, Boy and Girl Scouts, dramatics, china group, Fifth Baptist Athletic Club, First Baptist Girls Athletic Club, Ross Athletic Club, First Baptist Boys Athletic Club.

SOUTHEAST.

Hine Junior, Seventh and C streets southeast. Mrs. M. W. Davis, community secretary.

Monday evening: Friendship House, Interior, Congress Heights, Western Wildcats Athletic Club, Daughters of Scotia Drill Team.

Tuesday afternoon: Girl Scout Troop 11.

Wednesday evening: Kellys Athletic Club, Kellers, Marion Athletic Club, Foresters Drill Team, Southern Serenader Orchestra.

Friday evening: Dancing instruction for children and development exercises, dramatics for children, community dancing with music by Metropolitan Broadcasting Orchestra of nine pieces, Perry Athletic Club.

Saturday morning: Tap for children, piano instruction for children, instruction in art, including sketching and designing, Jolly Junior Club.

Saturday evening: Boys Club Night, including games and instruction in tumbling, boxing, basket ball, indoor baseball and other athletics. Sigma Mu Sigma Athletic Club.

BUCHANAN AUDITORIUM.

Thirteenth and D streets southeast. Mrs. M. W. Davis, community secretary.

Monday afternoon — Tap and rhythm instruction for children.

Wednesday evening — Pageant rehearsal by the Drama Club.

Thursday evening—"Living Pages From Washington's Diary," a pageant, followed by colonial costume dance. Prizes, in gold, will be given for the most attractive costumes. Music by Alice and Her Wonderland Boys.

THOMSON.

Twelfth and L streets. Mrs. A. C. Driscoll, community secretary.

Monday afternoon — 3:45 o'clock, Audubon Society bird class for children; 4:45 o'clock, bird study group for adults.

Monday evening—Midcity Citizens Association, Spanish for beginners and advanced groups, auction bridge instruction and practice, Chaminade Glee Club, dramatic rehearsal.

Tuesday afternoon—Rehearsal for children's Bicentennial program.

Tuesday evening—French instruction conversational method for beginners and advanced students, tap dancing instruction for beginners and advanced adults, contract bridge instruction and practice, Rendezvous Club program, registration for adult acrobatics.

Wednesday afternoon — Rehearsal for children's pageant, cello group.

Thursday afternoon—Rhythm for little children. This group open to new members.

Thursday evening — Gaelic study group, dramatic rehearsal, contract bridge instruction and practice, rehearsal for adult Bicentennial program.

Friday afternoon—Children's dancgroups instruction and practice for spring festival.

Friday evening — French study groups, Stamp Club, rehearsal for Bicentennial program, adult social dancing instruction and practice. Minuet and Virginia reel taught.

Saturday morning—Music groups for children in piano, violin, saxophone, drums, cornet and trombone. Children's Court of Macabees.

BIRNEY.

Nichols avenue and Howard street southeast. Mrs. M. E. Ellis, community secretary.

Monday afternoon—Piano group.

Tuesday evening—Boys' game group; industrial art group; junior art group; young peoples' quiet game group; Henson's Melody Orchestra; Wisteria Dramatic Club; Girls' Friendly Club; Choral Society; Anacostia A. C.

Wednesday afternoon—Girl reserves.

Thursday afternoon—Junior Needle Guild; piano group.

Friday afternoon—Girls' Glee Club; girls' game group; Red Cross Unit.

BURRVILLE.

Division avenue and Corcoran street northeast. Mrs. C. J. Knox, community secretary.

Monday afternoon—Music group; piano instruction; games.

Tuesday afternoon—Music; piano instruction; children's chorus and dancing; Billicans.

Tuesday evening—Burrville Orchestra; Women's Club and Dramatic Club; Jolly Glee Club; athletics; games; Boy Scout Troop No. 506; social hour; dancing.

Friday afternoon—Music group, piano instruction; children's chorus.

Friday evening—Sandwich Club; quilting bee; Dramatic Club; home nursing; conversational Spanish and French.

Saturday morning—Fife and Drum Corps.

DUNBAR.

First and N streets, Mrs. C. J. Knox, community secretary.

Thursday evening—League game, Anacostia vs. Dunbar; Southeast vs. Hilltop; Young People's Social Club; Music Lovers Club; swimming; Billicans; dancing group; piano instruction; organ practice; Manchester A. C.; game group; Tin Can Orchestra; Galbraith Church Girls A. C.

GARFIELD.

Twenty-fifth and Alabama avenue southeast, Mrs. C. J. Knox, community secretary.

Wednesday afternoon — Children's chorus; social group; games.

Wednesday evening — Garfield Women's Art Club; social dance; games; athletics.

GARNET-PATTERSON.

Tenth and U streets, Miss Etta Johnson, community secretary.

Monday evening—Braves, Arrow, Elks, Phelps, Cardozo A. C.

Tuesday evening—League games: Armstrong vs. Dunbar; Dunbar vs. Monroe; Cardozo vs. Pleasant Plains. Amphion Glee Club; art group; Hoffman's Music Association; teachers union; sorority meeting; home hygiene; dietetics; Simon Commandary drill.

Wednesday evening—Braves, Arrow, Elks, Phelphs, Cardozo A. C.; Cyrus Patrol.

Thursday evening — Recreation room; Ross' Sacred Band; Metropolitan chorus; piano; first aid; Columbia Temple drill; Health Unit; Pleasant Plains; Van Dykes A. C.

Friday evening — Hilltop; Club Royal A. C.; auxiliary drill; Morning Star and Forest Temple drill.

How to Keep Well

By DR. W. A. EVANS

MUCUS AND MUCOUS MEMBRANE.

A FRIEND wants some information about mucus and mucous membranes. There are others who yearn for information on that subject, and the writer is among them.

Mucus is the common name for the secretion produced by mucous membranes. It is a mixture of water, mineral salts, tissue cells and white blood cells, and, most important of all, mucin. The mixture makes a watery, slimy, semiliquid which some have called animal mucilage. It is the mucin that distinguishes it from other liquids.

Mucin is a chemical substance that is a protein, like the white of an egg, and still is not quite an albumin. As a near albumin it differs from the true albumins in that it is also part carbohydrate. A recent idea of its composition is had if we think of white of egg and sirup, as being mixed chemically, so that the product is part one and part the other. Physically, it is somewhat sticky, but at the same time it is slick.

A mucous membrane is one that contains mucous glands and cells, and which, therefore, secretes mucin and mucus. This kind of a membrane is called for in all body plans as a lining for passages and cavities along which there is to be much traffic. The walls of such highways must be kept moist and well greased and mucus is the material devised to suit the purpose. But for it the food, air and other substances passing along these highways would cause too much friction. Many people complain of dry mouth due to sleeping with a dropped jaw. If there were no mucus this complaint would be universal, perpetual, and continuous.

The goblet cells of the mucous glands pick up materials out of the fluids below them and fabricate these into mucus just as do the grease glands of the face. Periodically, this mucus is discharged from the mucous glands just as grease is discharged by the grease glands. All of which means there is nothing wrong about the formation of the product, that it serves a useful purpose, and deserves little of the bad reputation that it has.

Of course, mucous membranes can become diseased and their secretion can become abnormal. The secretion that has done more than its share to bring what is called mucus into disrepute is that which flows from an infected nose. It contains some mucus, it is true, but the larger par of it is pus, and it should be called pus, or a purulent fluid, or, at most, a muco-purulent fluid.

Like any other pus, this muco-purulent fluid from the nose is important because of what it indicated rather than because of its ingredients. Such a discharge from the nose indicates that there is an infection, either of a sinus or of the upper part of the nose. The discharge as such does no harm so long as it can drain. This holds true whether it is swallowed or is otherwise disposed of.

The principal scientific interest lies in this unusual chemical mixing of a protein and a carbohydrate. If scientists knew more about such combinations they might learn more about promoting them or limiting them.

HAVE PHYSICIANS DECIDE.

F. P. writes: "I am 25 years old and very nervous. It is impossible for me to do anything without my hands shaking. How can I remedy this? It has prevented my advancing myself in business.

REPLY.

Your handwriting indicates that norvousness is not your only trouble. Probably you have paralysis agitans. It may be Huntington's chorea, but you are young for either, especially the latter. Have your physician decide what your trouble is.

A COMMON COMPLAINT.

Z. E. P. writes: Please tell me something that will stop the intolerable itching of winter itch. Is this trouble common?

REPLY.

The complaint is a very common one. It gets much more general as the weather gets colder and the house air becomes hotter and drier. The best remedy is to go to a warm, moist climate. Living in a conservatory is a pretty good cure. Humidifying the air thoroughly is sometimes a satisfying substitute. Some are benefited by greasing the skin. There may be some advantage in greasing with one of the eczema remedies. Some apply cloths soaked in hot water and wrung.

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BOYS ENJOY HEALTH PROGRAM

Typical scene at the Southeast Community Center where boys' boxing exhibitions are part of the regular program.

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RESPONDING TO A FORCING TAKEOUT.

LESSON NO. 13.

ASSUME that you have made an opening bid of one in a suit and that your partner responds with a bid of two in another suit, when only one would be sufficient to overcall. You should recognize this immediately as a forcing takeout, which is a bid higher than necessary in another suit. It means that partner sees enough strength in his hand to make game with the minimum promised by your opening bid.

Suppose you hold this hand:

Spades	K 9 8 6
Hearts	8
Diamonds	9 8 7 6
Clubs	A K 10 7

You have just 2½ honor-tricks and a biddable club suit, so you open with a bid of one club. Player to your left passes. Partner responds with a bid of two hearts. One heart would be sufficient to take out your one club bid; the bid one higher than necessary in the heart takeout tells you it is a forcing takeout. Game is in sight, and neither you nor your partner can let the bidding die until game has been bid at some declaration.

You may interpret your partner's bid somewhat after this fashion:

"Partner has at least three honor-tricks, since he is counting on me only for the minimum of 2½ to make a total of at least 5½ honor-tricks in our combined hands. Or, to put it another way, partner is counting on me for about four playing-tricks, and, since he sees about six playing-tricks in his own hand at some declaration, he is safe in forcing me to keep bidding until game is reached. What partner is really after is more information about my hand—he'd like to know if I have another biddable suit, first of all. I haven't. The next possibility is a rebid of clubs—but I have only four playing tricks, the minimum announced by my opening bid. Can I support hearts? No, for I have only one—far from being adequate trump support. My hand is a minimum as far as I can see, so I must respond with a negative indication showing lack of any additional strength, and I bid two notrump."

Even if the bidding were to stop here, two notrump is probably a safe contract, for the combined holding of 5½ honor- tricks assured by partner's forcing takeout is almost certain to bring in a total of eight tricks. However, the bidding can not stop until game is reached, so you know partner will bid again.

Partner bids three spades—still short of game. He may or may not be willing to see the hand played at notrump, but his bid of three spades is perfectly safe and is a declaration of additional strength in his hand. You have told him you could not support hearts. He knows that your hand is a near minimum since you did not show another suit or rebid your club suit, but he is now asking you whether your hand contains adequate support for his spade suit, as a notrump declaration should not become the final contract until the possibilities of playing the hand at a suit bid have been exhausted. Since partner almost surely has only four spades, you can not raise him unless you hold at least three, including the Queen, or four low trumps.

Now you revalue your hand as support of spades and you find that you have 6½ playing-tricks. You can easily bid four spades since you have 2½ more than your promised four playing-tricks. You should not announce the possession of this optional raise by bidding five spades because your partner's forcing takeout does not guarantee more than three honor-tricks, and game should not be endangered for an unmakable slam. Partner will thus read your hand as one containing a minimum in honor strength, but adequate support, including probable distributional values to justify the expectation of game in spades. If this were not so, you would have bid three notrump.

Suppose partner holds this hand:

Spades	A Q 10 7
Hearts	A K 9 7 6 4
Diamonds	A
Clubs	6 2

Your partner now reconsiders his hand in the light of your declaration of minimum honor strength, but adequate support for his spade suit. He does not feel justified in bidding a slam, but with his 4½ honor-tricks, a long heart suit in which you are undoubtedly short, he does not feel that he endangers the prospect of making the contract by bidding five spades. This bid is both an invitation and a warning—an invitation to you to bid six spades, if your hand contains any values not previously shown and a warning not to do so unless you hold some added value. Inasmuch as you have four trumps to the King, a singleton in hearts and one-half playing-trick which you have not bid, you should therefore raise the five spade contract to six.

The student may find it good practice to test this bid in actual play. He should place the four hands on the table and see—even with all the cards in view—if he can make twelve tricks for North (who has to make a contract of six spades). South's was the opening hand given above. West holds:

Spades	4 2
Hearts	Q J 5
Diamonds	K Q 10 3 2
Clubs	Q 9 5

and East holds:

Spades	J 5 3
Hearts	10 3 2
Diamonds	J 5 4
Clubs	J 8 4 3

The play of this hand, with helpful comment, will be given in full in lesson 14 of this article.

In responding to forcing takeouts you should choose your course of action usually in this order: (1) Show another biddable suit if you have one; (2) Rebid your own trump suit if it is fairly strong and contains more than four cards; (3) Support the suit of partner's jump takeout if you hold adequate trump support, and raise once for each playing-trick you have over your original minimum of four; (4) If you can do none of the aforementioned, bid the required number of notrump to take out partner. You may raise the notrump once for each honor-trick you hold over 2½ if you have at least one stopper in each unbid suit.

TODAY'S POINTER.

In responding to a Forcing Takeout, the Opening Hand must be careful to give exact information to his partner in order that the proper eventual contract may be reached.

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS.

Keeping the Bidding Open.

Question: Dealer opened with two spades; second player passed. Dealer's partner declared two notrump, having a flat hand with four small spades. Third player passed, whereupon Dealer declared three spades. Next player passed, and Dealer's partner raised to four spades.

Dealer went down 1 trick and accused partner of having had no right to raise to four. His partner reasoned that he did so in compliance with your rule:

"Regardless of responses, both partners must automatically keep the bidding open until some game bid is reached."

I should appreciate very much if you would let me know who of the two partners you consider was right. Was the above rule made with the idea that it would work in the majority of cases and that the above stated belongs to the majority? Or should Dealer's partner have had enough judgment to stop at three spades?

Answer: After an Opening two-bid the bidding must be kept open automatically until game is reached and it is merely a question of selecting the best declaration. Holding 5½ honor-tricks or more in one or both hands justifies the assumption that game can be made in the declaration best suited to the combined hands. This expectation materializes in a vast majority of cases.

Ownership of a Trick Gathered by Wrong Side—When Claim by Rightful Owner Must Be Made. Law 35 (d).

Question: Contract, South Declarer. Contract four hearts. To the second lead of clubs, Declarer played a spade, at the moment thinking spades were trump, and gathered the trick, although the trick was actually won by the adversaries. After 3 tricks had been played, one of the adversaries said to Declarer, "You played a spade on the second club trick." South made five-odd, including the club trick, "trumped" with a spade. While attention was called to Declarer's error before the recording of the score for the current hand, neither side knew whether Declarer was entitled to the extra trick. What is the ruling?

Answer: While the adversaries did not directly claim the trick gathered in error by Declarer, under the facts stated, Declarer was not entitled to the trick. Both sides seem to desire a ruling. Law 35 (d), in part as follows, governs the case.

"All tricks gathered by a side should be kept together and so arranged that the number thereof may be observed and the identity of each trick readily established. A trick gathered by the wrong side may be claimed by the rightful owners at any time prior to recording the score for the current hand."

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This is the thirteenth of a series of articles, in response to requests from numerous readers, designed to explain the elementary principles of Contract Bridge. One of these will appear each week. In them Mr. Culbertson will write especially for the benefit of those who have never played Contract and who may even be unfamiliar with the methods of playing it. The articles will cover the game from its basic elements to the higher phases of Contract Bridge. The series in its entirety will comprise a complete course of instruction in "How to Play Contract."

PARENT-TEACHER NOTES

All material for this column must be in the State office, Room 501, 1201 Sixteenth street northwest, by the first mail on Wednesday preceding Sunday on which publication is desired.

A conference of presidents of local associations with Mrs. Wallace E. Perry, State ways and means chairman, was held Friday in the Franklin School, at which time plans were discussed for the woman's minstrel show, which will be given at a date to be announced later. The minstrel show was authorized by the State board of managers at its last meeting.

Members of the District of Columbia Congress of Parents and Teachers are invited to attend a benefit concert sponsored by the Federation of Parent-Teacher Associations, to be given in the Masonic Auditorium Thursday at 8:30 p. m. The concert will be given by a group of Negro artists, and is for the benefit of the underprivileged children in Divisions 10 and 13.

The Home Service Department would like to remind parent-teacher members of the Lenten lecture course on the Old Testament each Friday at 10 a. m. at the Columbia Bible Training School, Seventeenth and H streets northwest.

The child guidance committee will meet in the N. E. A. Building Wednesday at 2 p. m. Dr. Sinclair Bowen, chairman of spiritual training, will speak on "Sex Information Necessary for Adolescent Children."

Mrs. S. S. Kirby, State chairman of study groups, is arranging, in cooperation with Miss Alice Sowers, associate national chairman of parent education, for a conference on parental study on a date in March to be announced later.

POWELL JUNIOR.

The association at its last meeting went no record as disapproving the smoking of cigarettes by pupils of junior high schools.

A card party for the benefit of the association will be held on the afternoon of March 17 in the cafeteria of the school. Mrs. Paul White, chairman of ways and means, will have charge of arrangements. Home-made cakes, &c., will be sold during and after the party, and tea will be served the guests.

McKINLEY.

The executive committee of the McKinley High School Association will meet in Mr. Daniel's office at 4 o'clock Tuesday.

BLAKE-GALES-SEATON.

The Founders' Day meeting of the association was held February 18, at the Seaton School. A short business meeting was held, with Mrs. Charles MacGill, the new president, presiding.

Mrs. J. N. Saunders, State president, was the speaker. Mrs. Hawxhurst, teacher at the Seaton School, read the history of this association. The program was as follows: Songs by the glee club of the Gales School; play by the pupils in the sixth grade, Gales School; violin and piano solos by the Misses Compton, and a piano solo by Dorothy Bitting.

TENLEY-JANNEY.

A meeting of the executive board was held at the home of the president, Mrs. Horace Drury, on Tuesday evening.

The regular monthly meeting will be held at 3 p. m. Tuesday.

Several of the mothers will lead a general discussion, the subject to cover various ways in which children spend their leisure at home; how they instruct and amuse themselves, and other allied topics.

Mrs. Gassman will be present and take charge of small children. The last meeting of the study group of the Tenley-Janney Parent-Teacher Association met at the home of Mrs. William Hoover in Bethesda. The subject, "Does Your Child Know How to Budget Time?" was led by Mrs. Rouse.

The next meeting will be February 29 at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Percy Willis, 3903 Alton place northwest. Mrs. Parks will lead the discussion on the subject, "Are We Preparing for Adolescence?"

BANCROFT.

The regular meeting of the executive board of the Bancroft Parent-Teacher Association was held on Tuesday, February 23. The next meeting of the association will be held on Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. At this meeting the children will sing, recite and dance the minuet.

The next preschool lecture will be given on Thursday at 8 p. m. Dr. Loren B. Johnson will speak on "Your Child and Other Children."

The school was represented at the Juvenile Court the past week by the following ladies: Tuesday, Mrs. Davison; Wednesday, Mrs. Hudson; Thursday, Mrs. Mangene, and Friday, Mrs. Bransdorf.

PETWORTH.

The association will meet Tuesday. Dr. Aaron Volkman, Jewish rabbi, will deliver the invocation. Miss Bertie Backus, principal, Deal Junior High School, will speak on "Character Building."

A musical program will be given by a group of school mothers.

BUCHANAN.

An entertainment for the benefit of the Buchanan Parent-Teacher Association was held on February 19 in the school auditorium. The program was furnished by the pupils and parents of the school. An introductory poem about the Parent-Teacher Association was recited by Florence Kudolla, after which Carol Wright sang a song about the Buchanan.

Elva and Lorraine Dyer played a piano duet and Rubin Poole a drum solo. Several old-fashioned dances were given by the pupils of Miss Newell and Miss Maloy, under the direction of Miss Kemball, physical training director. Lieut. Richard Mansfield entertained with a chalk talk that delighted his audience. A short play, "Mother Steps Out," was presented by a group of the parents of the association.

EDMONDS-MAURY.

The Edmonds-Maury Parent-Teacher Association gave a Washington's birthday party to the 46 patrol boys of the two schools at Maury School. Officer Wheeler, Mrs. C. P. Clark, president of the association; Mrs. Cornell, principal; Mrs. C. C. Mullady, vice president; Mrs. Flournoy, Miss Kirby and Miss Boroh, teachers, were present.

LUDLOW-MADISON-TAYLOR.

The above association met at the Ludlow School February 17. Pupils gave a recitation on the organization of the Parent-Teacher Association. Mrs. L. H. Magruder spoke on the importance of subscribing to the Child Welfare Magazine.

A free-will offering was taken at this birthday celebration for founders day. A large cake was cut and served in honor of the occasion.

A school luncheon was held Thursday. The next meeting will be held March 16, in the evening, at the Madison School.

WOODRIDGE.

"The Oracle Speaks," a presentation by the Woodridge association, was a part of its commemoration of the thirty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the Parent-Teacher movement, at which celebration Mrs. L. B. Castell, first vice president, District of Columbia Congress of Parents and Teachers, gave a talk on "The Parents' Part in the Education of a Child."

The Study Group, Mrs. M. C. Wilson, chairman, held its first meeting on Wednesday, when Mrs. Bertha Eldred spoke on "Training a Child in the Use of Money." On Wednesday Mrs. Henry Aller will give a talk on "Training a Child to Be Happy."

Mrs. George Clemmer, health chairman, in making a report, showed that there were now 206, or 54 2-3 per cent, gold star pupils.

Mrs. John M. Kane, membership chairman, reported 218 paid members. The association welcomes the return of Miss C. F. Barnard, principal of the Woodridge School, who has been absent for a number of weeks due to a serious automobile accident.

Mrs. D. H. Pratt, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. R. C. Long, music chairman, entertained with appropriate vocal selections. For the second month in succession, Mrs. M. C. Bennett's 3 A-B grade won the award for having the largest percentage of parents present. The meeting was concluded with the serving of refreshments by Mrs. H. Evans, hospitality chairman, assisted by Grade Mothers.

BRYAN.

At the regular meeting of the Bryan Parent-Teacher Association, Mrs. Edward Kaiser, secretary, gave a financial statement of the luncheon, showing a profit of $101.12. Miss Crook, principal, thanked the mothers for their hard work during the luncheon and for their help in making it a success.

Miss Deiner, teacher, played the piano. Mrs. Davis read the report of the last meeting of the District of Columbia Congress of Parents and Teachers, especially calling attention of the association to the prize of $5 won by Bryan for the greatest increase in membership. Mrs. George Barse, president, likewise spoke on this item, and the money is to be used for some special thing for the school, and is not to mingle with the ordinary funds of the assiciation.

Miss E. Myer, teacher, read the message of Mrs. J. N. Saunders, State president. Miss Edelen, teacher, conducted the candle lighting ceremony, and the three candles were lighted by Mrs. Davis, Miss A. M. Crook, principal, and Mrs. Titlow.

Miss Helen Harper's Glee Club entertained the association, and its program was both interesting and instructive. The club gave a special Schubert program, giving a sketch of his life and then singing his songs.

Mr. Warner, principal of Hine Junior High School, talked to the association on "Why Children, Especially Boys, Leave Home."

BLAIR-HAYES.

The association celebrated Founders' Day at the meeting February 11. Mrs. Joseph N. Saunders, State president, addressed the meeting on the subject of "Cooperation of Home and School." Mrs. Louis B. Castell, first vice president, gave a short talk. The associations of the sixth division were well represented by their presidents and members. Mrs. L. H. Magruder, program chairman, presented a Founders' Day program. The candles on the birthday cake were lighted by Mrs. Sargent C. Elliott, president, and Mrs. Reed F. Martin, vice president.

POWELL.

With fitting ceremony seven little children of the kindergarten class have been presented with blue ribbons, being 100 per cent perfect physically. The executive board meets again on March 7.

KENILWORTH.

The Parent-Teacher meeting was held in the Kenilworth Church February 18. Mrs. Hubble, vice president, presided, due to the illness of Mrs E. Farr, president.

The third and fourth grades furnished entertainment. Mrs. John Petrie talked on "Religion in the Home." Several articles were read. Mrs. Hudson and Mrs. Farr were appointed for the summer round-up work.

On Thursday candy was sold for the benefit of the student aid fund. Later in the month the teachers will be entertained at a luncheon. The attendance prize of books was awarded Miss Allen's and Miss Lauxmann's rooms.

STUART.

Wednesday afternoon the executive board of the Stuart Junior High School held its regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Victor Gauzza, president, and the refreshment committee had arranged for a luncheon at 1:30. At the business meeting following, plans were made to entertain the school orchestra members. Mrs. Charles Dunn made a report on the Bingo party held last month at the Southern Dairies. The executive committee was pleased to learn that the party was a success.

Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock a luncheon was served at the school for the orchestra members. Mrs. Charles Dunn and her committee were in charge. Miss Marriman, Miss Getty, Mrs. Victor Gauzza, president of the Stuart Parent-Teacher Association; Mr. Jackson and the superintendent of the school, Prof. Swartz, were guests.

Friday evening a program, sponsored by the Stuart Association, under the leadership of Miss Bellar and Mrs. Berryman, teachers of the school, was given at the Receiving Home for Children. Others assisting in the program were Mrs. A. Grosskurth, Miss Getty, athletic instructor; Mrs. Charles Dunn, Mrs. A. Burgess, Mrs. A. Gant and Mrs. Victor Gauzza. Refreshments were served to the children.

BLOW-WEBB.

The monthly meeting of the Blow-Webb Parent-Teacher Association will be held in the Blow School on Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Elizabeth K. Peeples, director of Community Centers, will speak on "The Function of the Community Center in the Wise Use of Leisure."

The membership drive will start very shortly with the grade mothers assisting the chairman. The executive board met at the Webb School on Tuesday. Some important matters were discussed, which will be made known to the entire organization at the next regular meeting. The Webb School has purchased a mimeograph machine and will print its own school paper from now on.

The sixth grade at the Webb School is making a study of Canada, which has resulted in an individual project by each pupil to the class. Each person gives a talk on his particular topic and explains his project as he presents it. The projects are now on exhibition in the classroom.

The kindergarten children are afforded much dramatic play in the house they are building and furnishing. The house is large enough for the children to enter and is equipped with real electric lights.

WHEATLEY.

"Educational Aspects of Wise Use of Leisure" will be the subject of the talk by Mrs. Florence Rogers, supervising principal of the sixth division, at the Wheatley Parent-Teacher Association meeting Tuesday, at 8 p. m., in the school auditorium. Other interesting features are being planned for this occasion.

At the recent executive board meeting the following were elected to serve on the nominating committee: Mrs. W. Burnistone, Mrs. F. C. Mortimer, principal; Mrs. S George, Mrs. G. Starr, Mrs. M. Maynew and Mrs. Walter C. Jones.

Those who were appointed to serve the Juvenile Court on a recent date were Mesdames Nina Russell, vice president; L. Goldberg, chairman; R. Montgomery, S. George, H. Thomas and L. Kite.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Beavens were given a vote of thanks for their cooperation and also for furnishing the furniture for use in the Bicentennial activities at Wheatley.

Many delegates to the National Education Association convention of the department of superintendence enjoyed the Wheatley School educational exhibits, school-room displays and modern units of study. The Wheatley library and Parent-Teacher Association clubroom aroused much interest. The school garden was an outstanding attraction to these visitors, who commented most favorably on the value of pupils being trained in this activity as well as accomplishing a "beauty spot" of the community.

Two demonstration lessons were given at Wheatley for delegates from the elementary science department of the N. E. A., one being given by Miss S. Mellichampe, sixth grade teacher, and the other by Miss S. McIntosh, fifth grade teacher.

Mrs. Alice Brooks' sixth grade is still the winner of the "first honors Wheatley cooperation" banner.

Miss Florence Mortimer, principal, urged parents not to allow children to attend evening meetings of the Parent-Teacher Association, stressing the value of early bed hours for school children.

TRUESDELL.

Miss Anna Halberg, of the Wilson Teachers' College, will speak on "Character" at the meeting of the Study Group on Wednesday at 1:30 p. m., in the school.

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with a metallic thread in it. This is made on fitted lines.

Mrs. Grace Lincoln Hall Brosseau had on at a dinner party a dress of rose crepe de chene embroidered in crystals.

Mrs. William H. King, wife of Senator King, of Utah, is wearing a dress of black silk, made with peplums on the hip and a drop shoulder neckline caught with varicolored flowers.

Mrs. Harry N. Cootes, wife of the commandant of Fort Myer, wore at a recent tea a dress of black velvet with a vestee of Irish lace. With this she wore a black fur coat with a high collar and a small black hat. At a dinner party Mrs. Cootes looked very smart in a dress of black lace made with a bertha effect.

Mrs. David Aiken Reed was seen on Connecticut avenue recently in a suit of brown cloth with a flared skirt and short belted jacket with a high collar and cuffs of beaver. With this she wore a small brown hat. Mrs. Reed chose for a dinner party a dress of gold mesh with an intricate design of gold in it. This was made with low placed flounces on the skirt and a draped neckline. With this Mrs. Reed wore a gold brocade wrap with a fur collar.

Emerald Green Velvet.

Mrs. Charles P. Kindleberger, wife of Rear Admiral Kindleberger, had on at a dinner a dress of emerald green velvet, made on fitted lines with a slight train. The bodice is studded with crystals.

Mrs. George Barnett is wearing an evening dress of black lace and chiffon, with a draped bodice and a full long skirt. She wears a tulle scarf with this.

Mrs. T. Wilmer Biddle, who has been the guest of Mrs. Barnett, wore one evening a gown of black velvet with crystal straps over the shoulders.

Mrs. Irving H. Chase wore at a dinner one evening a dress of white silk made on modish lines. Mrs. Chase is also wearing a handsome black afternoon gown faced in white.

Mrs. Ridley McLean had on at a dinner a dress of blue velvet, made on princess lines with the bodice heavily encrusted with pearls and blue beads which formed the shoulder straps.

Miss Louise Brooks, who came to Washington recently for a dinner dance, wore a becoming dress of white silk, made with a very wide skirt extended by hoop and with a fitted bodice with a row of prim blue velvet bows down the front.

Mrs. Frank H. Clark, wife of Rear Admiral Clark, wore at a tea a dress of midnight blue velvet with sleeves of blue lace. With this she wore a blue hat. One evening Mrs. Clark wore a dress of orchid velvet with the bodice embroidered in pearls.

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Interesting News and Notes of Washington War Veterans' Activities

UNITED SPANISH VETERANS.

MEETINGS THIS WEEK.

CAMPS.

Thursday, Richard J. Harden, Pythian Temple.

AUXILIARIES.

Monday, Miles Drum and Bugle Corps, Armory, Central High School.

Tuesday, Col. John Jacob Astor, 921 Pennsylvania avenue southeast.

Richard J. Harden Camp.

Owing to illness of Commander Binkley, Senior Vice Commander William O. Ohm presided at the regular meeting held on the 18th. The application of Frank W. Shelve, Troop B, First Cavalry, was received and he was formally mustered in. L. M. Hardie, a former member, was reinstated. Past Department Commander Samuel G. Mawson addressed a letter to the camp expressing appreciation for the honor in designating the meeting of February 4, "Mawson Night."

Comrade Harry S. Hegy spoke of the good work being done for veterans by the Veterans Shelter Home, 2626 Pennsylvania avenue, and on motion the camp appropriated $10 as a donation to the home. Department Commander Samuel J. McWilliams addressed the meeting.

Gen. M. Emmett Urell Camp.

The department commander and staff made an official visit to the camp February 17. Commander William J. Jenkins welcomed the officers. A donation of $10 was voted to be turned over to the Veteran Shelter Home.

Commander in Chief's Banquet.

Past Department Commander Jere A. Costello, chairman of the banquet committee, to be given on Saturday at the Mayflower Hotel in honor of Commander in Chief George R. Lunn, requests that all who expect to attend make their reservations at the earliest possible date so that the committee may know the number to prepare for. This affair promises to exceed similar ones given in the past and from present indications a banner crowd will be present. The number of senators and representatives in Congress who will be in attendance is far in excess of former years. The main ballroom at the Mayflower has been reserved for the occasion.

Military Order of the Serpent.

On March 7, in Pythian Temple, a grand "crawl" will be given under the auspices of the lair of this department, at which time it is expected more than 100 new companions will be added to the present membership. All comrades who desire to affiliate and to be formally initiated should report at that time at 7:15 p. m. and present themselves to the officers of the local lair. An elaborate program has been prepared and following the initiation a buffet luncheon will be served.

Miles Drum and Bugle Corps.

The meetings of this corps being held in the armory at Central High School on Thursday evenings have been changed to Monday evenings.

Gen. M. Emmett Urell Auxiliary.

The regular meeting was held on February 17 at Pythian Temple, President Conklin presiding. It was decided to hold a card party on March 2 at 816 H street northeast. The playing of 500 and bridge will be in order. Several new members were added to the auxiliary roster and several new applications are on file and the candidates will be inducted at a future meeting. Following the meeting "bingo" was played in which the comrades of Urell Camp joined at the close that meeting.

Gen. Henry W. Lawton Auxiliary.

President Cordelia Pollard was the presiding officer at the semimonthly meeting held on Tuesday in Pythian Temple. A pilgrimage to Wakefield, Va., was decided upon, the date to be announced later.

Col. James S. Pettitt Auxiliary.

The regular meeting was dispensed with and in its place an entertainment and dance was held in its hall located in Naval Lodge Hall. Prior to the commencement of dancing several musical numbers were had and the dancing of a minuet was participated in by twelve members of the auxiliary.

Presidents' Club.

The members of the Presidents' Club met at the home of Past Department President Bertha R. Cook, who was assisted in entertaining by Past Presidents Annie Bertheaume and Maude Dudley. Several members were initiated, after which games were indulged in and prizes awarded. A Dutch supper was served. Officers for coming year were nominated and will be elected at a future date.

THE AMERICAN LEGION.

TUESDAY.

George Washington Post, 8 p. m., 1441 Rhode Island avenue.

Vincent B. Costello, 8 p. m., District Building.

Washington Police, 8 p. m., Odd Fellows Hall.

WEDNESDAY.

Sergeant Jasper, 8 p. m., 1326 Massachusetts avenue.

Victory Post.

Representative John E. Rankin, of Mississippi, chairman of the World War Veterans' committee in Congress, was the honor guest Tuesday evening. Representative Rankin delivered a very interesting address dealing with bills pending before his committee. He predicted passage of a bill introduced by him which would provide pensions for dependent parents, widows and children of deceased World War veterans in spite of influences which are working against its enactment.

James H. Hoeppel, commander of American Legion Post, Los Angeles, Calif., spoke on the political activities of legion leaders and their lack of interest in the rank and file of former service men. Hoeppel is the editor of a magazine having a Nation-wide circulation, and which deals exclusively in matters of interest to former service men. He commended the action in the passage of a resolution favoring it the sense of Victory Post that the time had arrived when a veteran of the World War should be given a place on the national tickets of both political parties.

Albertus N. Shroeder, welfare officer, reported that the collection of old clothes was proceeding, but that the supply was not equal to the demand. He again solicited every member of the post to donate their old clothing to the relief work being carried on by the department.

The membership committee approved the application of the following candidates for membership. These candidates were given the obligation by the Post Commander C. W. Browning: John L. Wright, P. H. Barnard, C. H. Gillfillian, John T. O'Brien.

Comrades Roscoe L. Oatley and Willemohos Lampiris were awarded the prizes donated by Commander Browning for paid-up membership. A committee will be appointed to contact members who have not yet obtained their 1932 membership cards, and every effort will be made to bring the records up to date.

Depue Post.

The Stanley Church Depue Post held its monthly meeting on Thursday, February 18, at the Colonial Hotel. The Bicentennial dance, given by the Stanley Church Depue Post, was held last night at the Kennedy-Warren Apartment Hotel, and was the culmination of several weeks of preparation by the post, and fully justified the untiring efforts of the entertainment committee, of which there were several subcommittees, all having heartily cooperated to make the affair a success.

The following were invited as guests of the occasion: Gen. Frank T. Hines, Veterans Bureau Administrator; Col. George E. Ijams, director, Veterans Bureau; also, George E. Brown, director of compensation, Maj. E. T. Hitch, regional manager of the bureau, and Maj. O. W. Clark. Others present were Capt. Elmer E. Crowley, president Emergency Fleet Corporation, and his assistant, Wilbur H. Bladen, as well as Commander Ferdinand G. Fraser, Department of American Legion, D. C.

Among the congressional guests invited were: Senator James J. Davis, of Pennsylvania; Senator Huey P. Long, of Louisiana; Senator Tasker L. Oddie, and Senator Morris Sheppard; Representatives A. E. Carter, Royal C. Johnson, Thomas S. McMillan, the Rev. L. C. Dyer, Hamilton Fish, Gordon Browning and F. H. LaGuardia. Also Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Depue, Mrs. Stanley Church Depue, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. H. Church, Mrs. Mabel Church, and the Rev. H. W. Tolson, Batallion Chief Thomas O'Connor and Chief Engineer George S. Watts, of the Fire Department; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sanders, and Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Miller, and Maj. Gen. Ben H. Fuller, commandant, U. S. Marine Corps.

Forty and Eight.

Mr. Francis F. Miller, Grand Chef de Gare of the Grand Voiture, District of Columbia Forty and Eight Society of the American Legion, announces that the Forty and Eight Society will participate actively in the coming intensive membership drive of the Department of the District of Columbia, which is to take place from March 15 to April 15. Grand Chef de Gare Miller has been issued department membership card No. 6000 which is the membership goal of the department for the year of 1932, and his society under his direction will conduct what is styled "Fill in the Gap" campaign to secure the number of members necessary to bring the department membership up to that point.

Each vayageur will be issued membership blanks with battle orders to get on the firing line and secure one or more new members for the legion during the period of the drive.

In addition to this the Forty and Eight department membership committee has been appointed to cooperate actively with the department membership committee headed by Past Commander James F. Kehoe, chairman. The voiture will stage a Forty and Eight department membership night on one of the local broadcasting stations.

McGroarty Post.

Stephen P. McGroarty Post met February 19 at the home of Mrs. Eva T. McGroarty at Falls Church, Va. The post joined with the unit in refreshments and other features, in celebration of the unit's second birthday. The post voted to assist the unit in securing colors, in recognition of the help given the post in securing its colors. Mrs. McGroarty, after whose son the post and unit are named, was assisted in entertaining by her daughter, Miss M. Evangeline McGroarty, and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Thelander. The latter signified her intention of becoming a member of the unit.

Among the post visitors were Comrades Joseph H. Mims and Max Levy, of Victory Post, and Elmer Fletcher, a prospective member. Plans were made to have the post and unit segure space in the Sears-Roebuck Art Galleries for future meetings.

Auxiliary.

The Department of the American Legion Auxiliary of the District of Columbia held its monthly meeting at the Sears-Roebuck Art Gallery on February 18. Mrs. Mims reported her attendance as national executive committeewoman at the national executive committee meeting in Indianapolis in January.

Mrs. Egbert E. Corwin, second vice president of the department, offered a trophy, a silver vase, to the department, to be awarded to the unit having the most outstanding record of accomplishments during the year. The department voted to plant a tree in commemoration of George Washington. Miss Edna McIntosh, finance chairman, announced a card party to be given by the department at the Washington Hotel on April 2.

The department was represented in the special programs at Immaculate Conception Church, Mount Vernon and the Washington Monument on February 22 in honor of George Washington. The department president attended these ceremonies assisted by her vice presidents and color bearers. Wreaths in the name of the department were placed on the Tomb of Washington at Mount Vernon by Mrs. Edythe O'Connor, first vice president, and at the Washington Monument by Mrs. Ada V. Murray, third vice president. The auxiliary units, through presentation of auxiliary colors, participated in all ceremonies.

After presentation of the appeals of the four members of the Victory Unit expelled from that unit recently because of conduct prejudicial to the best interests of the organization, and the proper consideration of all the facts presented, the department voted unanimously to uphold the action taken by the Victory Unit.

George Washington Post.

In accordance with an annual custom, the members of George Washington Post participated in a pilgrimage to the Tomb of Washington, at Mount Vernon, where Post Commander John Thomas Taylor, in the presence of a large gathering of District Legionnaires, placed a wreath in the name of the post on the tomb of the distinguished warrior and statesman.

At the conclusion of the event the Legionnaires returned to Alexandria, where they participated in the big parade. Commander Taylor placed a wreath at the base of the Washington Monument.

Members of the post in the morning attended the military mass at the Church of the Immaculate Conception.

Commander John Thomas Taylor, who is also vice chairman of the national legislative committee of the American Legion, in discussing matters before Congress affecting veterans says that hearing will be held shortly before the subcommittee on insurance of the House on measures to extend the period in which the Government 5-year term insurance policies may remain in force. Under the present law such policies must be converted prior to July 2, next.

In connection with the Rankin bill to pension widows and orphans of veterans of the World War, Commander Taylor said that the House rules committee is expected to take action at an early date. If the action is favorable, the House will have the opportunity of an early vote on this important measure, whereas if it is unfavorable, a delay will be the inevitable result. If the House rules committee should take unfavorable action upon the measure, a House vote on it is assured, for Chairman Rankin has announced that in this eventuality that he will file a petition with the clerk to obtain 145 signatures necessary to provide a House vote upon the bill. At the recent hearing by the House rules committeee a request was made by the chairman of the House committee on World War veterans' legislation to report a rule authorizing the House to consider the Rankin bill. All of the speakers favored the bill, and no one spoke against it.

The next event of interest to members of George Washington Post is the thirteenth aniversary of the post, which will be celebrated with pomp and ceremony on March 7 next. Arrangements are now being made for the big affair and Commander Taylor will announce some of the details at an early date.

U. S. S. Jacob Jones Post.

The commander and a large following from the post attended the military mass on February 22 at the Church of the Immaculate Conception and from the church went direct to the Tomb of Washington, where an impressive ceremony was conducted by the department commander, Fred Fraser, and commander of George Washington Post, Col. John Thomas Taylor. Wreaths were placed inside the tomb, taps was sounded. The posts then disbanded, our comrades to meet at Penn-Dar Hotel on the Washington-Richmond highway, where a prearranged luncheon was served to them. All of these comrades arrived in Alexandria in time to "fall in line" with the parade. Attired in their new legion uniforms and such a large delegation, led by our commander Mary Tatapaugh, the post received much favorable recognition as the line of march proceeded through the vast throngs on both sides of the streets.

Comrade Eloise Broaddus was the official representative of the post at the ball at Gadby's Tavern.

The post, through the commander, has received an invitation to participate in the unveiling of a memorial to the World War veterans of the Department of Agriculture. This service will take place on February 29 at 3 o'clock in the Agricultural grounds.

Sergeant Jasper Unit.

Sergeant Jasper Unit was designated to attend three celebrations on February 22. Mrs. Edythe O'Connor, past president of the unit and first vice president of the American Legion Auxiliary, Department of the District of Columbia, placed the department's poppy wreath on the tomb of George Washington at Mount Vernon, at the request of Mrs. Sue Mims, department president, as a part of the Legion's and Auxiliary's exercise to honor the Father of His Country.

The Unit's colors were carried at the military mass held at Immaculate Conception Church, by two new members, Mrs. McGinty and Mrs. McMeel, in the unavoidable absence of our regular color-bearers.

In the afternoon, Mrs. Lillian Botkin and Mrs. Louise Warren carried the colors for the Unit at the exercises held at the Washington Monument, when Mrs. Ada Murray placed the department's wreath at the base of the monument as a part of the Auxiliary's celebration of George Washington's Birthday.

The Unit held a successful benefit card party last Thursday, and was honored by the presence of Fred Fraser, commander of the Department of the District of Columbia, and Edward L. Marthill, commander of Sergeant Jasper Post.

On Tuesday evening Mrs. Anna Spitzer entertained the unit at her home for the regular monthly social evening, Mrs. Winifred Weston, first vice president, being the guest of honor.

Salon No. 14.

Salon, No. 14, des Huit Chapeaux et Quarante Femmes, met at the Washington Hotel, February 17, at the meeting of the pouvoir, at which time preliminary rules for the annual marche were discussed. Partner Pauline B. Paro, by vote of the pouvoir, was appointed la secretaire of the salon. Le Chapeau Willette Preston presided at the business meeting and called for reports from all chairmen of committees.

A very entertaining program had been arranged by Partner Eckles, chairman of the Bicentennial committee, and Partner Lyons, chairman of the music committee, assisted by their committee members. Partner Lyons delighted the salon with a group of songs of the time of George Washington. Appropriate favors were distributed to the partners present. Two new partners were welcomed, Miss Clara Humphries, president of Sergt. Jasper Unit, and Mrs. Dorothy Lodge. Cheerio Chairman Boberg announced a program would be presented by the salon for the patients at Mount Alto Hospital on March 21—details later. Partner Marie Leubkert was appointed chairman of the entertainment committee.

As part of its Bicentennial program for the year Salon Departemental, No. 14, voted to plant an American elm tree on the grounds of the Episcopal Home for Children, Partner Eckles and her committee to be in charge of the plant. Details for the dedication will be announced later.

Announcement was made by Chapeau Preston that Partner Dorothy B. Harper had been appointed national chairman of music of the 8 et 40, the appointment having been made by the national chapeau, Mrs. Murphy.

On February 22 a floral wreath was placed at the Washington Monument by Le Chapeau Preston and Memorials Chairman Louise White as a tribute from the salon. The social meeting will be held at Partner Ada Murray's, Chastleton Apartments, on Wednesday.

Bunker Hill Post.

Bunker Hill Post met in the Immaculate Conception Hall on the evening of Friday, February 19. The meeting was brief but productive in its transaction affecting the suburban Northeast communities it serves, as well as matters vital to the District in general.

The more important resolutions adopted included one requesting that Congress permanently assign the old Pension Office Building at Fifth and G streets to the National Guard and all patriotic organizations as a combined armory and general headquarters for their use.

The post is considering the sponsoring of a junior baseball team, through its special committee appointed for that purpose and a report of its recommendations is expected at the next meeting.

Following the meeting a buffet supper was served. During and after the course, songs of today and yesterday were sung by those present to the accompaniment of Abernathy's String Band.

Stuart Walcott Post.

The monthly meeting of the Stuart Walcott Post was held on Wednesday night at the Garden House of the Dodge Hotel. Eight applications for membership were submitted and accepted, and the following named new members were inducted: Comrades James C. McCormick, Gale Feaster, Regin H. Darby, Benjamin Aaronsohn.

The commander presented Comrade Robert M. Tolson, assistant to the chairman of the national rehabilitation committee, who gave an enlightening and impressive talk on the service rendered to former service men by that committee. The subject was a most interesting one and reflected the profound study given to problems affecting former service men and their dependents and the application of remedial measures for their welfare. Comrade Samuel responded to Comrade Tolson's remarks in an appropriate manner by stating his personal experience with the rehabilitation committee.

Comrade Charles Curtiss spoke on the national commander's employment plan, and outlined the successful results of a similar plan already in effect in various sections of the country. Arrangements are now being made by the District of Columbia Department to put the national commander's plan into effect here. Upon motion of Comrade John L. Julius, the meeting voted for the preparation of a list of matters to be considered by the post in the future, each subject to be assigned a definite time for discussion and action. All suggestions along this line should be addressed to Adjt. Henry F. Fones, 411 D street northeast.

The post intends to elaborate its form of initiation of new members. Details for this are now being formulated by a special committee.

The athletic officer of the post, Comrade D. B. Guynn, stated that the baseball team being sponsored by the post is now organized and that practice work has commenced.

Vincent B. Costello Unit.

Presenting colors at the military mass at Immaculate Conception Church, participation in impressive service at the Tomb of George Washington at Mount Vernon, and placing a wreath at the Washington Monument were the high places hit by the Vicent B. Costello Unit to help make last Monday one of the most colorful in all history.

The colors of the unit were carried by Mrs. Nina Browers and Miss Nicie Perrell. Mrs. Ada Murray, past president of the unit, and junior vice president of the department, placed the wreath in the name of the department of the District of Columbia Auxiliary at Washington Monument.

Among the members of the unit who attended these services were Mrs. Gregory Cipriani, wife of the commander of Vincent B. Costello Post, No. 15; Mrs. Julia Walker, Gold Star Mother, and Mrs. Curtis Jackson.

The unit plans an intensive drive for members under the direction and guidance of the unit president, Mrs. Viola Costello. The regular business meeting will be held at 1106 Connecticut avenue northwest, at 8 p. m., Tuesday.

Buerau of Engraving and Printing.

The Bureau of Engraving and Printing Post will hold its next meeting tomorrow night in Red Men's Hall at 8 o'clock. After the meeting the members and their friends will hold a "Leap Year" dance to be followed by refreshments. This will be the first meeting of the post since early in January, so the accumulation of matters to be disposed of will necessitate a prompt call to order.

The post was represented at all of the official department exercises that took place in the District on last Monday, February 22, the 200th anniversary of the birth of George Washington.

The Bureau Post, under the direction of Mrs. Annie S. Humphreys, department child welfare officer, placed an exhibit in the Area B Child Welfare Conference held in Trenton, N. J., on February 19 and 20. The display consisted of a copy of the report of the chairman of the 1931 Christmas party committee, together with several pictures of the Christmas platform, the children and the guests.

National Capital Auxiliary.

The Ladies Auxiliary to National Capital Post met Tuesday with President LaScola presiding. Mrs. Genevieve Thompson was given the obligation after which a social was held.

The auxiliary was among the many patriotic organizations participating in the Bicentennial parade held in Alexandria.

The regular visit to Mount Alto Hospital was made on Thursday under the chairmanship of Dorothy Depo. Bingo was played and prizes awarded.

Sergeant Jasper Post.

Included among the members of Sergeant Jasper Post, who participated in the Bicentennial parade held in Alexandria, Va., on Washington's Birthday were: Department Commander Ferdinand G. Fraser, Post Commander William A. Kehoe, Senior Vice Commander Lieutenant Paul H. McMurray, Frederick F. Money and Max Rosedale.

The post was also represented at the card party held by the Sergeant Jasper Unit of the Auxiliary at Recreation Hall, Southern Dairies, on Thursday evening. Among the members of the post present were Commander Edward L. Marthill, Second Vice Commander William H. Kershner, Joseph J. Malloy, finance officer, and Past Commanders Kehoe and Orlosky.

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS.

MEETINGS THIS WEEK.

Monday, Post No. 2400, Pythian Temple.

Wednesday, Police and Fire Post, Metropolitan Hotel.

Wednesday, Defense Post, 2030 Rhode Island avenue.

Wednesday, E. W. R. Auxiliary, Soldiers, Sailors and Marines Club.

Thursday, Equality-Walter Reed Post, Pythian Temple.

Front Line Post.

Front Line Post held its "smoker" at the Coast Artillery Armory on Friday night. There was a mammoth attendance, and the program was one of the best ever put on by any V. F. W. Post of the D. C. department. Past post and department commanders were honored guests; and the recruiting committee members secured many applications for membership from among the eligible visiting veterans.

Increased enthusiasm is noted among the post's bowling "stars," and match games will be scheduled with teams representing Advance, and Washington and Police Posts. A strong detachment of Front Line Post marchers participated in the George Washington Bicentennial parade at Alexandria, Va.

Police and Fire Auxiliary.

The auxiliary held a meeting on Tuesday, at the Metropolitan Hotel, when it was decided to close the charter-register on March 1. The membership now musters more than 40, and there is confident expectation that at least 50 recruits will be enrolled before the end of the month.

Advance Post.

Advance Post members turned out in large numbers at Alexandria, Va., and presented a fine marching alignment. The post's colors made their initial public appearance and were carried against a stiff fluttering breeze by Comrades Perry and Carleton. Comrades Burch and Jacobs, shouldering service rifles, made up the color guard detail. The "Buddy" Poppy committee consists of Chairman Schnebelen, Comrades Steve Jones, and Rafferty, and its membership will be enlarged in order to insure a greater measure of sales success in the coming drive.

TNT Pup Tent.

The victims to fall into the hands of the Cootie scouts recently appear to be ones who will be most succulent to the Shirt Reader's (John L. King) whetting appetite, who is now giving out new instructious to his delousing crew. Among the nits who are being carefully incubated are: Commander Herbert Borchardt, commander of Advance Post, and Maj. Bryson, chaplain of Front Line Post. Owen E. Ryan has also been voted into the folds of TNT Pup Tent as a member. Several others will be added to the melting pot within the remaining days of February and all be parboiled by the first of March to backstep into cootiedom. After passing through the prescribed dilemma, another group of V. F. W. men will have learned the meaning of "Busier Than a Bee—Closer Than a Brother."

Besides the usual initiations, luncheons and games, the Cooties are planning a big Cootie dance in the near future. Several unique features to be exhibited at this frolic are being rehearsed by Insignificant Seam Squirrel M. F. Daly, with the cooperation of Shirt Reader King and "live wire" committee. The date of the frolic will be announced later. All V. F. W. members and their friends will be invited to attend the novel program. The degree team is organizing a large crew for the purpose of initiating a new pup tent in Winston-Salem, N. C., which will take place before many weeks have elapsed.

DISABLED VETERANS.

MEETINGS THIS WEEK.

TUESDAY.

W. W. Atterbury Chapter at 1015 L street northwest.

THURSDAY.

Ace-Rasmuson Chapter at 1015 L street northwest.

National Capitol Chapter at 921 Pennsylvania avenue southeast.

Col. Charles Young Chapter at 1824 T street northwest.

FRIDAY.

Rea Chapter, 1015 L street northwest.

Rea Auxiliary, 1015 L street northwest.

SATURDAY.

1:30 p. m., Job Committee.

Four new members attended the Wednesday, February 24, meeting of the department executive committee, namely James Kehoe, Carl Beauchert and Mrs. Logan Purcell, of Rea Chapter, and John L. Smith, of Atterbury Chapter.

Assistant Director of the Community Chest William J. Plunkert conferred with the committee on the budget relative to the relief work. The D. A. V. director of relief, George W. Phillips, explained the problems he was facing and how the plan of the committee was taknig care of the added load.

H. A. Purvis, D. S. C., was elected D. A. V. representative on the board of directors of the G. A. R. Memorial Day Corporation.

The invitation of the Military Order of the World War to participate in the Army Day parade April 6 was accepted. The invitation of Marie Moore Forest, director of parades and pageants, of the George Washington Bicentennial Commission, to participate in the Flag Day celebration June 14 was also accepted. Department Senior Vice Commander Logan Purcell, who is chairman of the committee on parades, said hereafter any one participating in parades would be expected to wear a D. A. V. overseas cap.

Rea Chapter reports 200 members since July 1, 1931, and total number of members in good standing 294. The applications of 11 new members are Paul H. Curran, Mary Yates, Charles L. Prime, Buena V. Pagan, Charles N. Cooper, Everett Umbaugh, Labin Perdin, George Valaris, Howard Jamison, Zaidie Austin, and Robert F. Maudlin. Hereafter the second monthly meeting will be devoted to social activities.

A card party will be held at the Hotel Hamilton, Wednesday March 2. This auxiliary is now actively supporting the chapter in its effort to assist the disabled veterans in the three service hospitals who are in need of advice about the privileges extended them by law.

National Capitol Chapter will meet Thursday at 921 Pennsylvania avenue southeast at 8 p. m., to elect a commander and an adjutant-treasurer. These vacancies were caused by Comrades Lynch and Anderson moving out of the city.

Wheel of Progress

The Wheel of Progress will hold the regular monthly meeting of the organization in their headquarters at the Washington Hotel on Monday evening, February 29, at 8:15 o'clock.

As usual, an interesting speaker will be heard and several musical numbers and vocal solos will enliven the evening.

No other notice will be sent out and members are requested to remember the date and bring their friends.

COMMITTEE FOR BICENTENNIAL DANCE

Committee which arranged Bicentennial dance, Stanley Church Depue Post, American Legion, held last night at the Kennedy-Warren. Standing, left to right: Hal K. Hodgson, Charles H. Warner, Frank L. English, Thomas G. Carlin, Barnard E. Bee, Oliver F. Schmidt. Seated, left to right: Edwin L. Donaldson, Ray Zwinglas, Kenneth A. O'Connor, Dr. James A. O'Keeffe, Trevis C. Davis, Roy E. Dodson.

NEWS OF D. A. R. CHAPTERS

C. A. R.

The Junior Division of Capital Society, Children of the American Revolution, held its regular monthly meeting on Saturday afternoon, February 20, from 2 to 5:30, in the home of the president, Mrs. Henry Fenno Sawtelle, 6200 Connecticut avenue, Chevy Chase, Md., with Barbara Bullard and Sallie Steele as joint hostesses.

The junior president, Augusta Kauffman, presided during the business meeting, and the reports of all officers and chairmen of committees were accepted as read.

Miss Margaret Miller, chaplain, opened the meeting with prayer, and Mrs. Spofford accompanied the members in singing America. Elgin Scott made the presentation of the colors, Frank Skinner led the salute to the flag, and Margaret Miller recited "Our Flag of Liberty."

The meeting was called by Mrs. Sawtelle to avoid disappointment of Capital Society members at the omission of the usual entertainment and tea dance given to all C. A. R. societies in the Washington Club on afternoon of the 22d. The members have been kept so busy responding to the numerous requests for presentation of their minuet that it was voted to postpone their annual silver tea until a later date. In accord with the Bicentennial nature of the meeting, eight members in colonial costume danced the minuet, and several plays and pageants were selected to be presented by Capital Society at its monthly meetings. General dancing was enjoyed during the social hour that concludes all meetings of Capital Society, and delightful refreshments were served by the hostesses.

The president and a number of members from both the Junior and Senior Divisions of Capital Society attended the services under auspices of S. A. R. in Epiphany Church on Sunday, February 21, and both divisions of Capital Society was also represented by a special delegation of members and their president at the celebration by S. A. R., D. A. R. and C. A. R. on February 22 at the Washington Monument.

With Mrs. Spofford as pianist, Capital Society minuet was danced in the Parish Hall of Falls Church, Va., by Katharine Kingman, Hood Hoover, Barbara Bullard, Sallie Steele, Mildred Sherman, Jane Hullfish, Lovira Shedd and Harriet Hullfish at 9 o'clock on night of February 20, and on the same night at 10 o'clock the same group with the addition of Catharine Foster, Dallas Barr, Robert Mickey, Wilson Lansford and William Cox, jr., danced it as a special feature of the colonial ball of the Missouri Society in the Hall of Nations in the Washington Hotel.

At this meeting of the Missouri Society Mrs. Sawtelle was presented with the official medal of the Bicentennial Commission in recognition of the cooperation of Capital Society in the Bicentennial celebrations.

Matthew Trimble Sawtelle, Elizabeth Sawtelle, Dallas Barr, Elizabeth Barr, Wilson Lansford, Dorothy Post, William Cox, jr., and Catharine Foster, in colonial costume, were featured with colored spotlights in the presentation of their authentic minuet of colonial times at the colonial ball of the New England States Bicentennial celebration in the ballroom of the Willard on the night of February 22, and Mrs. Sawtelle is selecting groups from the Junior and Senior Divisions of Capital Society to present their minuet for Bicentennial celebrations of organizations meeting on February 23, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29 and March 1 and 10.

Janet Montgomery

The Janet Montgomery Chapter, D. A. R., held a patriotic meeting at the Battery Park Clubhouse on Tuesday evening, with Mrs. Edgar W. Moore, former regent, in the chair. The regent, Mrs. T. W. Owens, who was ill was unable to preside. The hostesses were Mrs. J. M. Barkley, chairman; Mrs. Evan Condon, Mrs. Paul Demarest and Miss Elizabeth Eaton.

The following delegates were elected to represent the chapter at the National Congress in April. The regent, Mrs. T. W. Owens, first delegate; Mrs. E. W. Moore, delegate. Alternates, Mrs. Evan Condon, Mrs. Harry K. Corrick, Miss Laura Gilliland, Mrs. Herbert Elder, Mrs. Lewis Jackson, Mrs. Annie T. Cunningham, Mrs. Lily Stone, Mrs. Henry L. Wells and Mrs. Sallie Bogue.

The delegates elected to attend the State D. A. R. conference to be held in Baltimore in March are: Mrs. T. W. Owens, Mrs. H. G. Robertson, Mrs. Lily C. Stone, Miss Laura Gilliland, Mrs. J. F. Barkley and Mrs. Sallie Bogue. The alternates: Mrs. J. H. Brown, Mrs. Edgar W. Moore, Mrs. Edwin F. Lines, Mrs. E. A. Farrell, Miss Eva Lewis and Miss Elizabeth Eaton.

Mrs. Harry K. Corrick was chosen as a member of the State credentials committee. Miss Elizabeth Eaton was chosen as one of the four pages from Maryland to attend the national conference. Two new members were reported—Mrs. Frank R. Holt, of Bethesda, and Miss Sarah Waters, of Washington. The benefit card party was held last evening at the Masonic Temple, Bethesda. Mrs. Paul Demarest, chairman, assisted by Miss Alda Flinn and Miss Elizabeth Eaton. Fifty dollars was pledged for the Sunshine Club. Mrs. Robertson was instructed to write letters indorsing letters in Congress which were supported by the national society.

A delightful program of music was given following the meeting. A duet, "The Flag Is Passing By," by Mrs. Demarest and Miss Eaton. Instrumental solo, "A Wayworn Traveler," composed in 1790, the piece Betty Washington always played when George Washington returned from a long trip. Mrs. Haig played two instrumental solos, the first of which was "My Days Have Been So Wonderfully Fine," composed in 1759, the first song ever written in America. This was followed by an interesting lecture on "Colonial History," by Mr. Clarence Phillips, with stereopticon views of a 1,000-mile trip through Virginia. Refreshments were served.

Manor House

Manor House Chapter, D. A. R., held its February meeting at the home of Mrs. Ed Russell, with Mrs. Jane Hooker, Mrs. William Hill and Miss Eunice Porter assisting hostesses. In the absence of the regent, Miss Lillian Chenoweth, the vice regent, Miss Mary Lee Goddard, presided and the exercises were opened with prayer and the salute to the flag, followed by reports of chapter officers. Mrs. Embry reported attending the Americanism and conservation and thrift committees, and told of the completed plans of the last named committee for the tree planting which will take place with appropriate exercises on Hains Point on April 15. Manor House Chapter has taken one of the trees. Mrs. Chenoweth, for Constitution Hall finance committee, reported $12.50 from the sale of tickets for the play and style show recently presented at Continental Hall. Mrs. Hassell, a member of the genealogical committee, requested certified or photostatic copies of old records for her committee, and several old wills were promised. Mrs. O'Neal spoke of the need of teachers for the Girl Homemakers. Other committee reports were made as follows: Immigrant's manual, Mrs. Walkley; national defense, Mrs. Garner; Sons and Daughters of the Republic, Mrs. Hassell; State historic, Mrs. Hill, and better films, Mrs. Mudd, who spoke of the George Washington film to be purchased. Mrs. O'Neal and Mrs. Mudd presented $16 to the chapter, which they had raised from the sale of aprons. The members were pleased to hear that arrangements had been made to have a picture of the colonial party, recently given by the chapter, in the April issue of the D. A. R. Magazine. The delegate, Miss Mamie Hawkins, gave an interesting account of the last executive meeting. Flowers were sent to Mrs. Eleanor Collins and Mrs. Robert Hardison, who were reported ill. The papers of Mrs. Smoak have been received by the chapter, and two new members, the Misses Clara and Mary Follin, were received into the chapter, pending the acceptance of their papers. It was announced that Miss Helen Montgomery had been appointed page by the president general for the coming continental congress. It was announced that the regent had been requested to furnish eight pages for the Wakefield Masque, and had appointed Helen Montgomery, Laura Hooff, Nell Embry, Laura O'Neal, Anna Porter, Annie Hassel, Mary Beall and Aldine Mudd. Plans for a trip to Wakefield in the early spring were discussed. At the conclusion of business the members were invited to the dining room, which was gay with a small cherry tree and other decorations suggestive of Washington's Birthday, and a social hour followed, when delicious refreshments were served. Every one present was presented with a small hatchet.

Mary Bartlett

The Mary Bartlett Chapter, D. A. R., held its regular meeting Friday evening, February 19, at the home of Mrs. Albert D. McNair, 3338 Military road. The regent, Mrs. Frederick W. Ashley, presided at a business meeting after which a program in honor of the Bicentennial was enjoyed by members and guests.

Abraham Lincoln's eulogy on George Washington was read by Miss Clara B. Hadley, an address on "Washington the Farmer," was given by Mr. Albert D. McNair, and Mr. Frederick W. Ashley, first assistant librarian of Congress, read an interesting paper entitled "George Washington in the Library of Congress."

Refreshments were served and a social period enjoyed.

State Historic

The February meeting of the State Historic Committee was held at the Willard Hotel with Miss Kathrina Harvey, State historian, presiding. Following the Lord's Prayer and the salute to the flag, Miss Harvey gave the following report.

The grave of Col. Stoddard, first Secretary of the Navy, had been repaired at the expense of a descendant, Senator Tasker L. Oddie.

Miss Harvey announced that she had presided at the placing of a marker on the grave of Dr Stephen Bloomer Balch, in Oak Hill Cemetery on February 2. The dedicatory exercises were simple, as the following program indicates: Prayer, Miss Helen Brown, State chaplain; salute to the flag, led by Mrs. William H. Wagner, State chairman of preservation of historic spots; address, Miss Helen Harmon, State regent; a tribute from Maryland, Mrs. David D. Caldwell, vice president general; a tribute from a descendant, Stanhope S. Williamson, vice president of the Sons of the American Revolution. The benediction was given by the Rev. Frank Sargent Niles, pastor of the Georgetown Presbyterian Church, which was founded by Dr. Balch.

Miss Harvey also announced that she had attended the placing of a marker on the grave of Mrs. George Smallwood by the members of Deborah Knapp Chapter.

Mrs. Grant Chase, chairman of literary reciprocity, reported that her committee, after working six months, had completed the work of classifying historical papers.

Mrs. Donald M. Earl, chairman of milestones, reported that all of the milestones had now been inspected, and referred to the last milestone visited, located at the National Training School for Boys at Bladensburg, Md., which was found in good condition.

Mrs. Z. Lewis Dalby, chairman of windows, reported that her committee, in conjunction with Woodward & Lothrop, was preparing for a window to be shown during the D. A. R. Congress, and much research work had been done to have it authentic.

Mrs. Bailey, of the Army and Navy Chapter, announced that she had visited the grave of Col. Stoddard since its restoration and had found the work very satisfactory. The marker of the grave to be given by the chapter has been ordered and will soon be placed with suitable exercises.

Mrs. Polkenhorn, of Our Flag Chapter, reported that the apron worn by Washington in the laying of the corer stone of the United States Capitol, depicted on the postcard issued by the State Historic Society, was made and presented to him by Mme. Lafayette.

The meeting adojurned until March 17.

Miss Janet Richards then gave one of her interesting tasks on "The Trip to Yorktown and the Famous Men I Met There," which included Marshal Petain, the ancestor of Gen. de Grasse, the ancestor of Cornwallis, and many others.

Sarah Franklin

Sarah Franklin Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, met Wednesday, February 17, at the home of Mrs. Carroll H. May, 418 North Washington street, Alexandria, Va., with Mrs. Milton Johnson joint hostess. The regent, Miss Belle Browning, presided.

After the opening prayer and salute to the flag, the officers' and committee reports were given.

A vote of thanks was given to Miss Abrams for her splendid report on notes from the State executive meeting held February 13.

Under conservation and thrift, Mrs. Mulcare reported that the committee recommended the planting of 25 trees right back of the cherry trees in honor of the Bicentennial.

This chapter received a note of thanks from Ellis Island on receipt of wool sent by the different members.

Sarah Franklin indorsed the name of Mrs. Nathaniel Beaneau as candidate for vice president general.

Miss Katherine L. Harvey, State historian, was present and gave the members an interesting talk on her work as a State officer. A pleasant social hour followed adjournment.

Ellis Island

The Ellis Island committee of the District of Columbia D. A. R. met at the Willard Hotel on Wednesday, February 24, at 10:30 o'clock. Mrs. T. H. Faris, State chairman, presided.

Miss Helen Harman, State regent of the District of Columbia D. A. R., addressed the meeting and introduced the guest speaker, the Hon. Harry E. Hull, commissioner general of immigration, Department of Labor.

News and Notes of Fraternal Organizations

Eastern Star

A leap year dance and card party will be given by Bethany Chapter, No. 24, Order of the Eastern Star, at the Raleigh Hotel tomorrow evening. A handsome prize will be awarded at each table, also a door prize. Endowment night was observed at the last meeting. Past Matron Louise Kreglow, general chairman of the grand chapter, gave an interesting talk on the endowment fund. Mrs. Sue Rubbard rendered a group of vocal selections, accompanied by Mrs. Mabel H. Test at the piano, and Mrs. Alice W. Newhard gave several readings. This entertainment was preceded by the conferring of degrees. The home beoard met at the Ambassador Hotel for luncheon on Monday. Past Matrons Roberta S. Fosse and Adele S. Leibert and Mrs. Edna L. Redman were hostesses. The endowment committee met at the home of Past Patron Lewis L. Cogan and Mrs. Cogan, Thursday. Mrs. Cora Icenhower and Mrs. Lucia Douan were assisting hostesses. The members of the Eastern Star Veterans Association of the District of Columbia will be entertained by the chapter at the meeting scheduled for March 4. The Bethany Social Boosters will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Martha Kauffman, 524 Somerset place northwest, the evening of March 10. The temple committee will meet at the home of the chairman, Past Matron Eva D. Court, 1723 Newton street northwest, Wednesday evening.

The Past Matrons and Past Patrons Association had dinner at the Dodge Hotel. The president, Mrs. Airena Hughes presided at the meeting that followed.

Miss Margaret Mills, Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Stone and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Eichner were initiated. Readings were given by Past Patron Walter Fowler, and solos by Past Patron Charles F. Roberts.

The following officers were elected for 1932: Mrs. Lulu R. Ens, president; Mr. George H. Copes, first vice president; Mrs. Marion B. Linden, second vice president; Mrs. Elsie S. Robinson, secretary; William J. Tucker, treasurer; Mrs. Mamie E. Copes, Mrs. Louise Tucker, executive committee.

Warren G. Harding Chapter held its last meeting on Tuesday, February 23. The business of the evening was disposed of as quickly as possible and the chapter in a body visited Lebanon Chapter where a homecoming was in progress for the Grand Patron Paul Cromelin. A very hearty welcome and greeting was extended to the chapter by the Worthy Matron of Lebanon Chapter, Sister Cromelin, after which a very entertaining program was enjoyed by all.

A turkey dinner was held by the chapter on Thursday, February 25, and from all reports it appears to have been a huge success. The Star Point Society held a very enjoyable meeting at the home of Past Matron Sister Franzoni on Friday, February 26.

Associate Patron Brother Calfee announces a meeting of the ways and means committee for Monday, February 29, at 3407 Fourteenth street northwest.

Associate Matron Sister Budworth announced the next meeting of the Auxiliary Home Board will be at the home of Past Matron Sister Jane Keeley on Tuesday, March 15, also that April 12 will be donation night and on April 15 the committee will entertain the guests at the Masonic and Eastern Star Home. Sister Mary Keeley has charge of the rummage sale which will be held on April 14, 15 and 16, at Twenty-ninth and O streets northwest.

Past Matron Sister Franzoni was appointed chairman of the Bicentennial committee for the chapter. The chapter will have a meeting during Masonic week, beginning May 12, and it is planned to have a gala affair in conjunction with the Bicentennial celebration.

The second meeting in March has been set aside as past matrons and past patrons night and this meeting should be very interesting and entertaining according to plans being made by Past Matron Sister Fees.

Ruth Chapter, No. 1, auxiliary home board, held its February meeting at the home of Past Matron Elise Zimmerman, 5004 Arkansas avenue northwest. A wonderful luncheon was served at 1 o'clock, including a most delicious cherry pie made by the hostess, which all the ladies look forward to each year at this special meeting. This was also carried out with table decorations of cherries as favors. Past Matron Augusta Aufenthie and Past Matron Lillie Schneider acted as assistant hostesses. A baby shower was tendered Past Matron Martha Shaw Althoff in honor of her new little daughter, Elizabeth. Sister Martha, the beloved mother, was very much surprised upon her arrival, when she was greeted by all the ladies of the auxiliary home board, who had grouped themselves in the dining room, where a lovely gift of a bed and a beautiful satin comfort was awaiting. Over this hung "the stork," with a dear little babe and long blue ribbon streamers running down to the four corners, which designated the love from every member. Our associate matron and president of the board, Pauline Loveless, on behalf of the board, made a most appropriate presentation and the mother responded that she could never find words to tell all she would like to say. In the dining room, where the refreshments were served, a color scheme of pink and white, pertaining to baby Elizabeth, was carried out in the decorations as well as the favors. There was a cradle of pink and white flowers for the centerpiece.

The meeting of Washington Centennial Chapter No. 26, of Friday, March 4, has been designated by the matron, as Auxiliary Home Board night, at which time, the chairman and members of the board, will be special guests. Mrs. Mae Felker, president of the General Home Board Auxiliary, will be the guest of the evening and will address the chapter.

At the last meeting of the chapter, the degrees were conferred on a class of five. The chapter was entertained by a large mandolin orchestra, under the direction of Mr. Leonard W. Kephart.

Washington Centennial Chapter held a card party and dance at the Shoreham Hotel, which crowded the beautiful ballroom to its doors. The door prize was won by Mrs. William Skinner. The ways and means committee of Washington Centennial Chapter will meet at the home of Mrs. Laura Lees, 3463 Fourteenth street northwest, on Tuesday, March 1, at 8 o'clock.

The members of the Auxiliary Home Board have planned to go to the Masonic and Eastern Star Home, the first Tuesday in each month, to entertain the home family with cards. The sunshine committee will meet at the home of Mrs. Victoria Smith, 4406 Fourteenth street northwest, on Wednesday, March 2.

Sixty-five associate matrons and associate patrons answered roll call at the homecoming given by Martha Chapter on the evening of February 19 to F. Frank Kimmel, associate grand patron of the Grand Chapter of the District of Columbia. Past Grand Matrons Kimmel, Stevenson, Gibbs, Merritt and Hollander, Past Grand Patron, Dr. Hollander, and Associate Grand Matron Elizabeth Plitt were also present and gave splendid talks. The evening was in charge of Associate Matron Bernetta Hoffman and Associate Patron Henry Fisher.

The names of Past Matrons Alice Dixon, Mabel Larcombe and Past Patron Carleton Fry have been sent to the general chairman of Bicentennial arrangements for the Grand Chapter, as representatives from Martha Chapter to serve in addition to Past Matron Norma Hine, who had been previously named by the worthy grand matron. Initiatory work will be a part of the next meeting, March 4.

LaFayette Lodge Chapter at its last meeting held a George Washington box social with the home board in charge. Past Patron Howard Griffith took the part of the auctioneer. Dancing closed the program of the evening. A dinner was served yesterday evening at the home of Sister Dawson, 1657 Harvard street northwest, for the benefit of the ways and means committee.

The hospitality committee will give a card party on the evening of March 1, at 8 o'clock in the Sally Sothern room of the Southern Dairies plant at 60 M street northeast.

A unique distinction was conferred in Columbia Chapter last Monday upon three candidates, inasmuch as they received the degree on the two-hundredth anniversary of the birth of George Washington. A beautiful picture of Washington was presented to the chapter by Past Patron Guy L. Aber in behalf of the Past Matrons and Past Patrons Association. The grand matron attended and delivered an address. Following the meeting, those present were entertained with a minuet by Dorothy H. Arrington, Mae Buechler, Geneva B. Davis, Sally M. Gilcrest, Frances L. Jackson, Ethel M. Magne and Mary Rogers under the direction of Mrs. Jeannette Tolford. Music was furnished by Mrs. E. Gertrude Smith.

A silver tea for the benefit of the chapter was given on Washington's birthday by Mrs. Jennie S. Haigh, at her home, 5710 Colorado avenue.

The Officers Club will meet on March 4, at the home of Miss Sallye M. Gilcrest, and a card party for the home board will also be held there on March 11.

Pi Lambda Theta

Pi Lambda Theta, honorary fraternity for women, entertained at its annual banquet Tuesday evening in the garden house of the Dodge Hotel, when covers were laid for 82 guests. This banquet is given each year in honor of the delegates to the National Education Association convention who are members of the fraternity. Miss Luvicy M. Hill, of Harvard University, national corresponding secretary, presided at the banquet in the absence of the president, Mrs. Genevieve Knight Bixler. Among the national officers at the speakers' table were Miss Elinor J. Barnes, treasurer; Miss Frances R. Dearborn, keeper of the records, and Miss Ella V. Dobbs, editor of the Journal and former president of the fraternity. The fraternity has no chapter in Washington and a local committee composed of Mrs. Rowena Schmidt Carpenter, chairman; Dr. Jessie Ferguson, Miss Beula I. Coon, Miss Rosemary Laughlin and Dr. Helen M. Strong, had charge of the arrangements for the banquet. This committee was assisted by Chi Chapter of Baltimore, under the direction of Dr. Angela Browning and Dr. Anabel White.

Beta Sigma Phi

The Alpha Chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority will act as hostess for a special Bicentennial program following its regular meeting on Tuesday, March 1, at 9:15 p. m., in the patio of the Carlton Hotel.

At the regular 8 o'clock meeting, the educational program will include discussions on Egyptian, Slovak and other ancient literature of that period.

Miss Vera Bloom will be the honor guest of the evening and will introduce the speaker, Mr. John M. Gibbs, director of the division of State, city and town organizations of the George Washington Bicentennial Commission, whose subject will be "The Nation-Wide Impulse to Honor George Washington."

Guests of the evening will include Mrs. Sol Bloom, the Beta Chapter of the sorority, as well as the newly organized Gamma Chapter, whose initiation and banquet will precede the program. Mrs. Ellis Logan, sponsor of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, will preside over the meeting.

Arrangements for the meeting are in charge of the entertainment committee of the Alpha Chapter, of which Miss Ida Parker is chairman.

RADIO QUEEN

RUTH WENTER,
a Northwestern University sophomore, whose hobby is fixing the family automobile, was selected as Chicago's radio queen.

Knights of Columbus

Spalding Council, Knights of Columbus, will hold its next meeting Thursday, March 3, at which time a number of important matters will be brought to the attention of the council.

The committee on the celebration of the thirty-third anniversary of the council announces preliminary plans completed. A dinner dance with selected entertainment will be given on Thursday evening, April 21, at the Kennedy-Warren, from 7 to 1. J. Fred Brady, deputy grand knight of Spalding Council, is chairman of the general committee and has announced his several subcommittee chairmen as follows: Hotel, T. F. Carlin; entertainment, T. J. Trodden; tickets, E. V. Carr; speakers, F. P. Sheehy; music, R. J. Comiskey; printing and favors, J. Herbert Walsh; floor, L. A. Gage, and publicity, J. F. Brady. J. Herbert Walsh is secretary and P. H. Huneke, treasurer of the general committee. A meeting of the general committee will be held this week at the Kennedy-Warren. The personnel of the committee follows: J. F. Brady, chairman; T. J. Quirk, J. H. Walsh, C. H. Fugitt, F. H. Huneke, M. J. McAuliffe, T. F. Carlin, H. A. Marsden, E. V. Carr, T. J. Trodden, F. J. Malloy, F. P. Sheehy, V. A. Sheehy, D. J. O'Donnell, R. J. Comiskey, T. B. Hanlon, J. C. Huppmann, F. E. G. Hipp, J. H. Zabel, T. K. Gallaher, J. J. O'Brien, J. W. McCormick, H. W. Cord, R. J. Werner, D. A. Fanning, H. R. Statham, B. F. Hamill, C. J. San Fillipo, Henry Hughes, F. J. Creamer, sr., F. J. Creamer, jr., F. S. Martin, R. J. O'Neill, J. M. Tabler, L. A. Gage, J. B. Kennedy, J. R. Dowlan and Albert Shoemaker.

Washington General Assembly of the Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus on Monday, February 22, received into the order 63 new members. This impressive exemplification of the fourth degree took place at 2 o'clock in the afternoon at the Shoreham Hotel.

A banquet in honor of the newly initiated members was held at 7 o'clock in the evening and was attended by 300 sir knights and ladies. Acting Master Arthur B. J. Williamson introduced Sir Knight William E. Leahy, who acted as toastmaster. The Very Rev. Edward G. Fitzgerald, O. P., of the Catholic University, was the principal speaker of the evening, and made a most interesting talk. Rev. W. Coleman Nevils, S. J., president of Georgetown University, who was among those who took the degree earlier in the day, gave a most edifying address. Among those at the speakers' table were Sir Knight Daniel J. Callahan, supreme treasurer of the Knights of Columbus; Hon. Clarence J. McLeod, member of Congress; Sir Knight Leo D. Ward, Maryland State deputy of the Knights of Columbus; Sir Knight F. J. Heazel, of the supreme board of the Knights of Columbus of the State of North Carolina, and Sir Knight James B. Flynn, faithful navigator of Washington General Assembly.

The entertainment program featured George O'Connor, Matt Horne, Miss Mary O'Donoghue and Mrs. Charles J. Cassidy. The banquet was officially closed with the singing of "The Star-Spangled Banner" by the entire assemblage. Meyer Davis music was played for the dancing which followed the banquet and brought to a close a most enjoyable evening and successful celebration of the Bicentennial of the birth of George Washington.

Arrangements for the affair were in charge of a general degree committee headed by Anthony J. Scullen, chairman; Leo D. Ward, vice chairman, and Frederick J. Diegelmann, secretary. Other committee chairmen were: James B. Flynn, reception; Albert J. Sardo, music; Francis J. Hemelt, guests; John F. Hillyard, publicity; Eugene C. Baczenas, finance; Carmine Garofalo, admissions; Thomas J. Trodden, entertainment, and Richard F. Field, equipment.

Announcement has been made that there will be no meeting of the assembly during March, due to the fact that the regular meeting night comes during Lent. The next meeting will be held on Monday, April 4, at the Mayflower Hotel.

Tall Cedars

Capitol Forest, No. 104, Tall Cedars of Lebanon, held its first ceremonial of the Bicentennial year in the ballroom of the Raleigh Hotel last night, which furnished entertainment for the order's members, families and friends, and due to the elaborate reception, entertainment and dancing it was pronounced one of the best events Capitol Forest ever held.

The grand tall cedar, Thomas A. Havell, has called upon all members of the local body to extend to the numerous visiting members from other jurisdictions, who will be coming to our National Capital during this Bicentennial year, our greetings and invitation to attend the numerous activities to be held here for their benefit.

Wednesday evening the forest as a whole held a banquet at the Broadmore Hotel for the one hundred or more uniformed members of the band, rangers, stunt team and royal court.

The executive committee composed of the following officers, Thomas C. Havell, grand tall cedar; Frank A. Birgfeld, Charles R. Brill, C. A. Ferguson, Thomas E. Franklin, John Harvey, William C. Heider, W. G. Hoyt, J. Fred Huber, Charles A. Jaquette, James N. Kline, George M. Little, Samuel H. Marks, Ralph S. Miller, Alvah W. Patterson, James T. Prendergast, Harry E. Rieseberg, Pierce M. Rice, John Q. Slye, Frederick R. Steffens, Hamlin M. Vandervort and George H. Whiting, will hold its next meeting in the Raleigh Hotel within ten days, at which time elaborate plans will be made for a gigantic Masonic program of activities to be staged during the coming months of the Bicentennial celebration. These events will open with the national convention of the Supreme Forest, at Atlantic City, which it is expected will be attended by many of the local bodies.

Hibernians

Plans are now being completed by the Commodore John Barry Division of the A. O. H., and the divisions of the Ladies Auxiliaries for the banquet to be held at the Mayflower Hotel on Thursday evening, March 17, in commemoration of St. Patrick's Day.

The committees are working hard to make this the largest and best celebration ever held in Washington. Tickets are $3 and dancing will follow the banquet. Dancing will be from 10 to 1 o'clock.

The following officers have charge which assures its success: Patrick H. O'Dea, chairman; Lillian E. Fay, vice chairman; Thomas McGrath, secretary; Mrs. Joseph A. Daly, treasurer; Sir Patrick H. Haltigan, K. S. S., chairman committee on speakers; Francis J. Rafferty, chairman committee on tickets; Michael J. Dowd, chairman committee on publicity; Joseph A. Daly, chairman reception committee; James P. Moriarty, chairman on Printing, and Miss Theresa E. Collins, chairman entertainment committee.

Odd Fellows

On Friday evening of this week, Grand Master Thomas C. Mettler, accompanied by his his official staff, will visit Metropolis Lodge, No. 16, meeting in the temple. The grand marshal will enter the lodgeroom promptly at 8:30 o'clock. Metropolis extends a cordial invitation to all members to be present on this occasion.

Last Wednesday evening the grand master made his first official visit of the year to Covenant Lodge, No. 13. The reports of the lodge as submitted by the grand secretary and grand treasurer showed the lodge to be in a flourishing and prosperous condition. Since meeting in the temple, where they have been located beginning the year, the lodge has made progress and the meetings are full of interest and activity.

Eastern Lodge, No. 7, will hold its regular meeting on next Wednesday evening, March 2. Noble Grand Albert P. Dobbins urges the attendance of the members of the lodge.

The Line Officers Association held their regular monthly meeting last Tuesday evening as guests of the Excelsior Lodge, No. 17. The association has planned a series of activities this year and line officers of the various lodges are taking an active interest in the work.

The Odd Fellows of the District of Columbia took an active part in the parade in Alexandria, Va., in honor of the commemoration of the George Washington Bicentennial celebration held in that city last Monday. Headed by the grand master and grand officers of the grand lodge, the Odd Fellows Band followed under the direction of their leader, Wilfred E. Lawson, who acted as drum major. The public in line of the parade gave the band a hearty recognition. Canton Washington, No. 1, of the Patriarchs Militant, under command of Capt. Alexander L. Hjortsberg and accompanied by the ladies' auxiliary, under command of Sister Lady President Margaret Hellmuth, made a distinct impression on the line of march. Members of the various lodges of the jurisdiction followed, making a presentable showing in the parade, the largest showing of any fraternal organization.

Grand Instructor Walter B. Randall held a conference with the lodge instructors last Tuesday evening, and afterward all went to the meeting of the Line Officers Association.

Delta Theta Tau

The Epsilon Kappa Chapter of Delta Theta Tau Sorority held its formal initiation last evening at the Roosevelt Hotel. The young women initiated were Catherine, Bouillion Alma Hewitt and Dolly Ryan. Following the ceremony members of the sorority enjoyed a delicious banquet. The table was beautifully decorated with cut flowers of various kinds and colors. Miss Lois McCraw officiated as toastmistress and Miss Alice Evans, president of the chapter, gave a clever and original address of welcome to which each of the new members responded. Covers were laid for Misses Virginia McLindon, Ruth Vanderbilt, Alice Evans, Wilhelmina Reaves, Lois McCraw, Ellen Boyland, Mary Kosters, Ethel Moran, Catherine Bouillon, Alma Hewitt, Dolly Ryan and Mrs. Josephine Booth.

The local chapter of Delta Theta Tau was installed November 7, 1931, and since that time has been very active. The national sorority was founded in 1903 at Muncie, Ind., and at the present time is the largest nonacademic sorority in the United States, having 112 chapters in various parts of the country. It maintains at its own expense a school for mountain children near Wayland, Ky. The enrollment this year is 112 pupils and it is planned to erect a dormitory in the near future for the accomodation of pupils who live at a distance from the school.

F. O. Eagles.

Tonight Washington Aerie, No. 125, will initiate the largest class of candidates in the history of their aerie. There will be many prominent grand aerie officers in attendance and the principle address will be delivered by United States Representative Edmund F. Cooke, of Buffalo, N. Y.

The Hon. Judge Robert E. Mattingly will preside. The committee on arrangments for a large public meeting which is to be held on March 7, will report and outline the entire program.

Job's Daughters

Bethel No. 1, Order of Job's Daughters, of Washington, D. C., held a meeting on Saturday, February 27. After a short business meeting the ceremony of initiation was conferred upon thirteen candidates. The next business meeting will be held on Saturday, March 5. At the close of it there will be an entertainment by the dramatic club.

MANY NAMES

GAY DESLYS,
Broadway show girl, from Dallas, Tex., changes her name every time she enters a new revue. Her current name is derived from that of the famous French actress.

Women Ask Anthony Day On August 26

Maryland Foundation Proposes Holiday to Honor Suffragist.

A petition from the Susan B. Anthony Foundation of Maryland, signed by Mrs. Virginia Peters-Parkhurst, president, has been forwarded to Representative Millard E. Tydings, Democrat, senior senator from Maryland, asking that Congress set aside August 26 as a national holiday, in honor of the woman's suffrage amendment to the Federal Constitution. The petition was the result of a resolution offered by Mrs. Elizabeth R. Menefee, of Cumberland, Democratic national committeewoman, and unanimously adopted at the semi-annual conference of the Susan B. Anthony Foundation of Maryland, meeting in Baltimore February 15, in celebration of the 112th birthday anniversary of Susan B. Anthony, who drafted the original woman's suffrage bill in 1875, and which, after nearly 50 years of struggle, was finally adopted, ratified and duly proclaimed law by Lansing, Secretary of State, Wilson Cabinet, on August 26, 1920.

Miss A. R. Haveneer, of New York City, publicity committee National Council of Women, made a short address prior to the regular meeting, which was presided over by Mrs. George Morrison Gaither. Among those seated at the speakers' table were Mrs. Elizabeth R. Mafee, Democratic national committeewoman; Miss Sue B. White, executive secretary woman's division, Democratic national committee; Mrs. Maude Brown Phillips, notary public, and treasurer of the organization; Mrs. Virginia Peters-Parkhurst, president; Mrs. George Morrison Gaither, former congressional committeewoman; Mrs. Franklin W. Pritchey, a member board National Council of Women, founded by Susan B. Anthony in 1886; Mrs. Henry H. Baker, advisory board, National Homemakers Association, and Mrs. Ethel R. Lorentz, president, Baltimore City Luncheon Club.

Mrs. Ellis A. Yost, who had been invited to represent the Republican national committee, could not be present owing to previous engagement.

Duchess Wears Costume of Hand-Woven Wool

Paris (A.P.).—The Duchesse de Nemours attended a recent fashionable luncheon at Ciro's wearing a hand-woven brown woolen costume designed by Vera Borea.

The frock, which was made along lines was topped by a short waist-length jacket which buttoned close to the throat with brown and silver buttons. The collar, cuffs, and belt were of brown knitted wool.

Velvet and Chiffon Gown Hides Seams

Paris (A.P.).—Miss Marjorie Oelrichs, who is widely known in New York society, appeared at a recent fashionable tea here in an afternoon gown of black velvet and chiffon designed with very short sleeves.

The velvet and chiffon were woven in one piece with the result that no seams were evident in the design of the frock.

Stone Brazil Nuts Used as Necklaces

New York Finds Them Sporty as Well as Decorative.

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—Petrified Brazil nuts are used for new sportsy necklaces and very decorative they are too. There is sort of a back-to-nature movement in the designing and fashioning of costume jewelry to be worn with the simply tailored dresses and suits of sheer or rough-surfaced woolens.

Necklaces, bracelets, buckles, and pins, even buttons, are made of cork or natural wood crudely cut and these have provided a particularly smart finish to winter day-time ensembles.

One of the new "nutty" necklaces is combined with beads of ivory separated by tiny discs of gold or silver. Only one very large nut is used. It is sliced, both shell and kernel, into even-sized pieces. They are highly polished. Another necklace features three whole nuts. Petrified chestnuts are also used for jewelry.

ENTERS FILMLAND

Associated Press Photo.
SHIRLEY CHAMBERS,
Huntington Park, Calif., high school girl, was launched upon a career in the movies after winning a talent contest. She recently received a picture contract.

Daily Cross-Word Puzzle By RICHARD H. TINGLEY

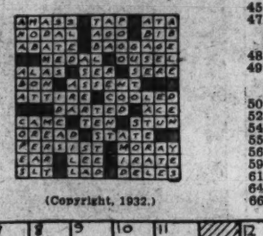
ACROSS.

1 Sculptor's chisel
7 Goes at top speed
12 Two-legged animals
18 Go to bed
19 A hard wood
20 Got up
21 Quilted tunics worn under medieval armor
22 Evergreen tree
23 Sting
24 Person
25 Conduct a newspaper
27 Large cask
29 Glut
30 Witty use of a word in two senses
31 Up above
32 Rest
33 Thick, dark liquid
36 Squander
38 Bill of fare
40 Pungency
42 Symbol for casting on the queen's side in chess
44 Briny
46 Detestation
47 Boxed
51 A fuel
53 Bass
57 Sin
58 A gray gurnard fish
60 Yellowish-gray color
62 Son of Ford
63 Dire miseries
65 Paradise
67 Little child
69 Progenitor
70 The hairy man of the Bible (poss.)
72 Visits
74 To pierce with a pointed weapon
76 Dib
77 Take out
79 Proportion (in compounds)
81 Reap
83 One of the five sons of Zerah (I Chron. ii-6)
85 Bring up
87 To sift, a mining term
88 Famous Italian monk and painter of the fifteenth century
92 Give forth
94 A hermit's hute
98 High, jutting rock
99 Manufacturing city in the Netherlands
101 Promise to pay
103 Erode
104 A batracian
106 Beetle
107 The exercise of a franchise law
108 Chills and fever
109 Whirlwinds
112 Awaken
114 A vaulted roof
116 Hollow cylinder surrounding a shaft
117 Animal fat
118 Dissevered
119 Canopy over a bed
120 Actions
121 Guides

DOWN.

1 Comprehends
2 Indemnify
3 Harmonize
4 Medieval stringed musical instrument
5 Bird of prey
6 Put again in place
7 Receipts
8 Embolden
9 Massachusetts cape
10 Related on the mother's side
11 Thick, sweet liquids
12 Fine muslin of the East Indies
13 Wrath
14 Places one against another
15 Condition
16 Triangular alluvial deposits at the mouth of a river
17 Mocks
26 Title of respect in Portugal
28 Famous navigator
31 Beautify
32 Drawn upon with straight, parallel lines
33 Mire
34 To earn
37 And not
39 Doze
41 Requirements
43 Hawaiian storm petrel
45 Acidulous
47 Worked with needle and thread
48 Tedious
49 Pertaining to superficial extent
50 Clothes
52 Sailors
54 Off
55 A monster
56 Lodged
59 Wild animal
61 The two
64 Undressed kid
66 Close
68 South African Dutch
71 A theater seat
73 An indefinite number (very slang)
75 King of Scotland; 13th and 14th centuries; a national hero
78 City in New York State
80 A measure of wine in Europe
82 The 22d letter
84 Tart
86 Those who cleanse slightly by flooding
88 Vouch for
89 A silly person
90 Classifies
91 Perfumed
93 A digit
95 Envoy
96 Scottish comedian
97 Horses
102 Appearing as if gnawed
105 Regimen
107 Injured
108 Seaport in Syria
110 Mother of all mankind
111 A weight used in India
113 Shoshone Indian
115 A rodent

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER.



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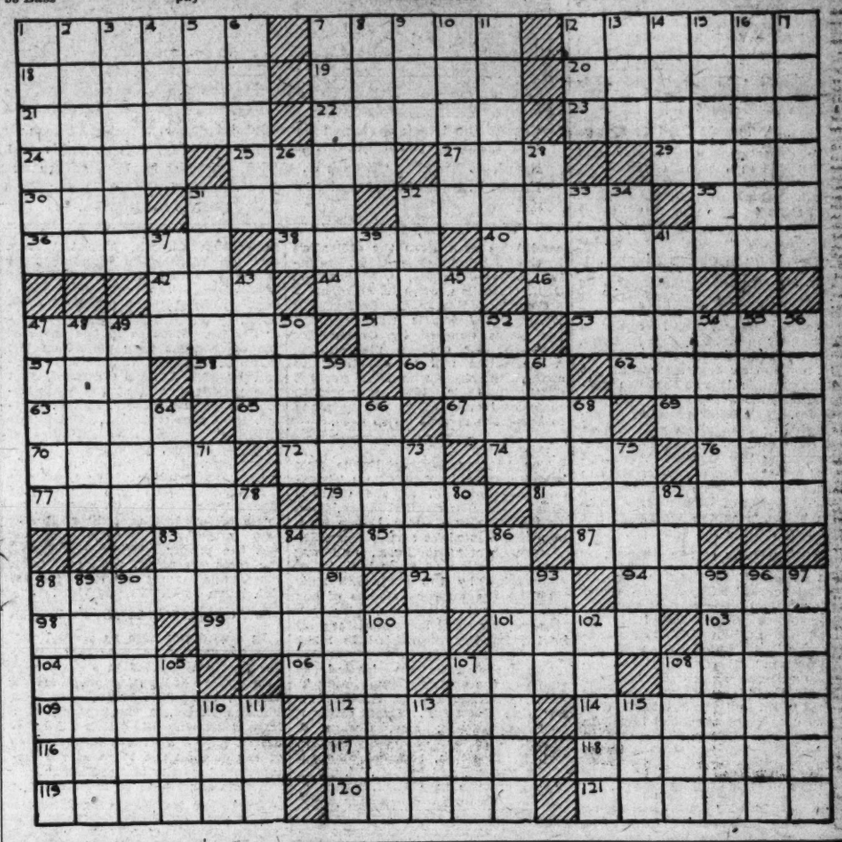

Wives of Tomorrow

FRANCES M'DONALD

Defends Elsie's Right to Work.

DEAR Frances MacDonald:

So Elsie is being criticized because she and her husband eat out, both work and are happy. As one who has looked on both sides of the shield, perhaps I am qualified to judge between Elsie and her critic. I was in my thirties when I married, so I had a taste of spinsterhood; then came a period of being an "office wife," and now for some years I have been a mother, or rather a foster mother. As each of these three states of existence has been the result of deliberate choice on my part, I can look upon their advantages and disadvantages rather calmly.

Elsie's critic states that Elsie's sort of happiness "makes her blood boil." When one's "blood boils," either literally or figuratively, it is a sign of physical or mental ill health. Elsie's critic is, in my opinion, suffering from an ailment that often afflicts housewives; a defense mechanism if you want to be technical, or envy, in plain English.

In my days of spinsterhood, I felt there was a conspiracy among the married to make us outside the holy bonds feel uncomfortable, not to say futile, unwanted, repressed, and even selfish and guilty. It seems to make some women, who themselves have neither energy nor personality, nor enough energy to develop any aptitude for anything, quite uncomfortable when they see some abler woman succeeding. They would have you believe that if it were not for their devotion to the race and the church and the home, &c, that their name, too, would be printed in the lights. And they want to be looked upon as noble martyrs.

I have no such influence. In my less buoyant moments, I realize that if I had been a tremendous success in the educational and business world I probably would not have considered marriage, and certainly would not have adopted two children! I have found my level. And while I am a little wistful when I see my unmarried sister, and my childless sister-in-law packing up their nice clothes for their trips hither and yon, I feel that I have made my choice. I remember how very wistful I used to feel when I passed a pink and white baby on the street. For the average woman, domestic life is a safe, happy refuge. She is her own boss; she can be as lazy or as energetic as she feels like being at the moment, no one checks up on everything she does. Some of her errors she can quietly slip into the garbage pail. I have succeeded in burying deep in the trash barrels more than one kettle ruined through my carelessness and no one the wiser. But I still can remember, with a bitter sense of humiliation, one or two of my office mistakes, for the atmosphere of the cold, cold world is not as a rule so charitable as that of the home.

As for my husband, he was always a good pal, and stood so cheerfully the deprivations that fatherhood entailed, that my admiration for him is greater than ever. We go out, of course, much less frequently, for to the price of theater and concert tickets must be added a dollar for the woman, who stays with the children. Our circle of friends is not as wide as formerly, and includes many who are "tied down" like ourselves. I must say these couples are not quite as amusing and stimulating as were some of our footfree friends, who find us now too humdrum. I miss them, but can't blame them for not dropping in of a Sunday afternoon where small children are literally all over the place.

I could go on with comparisons, but each reader can supply her own. Emerson was right when he said that for everything you have missed, you have gained something else, and for everything you gain, you lose something. When you have chosen apple pie as your dessert, should you glare enviously at your neighbor, who has chosen a luscious looking strawberry shortcake, and seems to be enjoying it hugely? I remember reading Elsie's letter and thinking that Elsie was a lucky girl. I'm glad there are so many Elsie's nowadays, and think it would be quite deplorable if we all had to mould our lives according to the self-same pattern, or choose the same bill of fare at the cafeteria of life.

CHARLOTTE.

You sound tremendously interesting, Charlotte, and the two dear little "Adopteds" are lucky angels to have found such a thrilling-sounding mother. Do write some more of your opinions, for you have real ability as well as real experience with this game of living. We will all be watching for another silhouette by "Charlotte," so hurry another!

IN EXOTIC BLACK

Associated Press Photo.
It's just a style note from Sari Maritza, the European movie and stage sar now in this country, who is shown in one of the exotic black costumes suited to her type of temperament.

What Today Means to You

By MARY BLAKE

"PISCES."

IF February 28 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date will be from 11 a. m. to 12:45 p. m., from 5 p. m. to 6:15 p. m. and from 10 p. m. to 11:40 p. m. The danger periods are from 9:40 a. m. to 10:30 a. m. and from 7:30 p. m. to 9:10 p. m.

Astrological influences on February 28 will be exceptionally harmonious, and spiritual teachings will be given and received in an inspirational manner. A restful and happy time within the home is augured. A memorable evening is in store for those still in their teens.

The child born on this February 28 will have much of the pioneer spirit, and will not be afraid to do and dare. It will be rather impetuous, but will not be lacking in common sense, and will be able to get out of scrapes as easily as it gets into them. It will have a fund of humor, and will be sociable and friendly.

Born February 28, you have a restless, creative mind, and are a natural student and deep thinker. You hate admitting defeat, and you patiently stick at anything until you have at last partially tasted of the fruits of success. You have a very strong will, and are able to exercise authority without harshness and to be firm with a smile. You have an upright mind and aim to be both just and charitable, but at times err on the side of sternness. It is difficult for you to compromise on the question of right or wrong, or to forgive, from the bottom of your heart, those who do not adhere to your own moral codes of living. Your ideals are beautiful, but difficult to live up to at the present time, and it hurts you greatly when any of them crash at your feet. You are very slow to anger, but hard to appease.

You have a very cordial disposition among your friends, but are a little too dignified and indifferent toward strangers. You do not care much for so-called society, although you love to have your friends about you.

You have a very strong, passionate nature, but are constant and loyal as a lover. You are apt to love some unattainable person, early in life, the memory of whom will remain secretly locked away in your heart as your one ideal and possible affinity. A comforting companionship, without thrills, will be the culmination of your marriage.

Successful People Born February 28:

1—Geraldine Farrar, prima donna.
2—Victor L. Berger, socialist.
3—Franklin Mott Gunther, diplomatic service.
4—William Allen Orton, plant pathologist.
5—William S. Barnard, naturalist.

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Gray and Garnet Red In New Spring Ensemble

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—A new spring ensemble features a gray and garnet red, printed silk dress with a gray fox collar and a long, straight coat of garnet Lyons velvet.

The fur collar on the frock is worn outside the coat, which is collarless.

2 Pair of Hosiery Are Put in Thimble

New York, Feb. 27 (A.P.).—So fragile and widely separated is the single-thread mesh of the latest evening hosiery, it is possible to crush two pairs into a thimble.

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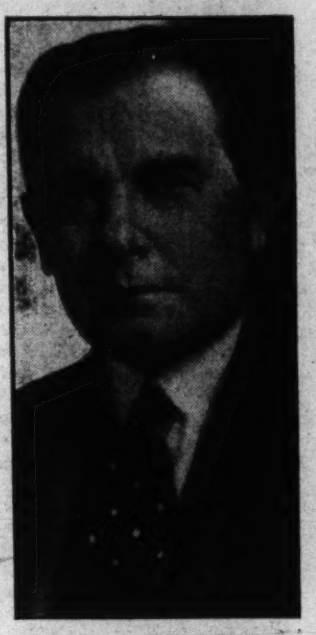
Beware, Bachelors, It's Leap Year

Underwood & Underwood.

Senator Millard E. Tydings, of Maryland, who went into hiding after defying the potency of leap year.

Eligible Bachelors and Widowers Stand in Dire Danger as a Year Evenly Divisible by Four Places Advantage on the Distaff Side—High Government Posts and Important Assignments in the Diplomatic Corps Provide Long List of Desirable "Catches"—The Records of Past Leap Years.



Underwood & Underwood.

Senator Kenneth McKellar, of Tennessee, fond of dining out and dancing, who has been immune to leap years.

By Vylla Poe Wilson.

INTERNATIONAL observers have had their eyes on the state of Washington's matrimonial market since the 1st of January heralded leap year. As February, the leap year month is here the observers have to report that the market is showing real activity in this open season for the capture of the unwary and wary bachelors and widowers who count themselves more or less secure in any ordinary year.

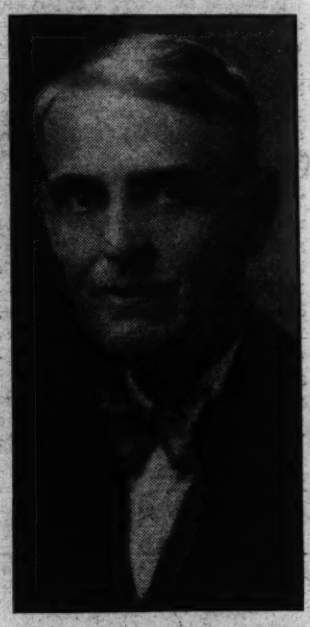
There will be no congressional or executive action on the acute situation which threatens the liberty of a portion of our citizenry. Nor will the heads of foreign embassies and legations be in receipt of notes from their governments as in time of other menaces or crises.

Washington has long been a happy hunting ground for wealthy widows and mothers with marriageable daughters. Since age-old custom allows the fair ones to do the proposing in leap year, many of the eligible men of affairs and wealth and their sons are watching lest they be caught in a matrimonial net not of their own weaving.

Washington has never been a particularly safe place for good looking, successful men or for those who are not so good looking.

Just to bring home to bachelors and widowers the danger which they are in, it is recalled that many marriages in Washington history of those who had escaped the matrimonial noose for some years took place in leap year.

The very first White House bride, Hester Maria Monroe, youngest daughter of President and Mrs. James Monroe, was led to the altar in leap year, February, 1820, by her dashing cousin and secretary to her father, Samuel Lawrence Gouverneur. "Mr. Gouverneur, of New York," was a popular bachelor. Many a fair maiden sighed as she watched him at the affairs of the Monroes at the White House or walking with the family in the parks. He never lacked a partner at a levee. No doubt some of these damsels of long ago fainted, after the fashion of that day, when they heard of his leap year engagement and wedding to the pretty young lady at the "President's palace."



Senator Arthur Capper, chairman of the Senate District committee, who runs the risk of capture this year.

Even the famous duel which resulted in the death of Commodore Decatur, which cast such a gloom over Washington society, could not postpone this leap year marriage, although it was not the brilliant event first planned. The bride and bridegroom received the guests at the White House, assisted by the bridesmaids and attendants one week later.

Leap year romance also grew out of the tragedy of the Princeton, on which many were killed on a trial trip down the Potomac when one of the big guns burst. President John Tyler, just emerging from the sorrow of his first wife's death in the early days of his administration, was on board with his Cabinet. Among the other guests were former Senator Gardiner, of New York, and his two daughters. Senator Gardiner was killed and President Tyler did what he could to assuage the grief of the two girls. In a little over three months, June 26, 1844, Julia Gardiner and President Tyler were married in New York, thus adding to the list of leap year romances in high places in early Washington.

President James Buchanan weathered the leap years when he was in public office. But in 1860 his close friend, Capt. Douglas Scott, of Scotland, a beau of the National Capital of that day, became "ensnared" in Cupid's net, and President Buchanan officiated at the wedding by giving the bride away. The bride, the engaging Madame Bodisco, widow of the Russian Minister, had been Miss Harriet Williams, of Georgetown, and was the first diplomatic bride of importance in the National Capital. Her first wedding took place in the Van Buren administration in 1837.

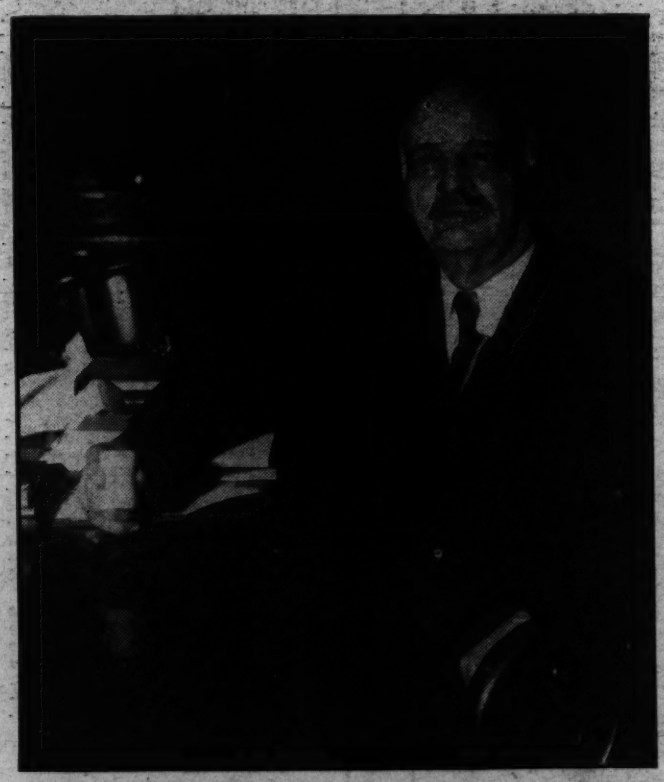
Widows with only a million or two as a mite, or those with no mite at all, the ambitious daughters of ambitious mothers or poor orphan debutantes with fortunes in their own rights, maiden ladies of independent means or political and social acumen, gaze with leap-yearish eyes on the array of unmarried diplomats, ranking unmarried or widowered officials of the Government and the men of wealth and distinction who make up the matrimonial flotsam and jetsam in Washington life.

Of course, many a languishing eye turns to Charles Curtis, Vice President of the United States. Every day he is barraged with confetti in the shape of invitations to dinner and luncheon or a cozy but, oh, so dangerous, cup of tea. This feminine onslaught is not confined alone to leap year, but there are certain prerogatives just now for the blushing aspirants for the position of the Second Lady of the Land and cochief official diner out, that they can not enjoy in a year that is not evenly divisible by four.

In passing it might be remarked that Vice President Curtis has proven himself not invulnerable to leap year. He married his late wife, formerly Miss Anna E. Baird, in Topeka, Kans., in November, 1884, a leap year.

No wonder Senator Millard Tydings, of Maryland, who has a way with the ladies, is a musician, artist and poet and is only forty, went on a hurried "flight" from his office and did not show up for two days. Senator Tydings had flown right into the face of Fate. He had declared that he was not a bit afraid of leap year and leap year proposals but would accept the first lady who asked him. That day the senator disappeared. When he returned he evaded leap year proposals with such cleverness that he is still in the single state. This bachelor senator has always been so popular that perhaps leap year will help him make up his mind.

Senator Kenneth McKellar, of Tennessee, has been rumored to



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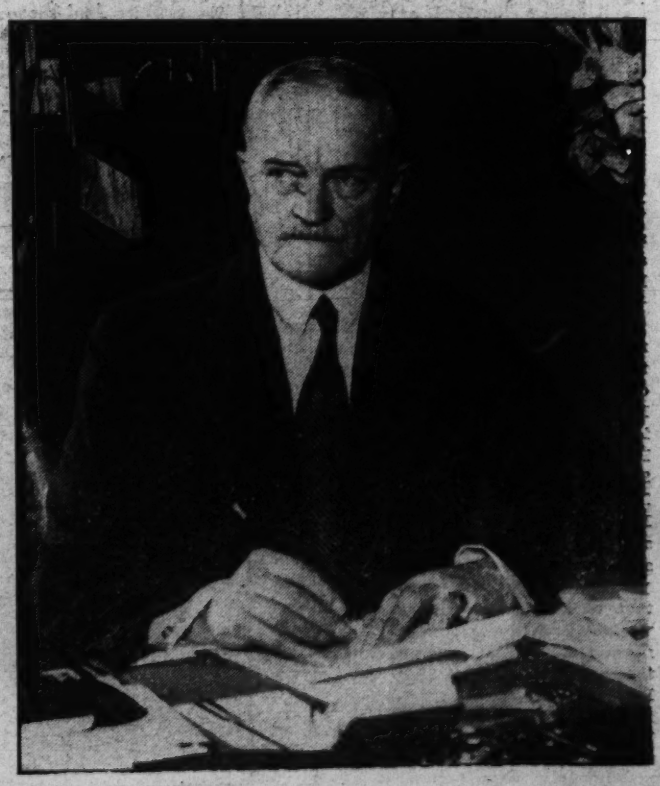
Vice President Charles Curtis, whose sister, Mrs. Gann, his official hostess, many would like to displace.



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Gen. John J. Pershing, ranking general of the United States Army, for whom many caps have been set many times.

be engaged probably more often than any other Senator during his 20-plus years of senatorial service. Senator McKellar is fond of society and an inveterate diner out and a good dancer.

Who would not like to be Mrs. Bronson Cutting, with a husband like Senator Cutting, of New Mexico, with his distinction and his money? But the senator is coy and declares that leap year will not make him lose his single status.

Senator Thomas J. Walsh, of Montana, and Senator Arthur Capper, of Kansas, are two widowers who like to be included in dinner lists, do their part socially in Washington and have many friends to entertain them among the matrons and young girls of Washington. But they go their merry way between Senate sessions without directing their course toward matrimony. Periodically, however, Dame Rumor sends out a story on the engagement of one or the other of these two men, which may be true or false. Anyway, it will be interesting to note what the fates portend for them this leap year.

Then there is the wealthy Representative Samuel Reyburn, of Texas, who might lead a good spouse to high places.

Perhaps the naval and military aids at the White House will see the New Year in, in 1933 unmarried. But they are in the center of attack from a leap-year point of view, as they revolve about the social functions at the White House and are importuned as extra men for dinner and dances by anxious hostesses.

Almost every one has given up any matrimonial conjectures in regard to Gen. John A. Pershing. But hope springs eternal in the feminine heart in leap year even more than in other years. Some of the fair ladies who have been casting horoscopes to see if they will be selected to be Mrs. Pershing may revive their dreams during this year.

Tall, good-looking Dr. Breckenbridge Bayne, who has such a nice house in Maryland and belongs to an old Washington family, is also the ideal husband for some one who wants to belong in the National Capital's exclusive residential circles. Dr. Bayne knows everybody and is universally liked and among the first in the list of eligibles of the "local boys."

In this category we should also put Mr. Coleman Jennings and Gen. William Horton. Gen. William Horton has danced through so many dances and cotillions with immunity from the matrimonial noose that he will be off his guard this Leap Year.

William Bowie Clark, chief chairman of countless floor committees at smart balls, and adviser extraordinary to the debutantes and their mothers each season, may also fall a victim this leap year. His friends say that he will go through this year unscathed, as far as matrimony goes, as he has so many others in the last quarter of a century dotted with leap years.

Of the group of sons of statesmen and national leaders who are to be considered in the forefront of eligible bachelors, of course, Mr. Allan Hoover, son of the President and Mrs. Hoover, and Mr. Paul Mellon, son of the former Secretary of the Treasury, Andrew Mellon, have first places. Mr. Hoover, however, managed to swim through the dangers of the social currents of a Washington holiday leap year season and return to his business in California without even a rumor of an engagement. Mr. Mellon is busy in the banking business in New York. Both of these young men are lionized every time they come to Washington. Perhaps it is well that they are removed from our matrimonial mart for most of leap year.

Up on the Supreme Court bench is Associate Justice James McReynolds, who struggled through a leap year when he was Attorney General and many others since he has been a Supreme Court justice. During the Wilson administration and afterward society amused itself engaging this tall, good-looking jurist to first one lady in Washington and then another. He is still unmarried, however.

Underwood & Underwood.

Senor Felipe A. Espil, Argentine Ambassador, is among the eligible young men of the Diplomatic Corps.

The army of noble dames which makes up the American wives of diplomats of the past and present offers an alluring picture to the woman who likes to lead an interesting life herself. The coterie of bachelors and widowers from other lands who lead the social life of the corps have the courtly manner and ready art of conversation and talents which make them attractive in the eyes of the women and girls who mingle in the society of the National Capital. The life of a wife of a diplomat presents a vision to the women in this leap year as well as other years of gay times at the courts of the world.

Each season there are a certain number of marriages between foreign diplomats and our American girls. There is every reason to believe that before the end of 1932 there will be many leap-year engagements and marriages.

In the meantime the diplomats of matrimonial status, like officials and members of Congress, go merrily on their ways and seem to enjoy life.

M. Jules Henry, Counselor of the French Embassy, is as popular as his years of service here. Later comers, but much-invited-about young diplomats, are M. Pierre Henry de la Blanchetai, First Secretary of the French Embassy, and M. Raymond Bousquet, Second Secretary.

Since the days of the First Turkish Ambassador, the fascinating Rustem Bey, a score of years or so ago, the Turkish Embassy diplomats have been much invited about by Washington society. One sees Mr. Nuri Sabit, First Secretary, at many places where the socially elite congregate.

The number of diplomats of the German Embassy before the World War who walked away in leap year as well as other years with American girl wives caused the former kaiser to issue a royal edict against these marriages, without special permission. Even then, some of them took place, with "royal consent," of course. It was gay times when the German Embassy was filled with young bachelor diplomats and leap year was a gay time for them, too, and for the marriageable girls of Washington who ignored the kaiser's discouragement.

Harris & Ewing.

M. Jules Henry, Counselor and First Secretary of the French Embassy, diplomat who had best be on guard.

The Minister of Poland and Madame Filipowicz are so popular themselves that this popularity is reflected in the social life in Washington of the two unmarried attaches, Mr. Jan Tomaszewski and Mr. Andrew Sapieha, commercial counselor.

The "British boys," as the unattached men of the British Embassy are always affectionately called by Washington hostesses and belles alike, have proven themselves particularly susceptible to the charms of our American women during the last decade. There is no doubt that international marriages in the British element of the Diplomatic Corps in Washington number more than in any other.

Just now the British Embassy bachelors include Mr. F. D. G. Osborne, who holds the unique title, for a counselor of embassy, of minister plenipotentiary, an unusual thing when an ambassador is at the head of the mission.

Then there is among this attractive group of bachelors the dashing military attache, Capt. J. T. Godfrey, who has almost as many uniforms as the ambassador, Sir Ronald Lindsay. Others on this eligible bachelor list are Mr. Roger M. Makins, third secretary; Mr. H. W. A. Freese-Pennefather, third secretary, and the Hon. Mark Watson, attache.

Count Francois de Buisseret, second secretary of the Belgian Embassy, is the son of the former Belgian Ambassador and his American wife, who was Miss Caroline Story, of Washington, a belle and heiress. At the death of the Countess de Buisseret during the World War, Count Francois de Buisseret, then a lad, spent much of his time with his grandmother, the late Mrs. John P. Story, in Washington, and at Whitehall, the famous country estate of the Story family near Annapolis, Md. He has resumed his acquaintances with the same young girls with whom he went to school and parties when his father was Ambassador here or when he lived with his grandmother.

With Count de Buisseret is his sister, Mlle. Beatrice de Buisseret, and the two make an interesting and gay addition to any party. Of course, the count is the subject of much matrimonial speculation in this leap year. Another popular bachelor of the Belgian Embassy staff is M. Jean Cattier, financial attache.

Grandees from old Spain, still bachelors, are represented on the Spanish Embassy staff by Senor Don Ramon y de Satrustegui, second secretary; Senor Don Jose Ricardo Gomez-Acebo, first secretary, and Senor Don Miguel Echegaray y Romea.

Senor Dr. Felipe Espil, Ambassador of Argentina, served here on the embassy staff for a number of years and apparently escaped Cupid's darts. But as head of a mission and unattached we fear he is in much danger this leap year. The other unmarried member of the Argentina staff is Senor Don Eduardo l'Vivet, second secretary.

Chile gives her quota of bachelors to the festivities of the younger set in Washington in Senor Don Oscar Blanco Viel, first secretary; Senor Don Mario Rodrigues, second secretary; Senor Don de la Barra, commercial secretary.

Sweden and Norway have always contributed attractive bachelors to the Washington diplomatic circle. At present, bachelor honors are held by Mr. August von Hartmansdorff, attache of the Swedish Legation; Mr. Aage Bryn, attache of the Norwegian Legation, and his two brother attaches, Mr. Aage Kloumann and Mr. Christian Mohr.

A party who is sure to "go" is Mr. J. H. van Royen, son of the Netherlands Minister, and attache of the legation at present. Often with Mr. van Royen is Mr. L. G. van Hoorn, who, of course, outranks him as counselor of the legation.

Egypt contributes Mr. Andre Cattaui, attache of the legation, who spends the time between his diplomatic duties and his social duties in pursuing his career as a talented artist of whom the world may hear some day.

The Little House
by Edgar A. Guest

The Little House has windows small
And not a great expanse of roof,
Yet like the monarch's castle hall
'Tis snug and warm and weather-proof.
And those who are its tenants gay
Find that it keeps the wind away.

The little house holds nothing more
Than just the necessary things,
Yet safe behind the modest door
A lullaby the mother sings,
And the wee babe she cradles there
Knows all the dreams of childhood fair.

The little house, from day to day,
Is opened wide to friends who call;
The neighbors just across the way
Share every care that may befall.
Are mansions polished through and through?
The little house is spotless, too!

'Tis not with size contentment goes
Nor cost, nor splendor's rich display;
The griefs the humble cottage knows
The castle cannot keep away.
The house where hearts in concord beat
Needs little more to be complete.

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Meet The Master Malacologist

The Story of a Scientist Who Knows All There Is to Know About Mollusks—Makes Science Interesting to the Layman and Turns It to Valuable Account for All of Mankind.

By David Rankin Barbee

A LITTLE boy three and one-half years of age, in the rare old city of Breslau, in Silesia, was put to playing on a sandpile. His father was wealthy; his family very ancient and very cultured; and so he had a nurse, a pony, a dog and everything that his rank demanded. It was noticed that he did not build sandpiles as other little boys of his age did. Instead he ran after snails, and, fearlessly catching them, would make a hole in his sandpile and bury the unwilling, biting, scratching animals.

He never seemed to forget where he had buried his snails, for the next day, when his nurse took him out to play, he made a straight line to the mound of sand, and, burrowing with his little fingers, soon exposed his captives. In the moment of their captivity they had laid a great quantity of eggs. The sight of these eggs always made the little fellow's eyes open wide and glitter with Promethean fire.

If that little boy had been born in New Jersey or in Maryland, his nurse would probably have spanked him and then carried him bawling into the bathroom to give him a scrubbing. Then his darling mamma would have lectured him about the danger of playing with "the nasty old snails;" and, if he persisted after such an admonition, in seeking such playfellows, he would have been denied his lovely sandpile.

But fortunately he was a German—that is, he was a Nordic—and his parents at least did not discourage his introduction to the most fascinating of sciences. The old father—old purely in that sense in which all fathers, whether 21 or 71, are old—the old father was himself a scientist, and so was his father, and that tradition ran back so far that it was a part of their inheritance. It was in his mind to educate his son at one of the national universities, mayhap the one in Breslau, founded in 1702 by the Emperor Leopold I, and then when he was ripe for it, place him in the army. Had this been his fate, he might have been one of the great field marshals of the World War instead of having become the master of a dozen sciences and the field marshal of the mollusks. The same intellectual application to the science of war that he has devoted to the study of gastropods might have developed in him even a greater soldier than Hindenburg or Ludendorff or Mackensen.

Whatever dreams the father had for this only son were rudely interrupted when the lad was 11 years of age by a collapse of the family fortune, which laid the head of the family flat on his back. His friends came to his rescue and generously opened their purses to him, but he declined their offers, and said that if he accepted such help it would be but exchanging masters. His determination was to go to a new country where he was not even known and where people had never heard of his failure, and there begin anew the battle of life.

First he settled in Missouri, which is the mecca of so many Germans. There, his son says, they "spent a year in misery;" and then he moved to Burlington, Iowa, and set up a stake.

Struggling along as best he could, he managed to send his son to the high school—he had already completed his grammar school course in Breslau—and then things seem to come to a dead halt. The child who at 3½ years of age had a bent for catching snails, now in maturer years, developed a bent for snaring birds. His life seemed such a useless and purposeless one. Ever in the woods studying birds, spending all day sometimes watching the habits of one species. Then he attached himself to an older person, a geologist, who took him out on exploring expeditions up and down the Mississippi River, chiefly, however, in the bottoms on the Illinois side from Burlington.

That particular region is a wonderful biological laboratory, and on these excursions the older man uncovered among other things great quantities of fossils which he gave into the keeping of the youth, and this association stimulated the interest of the youth in a wider knowledge of science. But he kept after the birds and before he was grown had made a collection of 3,000 birds indigenous to that region. It was the largest collection in America, perhaps; surely the largest ever made in any one restricted area. And it attracted attention to the collector.

First one person and then another went to the father of the young ornithologist and told him he ought to send the boy to the State University at Iowa City. He was then 22 years of age. The pressure was too great to be withstood, and so it was arranged.

When the tall, flaxen-haired, blue-eyed, bespectacled German youth reached Iowa City he had a letter from the Burlington geologist to the State geologist, Samuel Calvin, one of the most remarkable men in the West. On presenting the letter, Calvin asked the young man what he wanted to study. "Ornithology," was the quick and steady answer. For an hour they talked birds, the geologist testing the young man's knowledge, and doing something more than that—making an astounding revelation of himself to the student before him. Here was the State geologist displaying an accurate and astounding knowledge of birdlife. Maybe there was something more to this thing than he had dreamed of.

Going to the blackboard, Samuel Calvin drew a vertical line, and said to the young man: "That represents ornithology. As you climb up that line you begin to get shaky and as you near the top of it you wobble so that you can hardly hold on. Let's forget about birds now. You already know more than Prof. Blank (the master of birds)."

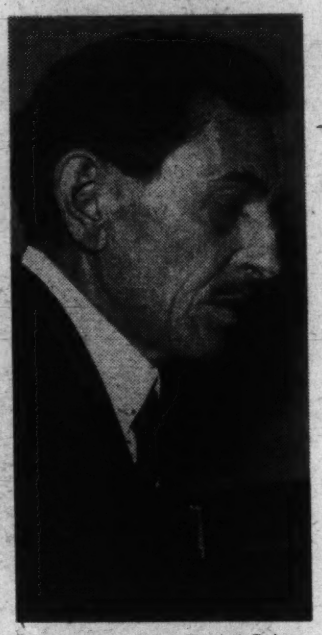
Calvin then drew a horizontal line and on that superimposed two other lines which met at a given point and formed a pyramid. From the base of the pyramid he drew vertical lines that reached the sloping sides of the pyramid.

"Now," said he, "let this represent your course of study. Here are geology, and biology, and botany and zoology; and here are your languages, and here is your mathematics, and here are your chemistry and metallurgy and your physics. When you have learned these you can take up ornithology again and when you climb to the top you will be on such a firm foundation that you will not fall off when you begin to wobble."

It was a stiff course, very stiff for one who had not been properly prepared for it, but the young man completed the four years' work in two years and three months, after suffering a nervous breakdown in his first year. Then he took his master's degree at the same university, and followed it with his doctorate in philosophy. It was not necessary for him to go to any so-called greater institution to get these degrees; and it is to be doubted if he would have done any better at Oxford or Cambridge, Berlin or Freyburg or the Sorbonne, Columbia or Johns Hopkins. He himself says that he never knew a faculty that had greater teachers than the three men who rounded out his intellectual life.

In their company, from their instruction, amid an environment that was probably the happiest he has ever known, he got the stimulus he needed, and when he had received the last degree he could obtain there he had a fixed purpose to spend his life in the hermitage of his alma mater, giving back to Iowa through his students what Iowa and those remarkable teachers had given to him. But Fate had a different purpose in ordering his life.

In the Smithsonian Institution there was another remarkable teacher, named Gall, who had slowly and painstakingly developed through a long series of years a new science which in our times has come to be known as malacology. It is the science of mollusks. In one sense Dr. Gall was a pioneer. Other scientists, in Europe particularly, had been studying mollusks. Charles Darwin had done some work in that field. The British Museum was making a collection of mollusks. But Gall's work was unique in that he had reduced his study to a particular scientific basis and had divorced mollusks from zoology and biology as a separate entity.



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Dr. Paul Bartsch, of the National Museum.

Needing some one to carry on his work, a young scientist whom he could train, Gall wrote to his friends in the various universities of the country to recommend some one. The three Iowa professors recommended their favorite pupil. Then came a request from Gall that he submit an essay on mollusks. Drawing on the rich store of his experience in the Illinois bottoms and on what he had learned in Iowa State University, he wrote a paper that so immensely pleased Gall that he was given the appointment.

"I came here in 1896, Dr. Paul Bartsch said to me, for he is the hero of this piece, "expecting to stay one year, two at the most. And here I am, entering my thirty-sixth year."

In these 36 years Dr. Bartsch has succeeded in making the collection of mollusks in the National Museum unrivaled. It is the largest and most varied in the world. In collecting it he has traveled in every corner of the world, tracking the footsteps of scientists of other countries, checking up the work of some of them after 40 and 50 years, and never so contented as when proving up the facts of the older men, whom he seems to venerate so much. In addition to mollusks—of which division of the National Museum he is curator—he is also in charge of the geological section. In a pinch I suspect that he could substitute for some of the other curators in the National Museum, and they for him. It is a devoted brotherhood in which no jealousies are allowed to develop.

This museum job is just a part of his labors. For 30 years he has been teaching at Howard University and for a less number of years at George Washington University. He belongs to so many scientific societies with such odd sounding names that he has to employ a scientist who is also a linguist as his secretary to keep track of them. He attends all their meetings and he reads papers before them. And what spare time he has is devoted to research, in which he is always engaged.

A rather singular, slandicular sort of person is this eminent scientist. I have sat in social gatherings with him and heard him lead the conversation, telling one broadly humorous story after another, until a stranger might have thought that he was a comedian by nature and a wit by profession. I have heard him lecture before a group of surgeons of the navy, and his lecture on mollusks in their relation to health was shot through and through with sunny humor and quaint observations on human nature and on the habits of snails and oysters and squids that kept his audience keyed up to high expectancy and intense cerebration. And I have read his authoritative work on mollusks which is so little technical and so thoroughly practical, tinctured here and there with the Attic salt of wit, that once taken up it was laid down with a sigh that there was not more of it.

In the chapter on "The Snails and Their Allies," in the work above referred to, he begins by saying: "The stalked eyes and the silvery trail of slime of the garden snail are familiar sights in the experience of all but the most urban of city dwellers, rather repulsive sights, too, due to an aversion to the connotations of the word slime. Applied to snails this is quite an illogical aversion, since the garden variety is a cleanly vegetarian with a marked preference for the tenderest of lettuce leaves. A catalogue of the likes and dislikes, taboos and preferences of all the groups of the human race would yield some interesting reading, little of it flattering to human intelligence. Most Americans abhor snails; Frenchmen eat them for the delicacy they are. Yet a Frenchman of Brittany hesitates to eat the fine fruit of the blackberry bushes that line his fields and roads, and for generations white men considered the tomato unfit for food."

After reading that exordium you realize that a man with a full mind, and a mind balanced by much common sense, is your instructor. You want to follow him. This is but a sample of Dr. Bartsch's talk. We were—or he was—discoursing on the importance of mollusks to the man who explores the interior of the earth—the miner and the well digger. He was telling his listener how the borer could, by noting the shells of the mollusks his drill brought up, tell what strata of earth he was passing through and what he would find as he went deeper.

"Very necessary to the man who bores for oil or mines for helium or gold or silver," he went on; and then his face lit up with a bright smile, as he exclaimed with some emotion, "more necessary to the man who is boring for water, God's best gift to man. We can get along very well without oil, and hellium, and gold and silver, and all the other minerals, but we cannot live without water. And these humble shells will tell the expert borer who knows their language and their history when he will strike water and where."

All mollusks have feet and their classification into four groups takes this fact into consideration; hence the oyster is hatchetfooted, the tooth mollusk is plowfooted, the snail family are bellyfooted and the great devil fish are headfooted. "Scientific attempts at descriptive nomenclature have rarely been so successful," he says; "certainly 'bellyfooted' is an apt name for a snail. * * * When moving the animal seems to step along; it extends and fixes the forepart, then draws up the rest like a leech, moving—so to speak—in a series of loops. * * * The resultant motion in some is, in miniature, like the swaying of an elephant, or the waddling of a very fat puppy, but, of course, much slowed up."

Does all this knowledge about mollusks amount to anything? Has Dr. Bartsch wasted his life on a purposeless pursuit? Practical men will want a practical demonstration that he has not.

In 1919-20 the harbor of San Francisco was invaded suddenly by a plague more terrible than any plague of locusts—a plague of teredos or ship borers. From ancient times this mollusk has been a terror of the seas. It fixes itself on the bottom of a ship and if the ship's bottom is not scraped ever so often it becomes foul and then rots away. No wood, not even the hardest mahogany, will withstand its attack. It has a sister that can and does bore through the hardest granite.

Before any one gave the matter a thought the wooden piling that held up the docks and warehouses in San Francisco harbor were eaten up pretty much as the white ant eats up wooden houses in the far South and in Latin America. The docks and their superstructures fell in, and when the damage was assayed the loss was found to be about $21,000,000.

In searching for the cause the malacologists found "that two years previous to the outbreak the west coast had suffered from drought, which had so materially reduced the flow of fresh water in the Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers as to permit the invasion of salt water to Suisun Bay. With the sea water came the shipworms, and they found a forest of unprotected timbers to devour."

This experience led Dr. Bartsch to make an experiment in proofing timbers against the attack of teredos. His knowledge of chemistry—he it was who furnished the poison gas detector to the chemical warfare division of the A. E. F. in 1918—and what he learned from that pyramid drawn for him by Samuel Calvin, have led him to develop a formula by which he impregnates wood with poison and with paraffin which holds it in solution and does not leak out like creosote, and this will withstand any attack of teredos. Blocks of wood so treated were buried in soil alive with white ants and kept there for seven years, and not a scratch has been made on them. This important discovery, growing out of his knowledge of mollusks and their habits, will confer an inestimable benefit to seaports the world over and to housing in tropical countries, where the wooden house is the most comfortable and best suited as well as most economical in which to live. They can now be built without fear of destruction by the terrible white ant.

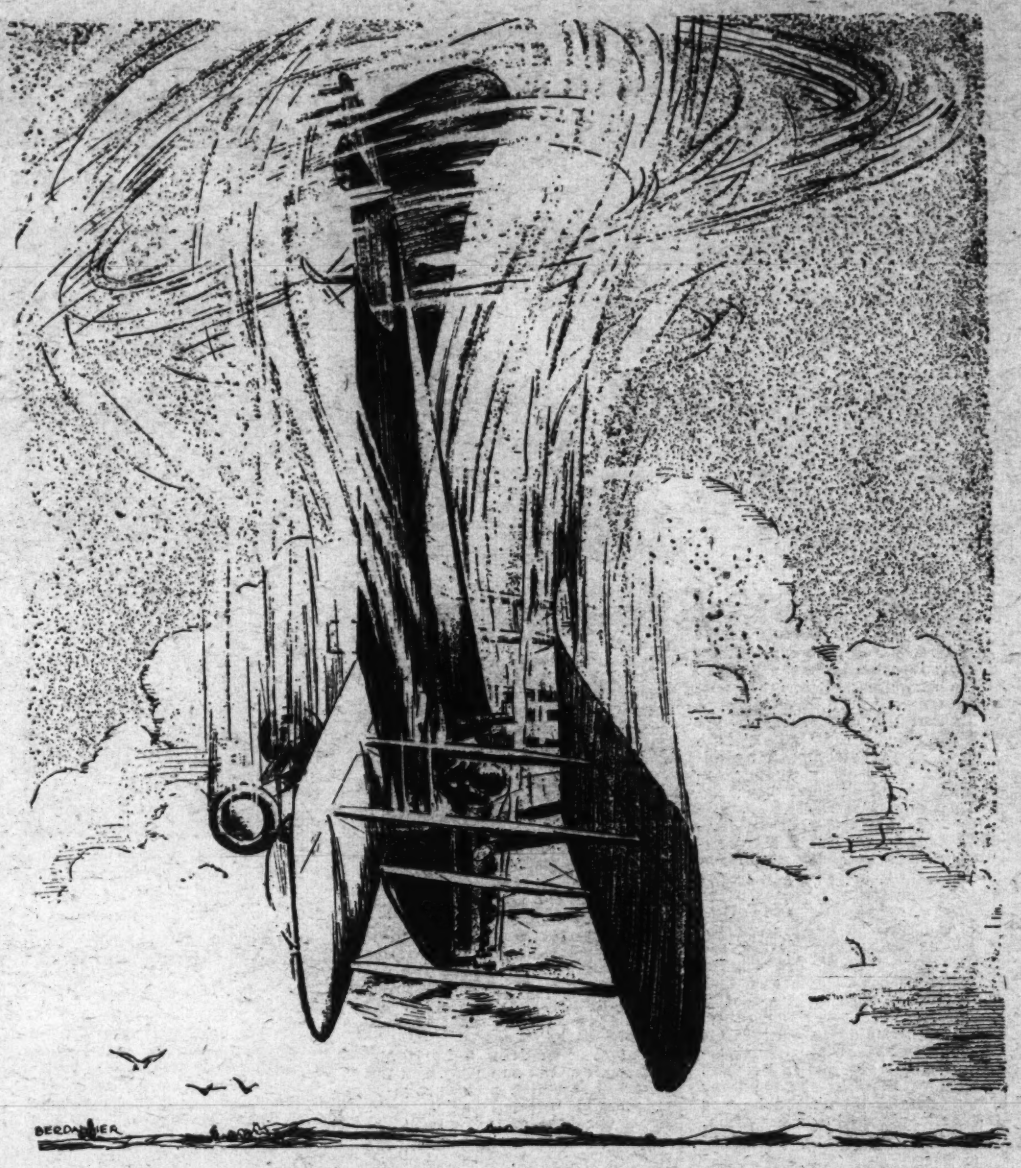
His knowledge of mollusks Dr. Bartsch has time and again in his travels turned to the improvement of health. In fact, modern sanitation requires a knowledge of mollusks and their habits. These animals are the hosts of many parasites which, when discharged in springs or in streams from which people draw their supply of drinking water, develop into enemies to health. In some tropical countries during a drouth snails or squids which are teeming with these parasites crawl to these water supplies for their own necessities and there leave their poison, which in turn passes into animals and humans, wasting them and often killing them in epidemics of unknown disease. The epidemic is checked by destroying the molluscan hosts before they reach the water course. So necessary has knowledge of mollusks become in preventive medicine that practically all medical colleges, surely all post-graduate colleges of medicine, have it in the course of study. It is so intimately linked up with helminthology that you can not understand one without a knowledge of the other.

Malacologists have done one thing that may be good and may be bad, according to the way you look at it. They have destroyed the sea legends about the chambered nautilus and the sea serpent and the devilfish that whips the tar out of a whale and is another terror of the seas. The nautilus does not sail on top of the bounding main, as the poet says; the sea serpent is just a giant squid with arms 30 or 40 feet long, and the devilfish is a devil only in the imagination of some jack tar who has a wild song to sing.

Another thing they are now doing, and that is taking steps to prevent the extermination of the oyster, which does something more than furnish food for man and exercise for the ingenuity of French cooks. It is the great reservoir of food for unnumbered hosts of marine life. These little fishes that live on oyster sperm and these big fishes that live on little fishes may not know it, but they are spoiling many a pot of Creole gumbo, which, but for the malacologists, might also in time become as extinct as the fabled hog jowl and greens and corn pone of old Virginia.

How A Tailspin Averted Tragedy

To Save a Cameraman's Life, Famous Stunt Flyer Risks His Own in a Perilous Plunge That Was Not in the Script.



The ship plunged groundward in a spin. I cut my switch and waited for the end.

Editor's Note: This is the seventh in a series of articles by Dick Grace, fearless stunt pilot, who for many years has had the hazardous job of deliberately crashing airplanes to make thrilling movie scenes. Called upon to do everything from flying through the side of a building to plunging a plane to earth at 100 miles an hour, he has made a science of his job and has not only emerged alive, but has carried out orders to the last detail. In the present article he tells of the one crash in his career that was classed a failure—though one of the most dangerous smashes he ever made, it failed to meet the specifications of the script.

By Dick Grace.
(Author of "I Am Still Alive")

BY 1929 I had many successful crashes to my credit, and the majority of people in motion pictures had changed their minds about my work. No one denied its dangers, yet everyone now took it for granted that when I signed a contract to smash a ship it was as good as done.

I used to convince myself of my ability to satisfy and to walk out safely by saying: "It is easy. You've had harder ones than this. As a matter of fact, this is the simplest crash you've ever been offered." But as broken bones occurred repeatedly, I came to the conclusion that there might be a little something amiss in my reasoning and I kept asking myself questions quite the reverse of this. "Is there anything you've neglected? Don't forget that the details are all that need to be attended to—the big things will take care of themselves. Are your belts strong enough? Does the fuselage need bracing for this particular stunt? Is your body in physical shape and under complete control?" Details govern my life. I think they govern the lives of the majority of us, though at the time we perform or neglect some minor act it seems of little importance.

Still, in everything there is an element of fortune for which there is no explanation. Never since I entered the Naval Air Service have I ceased flying. I am getting old in the profession. Yet I have not chosen the safest or the easiest way of flying. I am here. I am fortunate.

An old Navajo Indian chieftain and I became friends while I was flying in Arizona. I took him for his first flight and afterward visited him frequently. From his people he learned that I not only flew airplanes but that I crashed them as well, so he insisted on seeing a motion picture in which I had performed.

On leaving the theater he remained silent for a long time. We walked together out of the small town and toward his desert reservation. His sharp old eyes never moved from the ground. For fifteen minutes neither of us said a word. Then, suddenly, he stopped and turned his wrinkled old face to me.

"See? Um splash bug!" He pointed to the ground, and sure enough there was a great fat beetle. "Watch," he said laconically, and with his heavy leathered moccasin he stepped upon it. "Squish—him gone!" he ejaculated, and I nodded as I viewed the flattened remains.

Another long walk. Again a stop.

"See! We kill 'um?" he asked, pointing to a scorpion.

"Certainly—of course," I answered.

The chief jumped as high as he could and landed directly upon the pest.

"Now we go—him dead," he said, and as I looked at the thing crushed into the hard sand I was convinced he was right.

We walked for about five paces and the chief stood still.

"Must go back now," he said, retracing his steps. Frankly, I could not understand his actions. "Come," he said imperatively.

We went back to the spot where he had jumped on the scorpion.

"Now," he said, exultingly.

The scorpion was slowly extricating itself from the packed sand and, with almost a bored appearance, was unlimbering its fuzzy legs. Lazily it rose to its full height and shambled away.

"Him hard devil," and the chief shook his head. "People like um splash bugs and sand devil. Many die squish, some no can kill!"

The chief may be right. The Fates may be kind to me.

At any rate, I consider my escape from the next crash I undertook was almost beyond mathematical reason. In a single moment I had to discard all of those little precautions, all of the forces which I had previously used to "bring me out." For the first time I had to sit back and await the will of Lady Luck.

It happened on a picture called "Young Eagles." I was in the East, preparing for a happy Christmas reunion with my mother, whom I had seen but once in the previous five years. Word was wired to me to proceed immediately to Hollywood. William Wellman, who had directed me for the crashes in "Wings," wanted me for the thrills in his latest picture.

When I arrived at the studio we went into conference. It was Saturday, December 21. The next day the entire technical staff and I went to look over various locations.

A sun-baked plateau, dotted with naturally converging rows of wild oak trees, was finally selected. At the center of these cameras were to be placed near a natural ravine. I watched the workmen build the high camera tower and noted with interest that they carefully removed all the dry grass from the surface of the spot where the ship was to end. This precaution was to prevent possibility of fire spreading to the wooded hills not far distant. I superintended the building of the rope confines back of which the spectators and all but the director, my rescue crews, and the cameramen must stay.

"Where's the ship?" I asked, after those preliminaries had been taken care of.

"We haven't one yet, but we know where we can get one," the business manager answered.

I went to look at it. Although it hadn't been flown for months, it seemed in fair condition. For $600 I flew it away. In the air it handled crudely. Extremely slow on control. But I did not mind that as much as the inaccuracy of the rudder bar. It not only moved laterally, as it should, but was so loose on its pinion and fitting that there were several inches of vertical play in it as well.

An abominable crate. But when I landed I found that there was no way to remedy the defect unless several days were consumed in its reconstruction, and as the time allotted to me was all too short I decided that the ship would have to remain as it was.

Once again the preparations for the final day. Tanks removed, instruments stripped from the board. Exposed tubing near my feet padded. Horsehair placed where my head might hit. Belts tested and fitted.

The day arrived—a somber day. Dark rain clouds overcast the entire sky in the early morning and, as time passed resolved themselves into a fog and a drizzle. The emergency field was heavy. The sticky gumbo made take-offs difficult with any craft, and with the relic I had it was questionable whether the wheels would ever leave the ground. Such details are annoying with a crash to think about immediately after taking the air. There was trouble with the motor, too. It refused to turn up. The mechanics were working like madmen to get it in shape.

I was sitting on the ground waiting. I had made a last survey. Everything was in readiness. The cameras had made test shots. Chemical fire tanks had been tried. The doctor and nurse were prepared for emergency duty. The motor of the stand-by car was running. Rescue crews were placed. Troupe policemen leaned idly against the ropes that closed off the danger area. Still I waited. There must be sun.

The usual lucky minutes before and after 11:45, my favorite crashing time, passed into eternity. Two o'clock! There was a general breaking of the clouds. I glanced toward the troupe some quarter of a mile away, looking momentarily for the red wig-wag that was to send me roaring on my way. The motor of the ship was idling, a mechanic at the controls. Any minute now the signal should come. For the first time the sun found an opening. I adjusted the belt of my leather coat and strapped the helmet tightly on my head.

Then came the signal. A red flag waved violently down near that crowed area. Another was waving from the tall signal and camera tower. Thus I knew that both the technical and the camera departments were ready.

Instantly I was on my feet. My left hand was on the fuselage and my foot in the step. I felt some one grip my right hand.

"All the luck in the world. Good-by!"

I flamed red. My other hand dropped to my side, and I looked squarely into the eyes of a young girl. She did not know that she had crossed my pet superstition—a handshake and a good-by.

Mechanically I muttered a "Thank you," and was in the cockpit.

My lap belt was in place. Chest belts were fastened and the shoulder straps buckled. I manipulated the gas and throttle with three fingers, as I should have to do in a few minutes. The motor was turned up and tested for the last time. Then I gave orders to remove the chucks.

Away went the old ship down the fairway. Soon the tail lifted out of the mud. We gathered speed. A few hundred feet down the slight incline I pulled the stick back and we were in the air. Swinging over toward the troupe, I saw that all of the cameramen were by their equipment. Again a red flag from the ground signaled that the microphones were ready to record the sound of the motor and of the crash. Then I banked away, gained a little altitude, and made a quick turn.

My altimeter, placed conveniently on my left, indicated that I was up a hundred and fifty feet. Now my eyes were on the rows of trees. I could see the tall derrick through them, with cameramen and a few of the privileged technical staff on its top landing. Throttling the motor slightly, I lost about 50 feet. From this height I decided to plunge in. Nearer and nearer we came. Now it was almost time to control into the spot.

An accident! A catastrophe! For just a bare second my foot slipped from the loose rudder! To find the wobbly control again I had to take my eyes from the ground. Would there be time? A decision had to be made. I could not climb sufficiently to clear the obstacles ahead. I must crash! If it weren't on the spot it would be into that maze of automobiles and spectators or against the tall tower. If the latter, with what horrible results could only be conjectured.

A slight glance. My foot was there. Too late! I couldn't get in where I was supposed to. I banked quickly to the left. No one would dare continue in the direction in which I was headed.

Below me, some little distance ahead, was a lone cameraman. I was pocketed again. No time now to pause and consider a multitude of possible alternatives. No thought of saving the ship or of getting the shot. Certainly no thought of what would happen to me. With a yank I pulled the stick toward me as far as it would go. Then the rudder was kicked to the right. My throttle hand pushed the gun on full.

It was a tail-spin position. A tail-spin with power, but there was a cameraman down there, a man I had worked with on many pictures—Elmer Dyer. The most daring individual who ever turned a crank. I knew he was grinding, would grind until I hit the ground or him.

The ship almost turned on its back. Then it plunged groundward in a spin. Reaching over I cut my switch and waited. The ground was coming up at an amazing rate.

Crash! The motor hit and plunged through the gas tank. The wheels and the landing car-

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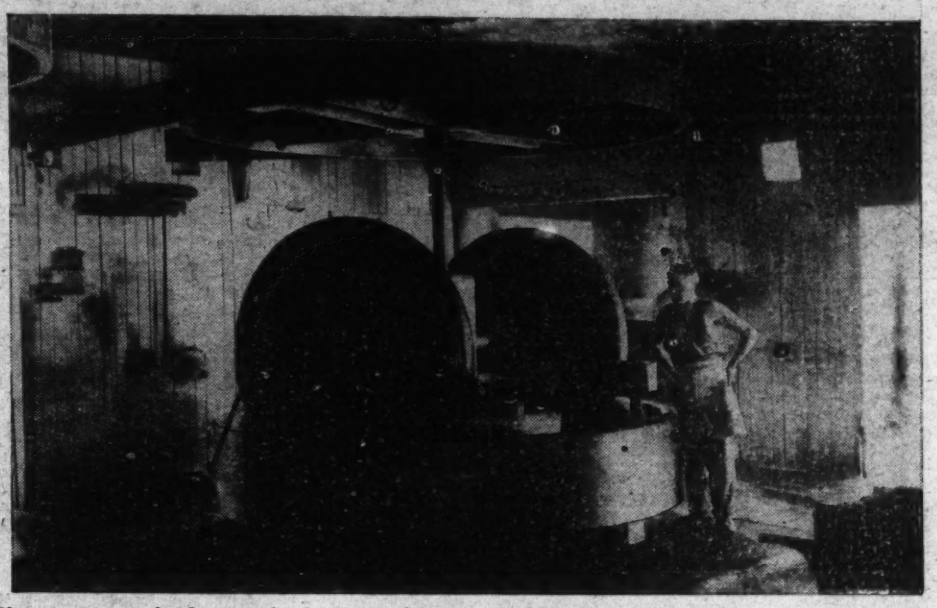
Mixing Dynamite, The Devil's Brew

A Nerve-Tingling Trip Through Kitchens Where Iron Men Tame Nitroglycerin for a Thousand Different Uses.

By George Allan England

A WIRE fence with whitewashed posts, a gatehouse, yellow fire hydrants, and a sign: "High explosives! Keep off!"

That was my first view of one of the awful, magical kitchens where iron-nerved men mix, in gigantic kettles, the most potent broth in the world—a broth with enough kick to annihilate a New York or a Chicago in the batting of an eye, yet so indispensable in its uses that the mighty works of our modern civilization could never have risen without it.



These giant wheels grind the nitroglycerin and a chemical "dope" together to produce the explosive, dynamite.

A workman nonchalantly loading a nitroglycerin "buggy" with powerful explosive coming from a tank through heavy rubber pipes.

Dynamite! Harnessed by engineers as an obedient servant, it is man's most effective instrument of progress, his most powerful weapon in overcoming nature's obstacles. It levels mountains, digs canals and harbors, bores tunnels and subways, builds roads, reclaims arid lands, clears forests, releases ores from the mines, supplies us with coal for heat and power, and with cement for construction work of almost every kind. But——

It is temperamental. Today it may take an awful beating without a murmur; tomorrow it may blow up over some unconsidered trifle, to blast a path of destruction and death!

If you want a lot of new, creepy sensations, go beyond that wire fence with its whitewashed posts, and watch the stirring and brewing of this concentrated power; watch men juggling with potential annihilation.

Inside the gatehouse at the plant of a great powder company I found Superintendent Brimijoin, who seems to have survived a good many years. He sat back of a big, glass-topped desk, and grew eloquent about the deadly perils of—city traffic.

"Powder? Oh, I don't mind powder at all." ("Powder," you understand, means dynamite and the highly explosive nitroglycerin of which it is made.) "But crossing streets in New York sure does wreck me. It's three times as risky as working in an explosives factory."

"But haven't you ever seen an explosion?" I queried.

"Oh, yes. Autos, though, kill and cripple a lot more people than powder. You'd be surprised how much explosive can sometimes blow without casualties. I know of a storehouse that went up in 'twenty-eight from a direct lightning-strike, and didn't kill a single man. And one time lightning hit one of our nitroglycerin houses with nearly four tons of the stuff. The bolt struck a lead vent pipe from a storage tub. It melted four inches of liquid lead down into the nitroglycerin—and the stuff never even blew."

"The men did, though?"

"No, sir. When a nitroglycerin-line is on—that is, when the process is under way—not even lightning can stop it. If the men quit, the stuff will heat and go up. So they simply have to stay on the job, no matter what happens."

"At very high pay?"

"No. Only about the average wage. The death rate in our business is no higher than in many other trades. And all our people—even the 'powder-monkeys' who go out giving service and shooting charges—can get insurance. We've lost only seven men in twenty-four years, out of two to three hundred employes here. But you've got to watch your step, round an explosives plant. No careless man can hold a job here. 'Better fire a man than bury him' is our motto."

Still, a sign at the entrance looked reassuring: "We Have Worked 227 Days Without an Accident." At this entrance a box beside a turnstile received all my metals and matches. That box was a real curiosity. It held every kind of match, knife, key, cigar lighter and junk. Very carefully I "fished" my pockets. This rule I was more than anxious to keep.

"And so is everybody," Tom Darlington, another old-timer, who acted as my guide, informed me. "We won't have to chase intruders away, either. The whole area here, over a square mile, is posted. Whenever strangers come across our signs, they just naturally evaporate. And as for matches, no employes could conveniently carry them, even if they wanted to. All their pockets are sewed up or cut out. Just for bringing one safety match inside this fence, it's ten days lay-off without pay. And one strike-anywhere match means instant discharge, no matter how long a man has been with us."

"We once had a mighty close call with a strike-anywhere," added Brimijoin, as we pushed across a vast, grassy space networked by black cinder patches, railroad tracks and elevated steam pipes—an area where red brick and wooden buildings stood far-spaced, suspiciously aloof. "I once found a strike-anywhere being stirred round and round with the powder in a mixer. How'd it ever get there? Search me! But if I hadn't discovered it just when I did a good many obituary notices might have been written!"

We walked along some of the 20 miles of railroad tracks inside the plant inclosure. And so we reached a "dope" storehouse. A "dope" in the high explosives business is any kind of material containing carbon that, absorbing nitroglycerin, converts it into dynamite and makes the high explosives safe for shipment and for use. The "dopes" now used include wood pulp, starch, oat hulls, chalk, sawdust, wheat and corn flour, sulphur, bagasse meal, sago and nitrates of soda and ammonia, some of which are in themselves active agents that help detonations.

We pressed on from the dope house, past cars and elevated tanks of acids, water-standpipes, compressed air locomotives; past power houses and cranes; under huge ammonia tanks and intricate lines of pipe borne on tall posts. Then the carpenter and machine shops where all the plant machinery is made. There, huge leaden plates were in process of manufacture.

"All our floors are of lead, in the danger area," Darlington explained. I enjoyed that term, "danger area," a place we were now approaching. "Can't strike a spark from lead, you see."

And thus, with eager anticipation of the spice of deadly peril, I came to the nitrating house, the chemists' kitchen where the nitroglycerin is brewed. Inside an immense barricade of timbers and earth squatted a building with only it's roof visible. A runway and a steep, smooth chute surmounted this barricade; a chute down which a man could hurl himself at high speed, if in a terrific hurry. It looked reassuring, that chute did. Such barricaded buildings lay scattered far apart, each like a jealous hen in splendid isolation brooding over her eggs—and what eggs!

Upper right—A peaceful island where a charge of dynamite has been planted. Above—The charge goes off with a shattering roar. Left—After the blast, with the top of the island blown off by the terrific force of the explosion.

Your knees feel just a bit shaky as you approach the nitrating house, which your guides blandly assure you is one of the two most dangerous places in the whole works.

You reach this house through a gap in the immense fortification or barricade, which in case of a "blow" will shoot everything (including yourself) vertically, like a volcano. This, of course, safeguards neighboring property. Hydrants, fire pumps, and hose are much in evidence. Precautions extend even to the tram rails, which, inside the barricade, are wooden. Then, too, a rubber mat lies outside the door.

"Read that," cautions Brimijoin, pointing to a sign: "Please Wipe Your Feet Before Entering This Building!" He adds: "We don't risk having gravel or even sand carried in. Wiping our feet gets to be a habit, every time we go through a door. I do it, even at home. And see my shoes? All soft-soled. Sewed, throughout. Nails in shoes might cause a blow. No metal eyelets. Not even a metal tip on a shoe lace. Every employe has this same kind."

Rubber-coated are the steps by which you mount into the nitrating house. White-painted beams and boards, shafting, pulleys, gauges, thermometers, four immense white tanks, queer smells, and a sense of taut watchfulness—such are your first impressions. Though it's broad daylight outside here within the barricade electric lights are necessary.

"They're wired in special containers," explains Darlington. "And, as you see, each light is inclosed in a heavy glass box. The floors are all lead. Everything's grounded against lightning and every kind of electricity, even static. And see these tools? All bronze or Monel metal—hammers, pliers, everything. No chance to strike a spark. And a special tool-holder here, with a place for each tool. When a man uses one of the tools, he has to check it out and in again. Every means that human ingenuity can think of is employed to eliminate the possibility of an accident."

It sounds encouraging. You need encouragement. For there below, as you peer over the rail

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The Blow-Off—by COURTNEY RYLEY COOPER

IN the beginning of dawn an elephant stirred sleepily in the bull-car of the Tri-United Circus and chirruped a note of fatigue. The big door had opened, a man now was within and working at the ring chain, speaking briskly as he did so, "All right, Barney, old top. Hop to it! We're up against another one of those things!"

The elephant chirruped again, in friendly protest. He was tired, dog-tired; Barney's existence for the last few months had been one of unceasing work. It had been the same for his keeper, standing in friendly appraisal of the hulking elephant, which towered at least a foot higher than the three other elephants which still dozed in spite of the interruption. The keeper turned to a box at the end of the car, returning with a tremendous harmonica of some five notes—it was Barney's and he loved it, as a dog loves a bone.

Back in the old days, before Barney's worth as a worker had been discovered, this had been his sole trick—to blast chords with the intake and output of his breath upon this harmonica. The joy of it had never diminished; when persuasion, shouts, yelps and cusswords failed, Barney could always summon just one more push and one more tug if he had his harmonica.

The loading runs were a tangle of men, wagons and horses as the big elephant and his keeper approached. The bull-keeper swung about with a quick survey of his surroundings.

"All right, Barney!" he snapped. "Tune up, old fellow." Then, as the elephant blasted amiably, thus sounding a chord upon his beloved harmonica, the pair moved to action. Two hours later, under harness now and with three wagons in his wake, Barney began his march to the circus lot.

At the sandy, too small circus lot, even the performers were working, the women among them, as the Tri-United strove desperately to right itself in time for the matinee. Denison hooked Barney quickly toward a stalled property wagon. There he left him in the command of a gawking but efficient assistant called Fullhouse, then hurried on so he might answer the whistle of the circus mail carrier.

It was a letter from Chicago, Denison read it several times as if in the hope that there might be something between the lines to change his import. But there was nothing. He jammed it into a pocket, then, looking up, crossed the circus lot toward the spot where the big top would be.

A girl of perhaps 22, her young face flushed by her activities, appeared there, struggling to drag a quarter-pole through the sand.

Denison ran toward her. "Lita!" he called. Then, when she turned, "That's too heavy for you."

"I've just found it out," the girl answered with a laugh as she dropped the pole. Suddenly, however, her mood changed. "Oh, Joe! Did you hear? Was it bad news?"

Denison shrugged his shoulders. "Guess I'm licked, Lita," he answered. "Shifty Willie holds all the cards."

She frowned, shifting her blue eyes warily. "Sh-h-h!" came in a low voice. "He's just behind you!"

Simultaneously there sounded a wheezy command, and Joe Denison turned. "Yes, Uncle Will," he said.

Fifty feet away, a small, overdressed man of perhaps 55, waved a thick malacca cane in angry command. "Come on here Joe!" he snapped. "Where's that Barney bull?"

"Over giving a push on a property wagon. It's in the sand."

"What do I care if it's in the sand?" The voice was rasping with spleen. "They've got hours to get that big top up. Take him off that job and give Pokey Brennan a lift with the kid show."

Joe Denison said nothing. He merely resumed control of Barney and moved for the work of the side show. Here he accepted the commands of tight-upped men, who did little work and who seemed to be cut to a pattern. Their hats often had four dents in them, their unobtrusive garments might all have been made by the same slightly out-of-date tailor, and there was inevitably a diamond stud glistening beneath their evenly tabbed bow ties.

After a long time the tent was up. The men moved inside, some covering small tables with felt cloths or working with the mechanism of various devices and carefully noting the manner in which the tumblers dropped. One or two shuffled decks of cards appraisingly.

On the ballyhoo platform, Shifty Willie Moran, sole owner and proprietor of the Tri-United Circus—so the billboards said—waved his cane and shouted in his squeaky voice of the wonders to be seen within. Joe Denison, a cynical light in his brown eyes, went within. There was a muttering hum of voices; here a card flipped, farther on dice rattled. A man laughed excitedly and spoke of his winnings; hurriedly, cappers moved to his side to congratulate him and urge him to heavier play.

At last Joe Denison watched a man disentangle himself from a group at the end of the tent and stand panting, his face ghastly. Plainly a farmer, as plainly overwhelmed by swift events, he now stood dazed, his heavy hands searching his pockets—Denison knew it was fruitless. "Did they get you, brother?" he asked as the farmer rocked for an instant beside him.

"Every cent I owned in the world," came huskily. "Three thousand dollars. They got me to draw it out of the bank—"

He lurched again and once more moved toward the entrance. A low whistle sounded from a tall man in unobtrusive clothing, merely a wanderer of the side show to all appearances. Instantly, two others of the same breed, their eyes alert for the lookout's nodded directions, moved from the "Cologne Joint" and hurried under the marquee toward the midway. Denison watched them; he knew the process. First they would sympathize, then they would threaten; after all, it had been gambling, they would say, and that was as much against the law for one as for another. Finally, they would part with a hundred-dollar bill, and another boob, if he ran true to form, had been "handled." For these thieves, "squaring a squawk," it was all part of a day's work. For Joe Denison, it was a bitter typification of crookedness which had changed his entire outlook on life.

It had brought him half around the world, for one thing. It had given him Lita Hendrie, and for that he was grateful. Even in this, however, were heartaches; besides, there were other responsibilities which Joe Denison now must put even before his own ideas of happiness. Because of those responsibilities, he had left the compounds of India, and the chances for wealth, that he might fight in the dark for the saving of a fortune that was not his own. He had endured jibes, slurs, slights and mistreatment without remonstrance. He had even taken gratefully the attempted insult of making him a bull-keeper. Shifty Willie Moran, in his attempt to drive Joe Denison from the circus, had here played straight in the younger man's hands. Denison knew elephants; one has the chance to learn them in India.

Shifty Willie's calculations had not included Joe Denison. Apparently safe from interference, he had argued an aged sister into giving him control of all her savings; it had been disconcerting when her son had learned of it and thrown over his chances in the teakwood business that he might return to America in an attempt at reclamation. Shifty Willie Moran didn't like such things. He showed his dislike on every possible occasion. But Joe Denison had only waited—and obeyed every command.

There had been nothing else to do. His game had been a waiting one, he knew. But now, watching the victim of the "Big Joint" and his two voluble companions as they walked about the circus lot, he realized that there was little to wait for. He had not counted on this. Thieving shows, he had thought, had passed out of existence a generation ago.

They had—for all but Shifty Willie Moran. Once he had gotten his hands upon a fortune which he had desired, giving a show as security, the warp of his brain had conceived something more. Graft—or grift, as it is known in the show world—had been shoved farther and farther into the background by years of honest showmanship. Now there would be a new crop of suckers; and his the power to trim them!

Joe Denison saw the cost—epitomized in that dazed farmer, barely now coming to the argumentative stage as the shillibers strove to inveigle him from the circus grounds. The towns where the Tri-United could never play again, the terrific work of the circus forces as driven off the beaten track by the fierce opposition of the larger and honest circuses, this gypsy caravan struggled on, with an ache in the heart of every member of its personnel—save that of Shifty Willie Moran and his ghoul-like crew of the side show. For them, the "sticks" were paradise; here was unsophistication, slow-thinking bankers easily duped into confidences regarding their heavy depositors; yokel-minded country people, easy prey to cupidity. What mattered it to Shifty if the seats of the big top were scantily filled? He was reaping his gains in the side show. What did he care if the wagons were becoming rickety and the canvas torn, if horses staggered from excessive work and poor feeding, if the elephants were scrawny and the cage stock diseased? A month more and the circus season would end. A note would come due for payment. The Tri-United—poor security even in the beginning—would fulfill that matter. Then Shifty could go onward to new endeavors with a second fortune gained as the result of his efforts to evade the payment of a first.

There was nothing to do about it. The letter in his pocket told Joe Denison that. Again he glanced toward the group of three men at the edge of the circus grounds; the victim was arguing and struggling with the shillibers, who were striving to smother his outbursts. From the big top came the sound of staccato music and Denison, a brighter light in his eyes, moved somewhat briskly for the pad room.

She was in the ring. She leaped and pirouetted and swayed atop her "rosinback" as the genial equestrian horse made his way about the ring. Joe Denison watched her with the fascination that only a man in love can know, but it carried a thread of sorrow.

"If I just had the money!" he mused, "I'd make her the greatest riding star under canvas."

He brought himself out of his melancholy only soon enough to greet her as, flushed, panting, she ran beside her broad-backed horse from the big top.

Lita Hendrie halted and led the man to a seat beside her on a bale of hay. "What did the letter say?" she asked. "Let me read it."

Joe Denison obeyed silently. Then leaning close, her arm about his shoulders, they surveyed it:

My Dear Mr. Denison—Referring to our previous correspondence and to your last letter, I see no recourse under law other than the ordinary course of events.

To recapitulate: Your uncle borrowed $125,000 from his sister, your mother, on a personal note for two years, giving as security his circus, the Tri-United, and adding, but not in writing, the inducement that he would insure his life in her favor for the face of the note, plus interest, viz., $140,000.

Now, you state that he is running down the show and that it will be worth not more than $60,000, including the elephants and stock, when the note falls due on December 18. We are sorry to say that this can not be helped, as the show was put up as security and accepted without a clause regarding its upkeep.

In regard to the insurance, which you state you found he intended allowing to lapse, you paying the current premium and thus keeping it in force, we regret to state that we have had correspondence with the company and learn that your payment of the premiums does not bind that insurance to you. As long as he holds the policy, he can change the beneficiary at will, or borrow on the premiums which you are paying. Yours truly,

Mastin, Mastin, Reed & Harbin.
By E. H. Mastin.

"He'll never die anyway!" said Denison.

"What's that?" Lita Hendrie had straightened, in an attitude of alarm.

I said——"

"No, I didn't mean that." The girl had raised a hand as if for silence. "There it goes again."

Denison's eyes widened. He, too, had heard; a sound as of conflict, then the bellowing of voices. Suddenly a memory flashed through his brain—of that pasty-faced man, reeling from the side show; of the shillibers on his trail——

There was cursing now, and loud cries. Denison caught Lita by a shoulder. "Quick!" he commanded. "Into the dressing tent and your street clothes! There's trouble!"

But she halted, even in the beginning of her flight. The side wall of the pad room had risen and Shifty Willie Moran had ducked beneath.

"Nix!" he cautioned. "Nix crackin' if anybody asks for me. Etgay emay?" he asked in swift "hog Latin." "Ighay asksquay!" Then, hurrying on to the protection of high baled hay, he shot angrily over his shoulder. "Don't you get me, you saps? There's been a hot touch and a rumble!"

The answer came, not from Denison or the girl, but from the side wall. It had risen again, to reveal peering forms; then with a shout they were within, the victimized farmer among them. "Come on out here!" one of them shouted. "You're not going to run away!"

"Now, gents," he said, attempting tragically to hold an appearance of the debonair, "I aint done nuthin' to you."

The crowd muttered. It was growing larger now. But Joe Denison almost forgot it in other sounds from the direction of the side show, men shouting and a male voice screaming desperately, like a trapped animal. Shifty Willie heard it, too, and paled slightly, taking heart, however, at the sight of a half dozen rough-appearing men moving to places of vantage within the side wall. Moran shot a glance toward the nearest and tied his handkerchief around his wrist.

It sent the blood from Denison's face. It caused the remainder of the rough men to glance grimly about for tent stakes and other weapons. A canvasman departed hastily to spread the word. Again a message came from the trapped Shifty, this time to Denison, "Etgay ethay ullbay! Eartay ownday!"

"Get the bull! Tear down!" It meant to have old Barney ready, a quarter-pole poised in his trunk, set to charge upon any threatening crowd. It meant also to give the word to tear down, to stop the performance and load out quickly.

Rudderless, the show seemed to flounder that day; bills went unpaid; there was no money. Bosses asked questions of other bosses, performers gathered in groups about the dressing tent, wondering if the end had come. Then at last, far at the edge of the circus lot, Joe Denison met Lita Hendrie and together they talked earnestly for more than an hour.

"I've got to do it!" the man said at last. "I've $5,000 in the bank at home. I've wired mother to send it to me. I told her also what has happened and not to listen to Shifty if he shows up and wants a renewal on that note. He may figure he'll need everything he can get for defense in case he's caught."

Lita Hendrie grasped his arm. "But Joe, for us to attempt to run the show?"

"There's no choice. It's got to be done! I'm going to get this show into winter quarters if I have to sell half of it to keep moving. We can't switch the route—there isn't money with which to pay forfeits in order to change contracts. The show's got to go on—some way, Lita."

"It'll go on, Joe!" the girl answered; suddenly she had turned to him, her hands against his breast. "It's got to go on! I've got a little money. You're right. We can't stop—if we ever did, we'd be stranded."

That afternoon Joe Denison made a hurried motor trip to the nearest city; two elephants were missing from the menagerie the next day. A railroad had presented its bill, stalled from day to day by Shifty Willie. There had been the alternative of parting with the animals to a city park, or seeing the circus travel into the hands of a railroad by attachment.

Onward, cutting south, the show went, a desperate, constantly constricting affair. Joe Denison knew that he possessed no right in law to do it—he was fighting to save what he could, and he was doing it with every weapon he could summon. A third elephant was sold, and some of the horses. But the show went on.

And it was Barney who moved it; Barney, blowing dolorously now upon his big harmonica as he went from task to task. Onward the Tri-United went. Hope beckoned from the distance—Badenville, the last town before the run to winter quarters. Badenville, rich and reeking with new-found oil, sprawled over the Texas prairies, starved for amusement, willing to pay double prices, even triple, if the circus could but reach it!

Six days to go! Out of Oklahoma the Tri-United staggered and into the first of the small Texas towns. Onward—Keystown, Maob, Jardner, Greenby, onward and to the next to last stand at Lattville.

There, in midmorning, Joe Denison and Lita Hendrie faced each other, each with the same question in their gaunt eyes. It was Joe who found the answer. "We've got to!" he said. "It'll blow over sometime tonight—tomorrow's bound to be fair! Brady," he called to the front door boss, "send out announcers with the parade. Only one show at 2 o'clock. Keep them shouting it, after the parade's over."

A new enemy was threatening; vicious, lowering, biding its time. There was a hint of moisture in the chilling wind which foreboded ill, carrying as it did the threat of a "norther," mist driving upon the breast of a frigid gale and freezing to glass the country upon which it descends.

Noon came, with the mistiness increasing. One o'clock arrived; the tents were up. Joe Denison gave thanks for that and for the crowd before the gates, even though it was pitifully small. He could at least take the few hundred dollars which this afternoon's performance meant, and, by giving everything he possessed to the railroad company, assure the move to Badenville.

Two o'clock arrived and with it a circus crowd which did little more than patch the seats. The storm was closer now. Even as the shivering circus got under way, it broke. The performance proceeded, in spite of the dangers; the freezing mist was driving now between the interstices of the canvas. Riggings were beginning to coat and congeal; every leap and twist must be gauged to the minimum now, lest thickly resined hands fail to grasp the dangerous, slippery holds. On the way to the ring, Lita Hendrie passed the man she loved without even speaking. Concentration had reached this point; there must be no diversion, no turning of the attention from the protection of life—and the fact that the show must go on!

Joe Denison, however, had halted only for an instant. Already the tearing down must begin. Hurriedly, Barney beside him, he went from job to job about the lot, veering finally with an inspiration to the blacksmith tent. "Just got an idea," he said. "We can't drop the main tents by hand—the minute the fall guys are released, the weight of the canvas will be thrown on the poles and snap them. We've got extra poles, but we can't kill men. Make up about six tempered rings of steel with an inch opening, and eyelets bored at each side of that opening to tie off a rope to them. Then sharpen the inside of the rings to a knife edge. Understand?"

"Yeh—so you can use Barney to cut those fall guys?"

"Exactly. He could stand a pole dropping."

The blacksmith turned to his task. Joe Denison went onward, to new labors, new sufferings.

Fires sparkled about the lot; carbides gleamed; a dog-tired man and an elephant moved to the pushing of wagons, the pulling of heavy rolls of ice-coated canvas, the dragging of poles and the jerking of stakes. Then, as a duty summoned from across the lot, Joe Denison and his musical assistant moved toward it, only to halt. A voice had called from the darkness of the stake and chain wagon. It was Shifty Willie. "Joe!" he snapped.

"Oh, you're back."

"Yeh. Tickled to death, ain't you? Well, never mind. Tear down to the cars and look in the second drawer of my desk.

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Reading The Trademarks Of Crime

How Science Aids the Manhunter to Identify Minute Traces Left Behind by the Unsuspecting Breaker of the Law.

By Homer Duncan.

IN THE dining room of a residence which had been looted of more than $10,000 worth of jewels, money and plate, a police official picked up the core of a half eaten apple. Later, it was photographed from all angles, and plaster casts made of the indentations left by the teeth of the eater.

Eight suspects, any one of whom might have committed the burglary, were brought to the police officer's office and questioned one by one. On the desk rested a basket of fine apples. Each suspect was invited to have one All accepted. Questioning was delayed until each man had finished his apple and thrown the core into a convenient waste-basket. Then rather trifling questions were asked. All of the men probably left the office feeling that their examination had given the police nothing.

Each apple core was filed with the eater's name and record. Then photographs and casts were made of them. These were compared with the photos and casts of the apple found in the burglarized house. At length, corresponding teeth marks were found. The evidence was laid before the suspected man, and he confessed and is now in the penitentiary.

No crime was ever committed on which the perpetrator did not leave some sort of signature. It is the growing business of the scientific policeman, with his scores of mechanical aids, to find and read that signature, whether it be a toothmark, a fingernail scratch, a hair, a drop of blood, a discarded cigarette, or merely a smear of perspiration. How does the modern detective identify these signatures? With camera and microscope, chemicals and testtubes, X-ray and violet ray.

In Los Angeles about a year ago there appeared a "barefoot" burglar. He always entered a house through a back window, always left his shoes at the rear, never wore socks, and did his "jobs" between 9 p. m. and midnight. But he forgot that toeprints today are just as important as fingerprints. Without his knowing it, a bit of hardwood floor recorded his. A suspect was caught, his toe-marks were compared with those left on the floor, with the result that the "barefoot burglar" will now rob no more homes for a minimum of ten years.

Another housebreaker also had the habit of leaving his shoes at the rear of the residence he selected to rob, entering in his stocking feet. One night he unexpectedly encountered the owner of the house he had entered. Shots were exchanged and the householder was killed. As the robber-murderer fled he seized what he thought were his shoes, but he actually picked up one of his own and one of an old pair which had been left on the back porch. The shoe the robber left was taken by a laboratory technician of the sheriff's office, was cleaned thoroughly, photographed and processed with acids. The make of shoe as well as age of the rubber heel were determined. The pair of shoes was traced and the owner arrested and confronted with the evidence. He confessed and was sentenced on a manslaughter charge.

But the science of identifying and convicting criminals works both ways. It saves the innocent as well as condemns the guilty. In Glendale, Calif., a wandering youth was arrested and charged with a murder that had resulted from a housebreaking. His assertion was that he had been in Whittier, some 30 miles away, on the night of the crime, that he had slept in a barn, and

Marks made by the ejector of a pistol on this shell identified the weapon and the man who used it.

that he had remembered the occasion because he had been awakened several times by an old bay horse wandering into the barn. He said that he had driven the animal away, eventually, by beating at it with his cap. Hairs from the cap were found to be those of the horse, which was located by investigators. The boy was released.

Some five years ago, in San Francisco, a will was left disposing of an estate of more than thirty million dollars in an unexpected way. The signature appeared to be genuine, but Chauncey McGovern, criminal investigator, photographed the document on a process film, enlarged the result to 10x14 feet and showed beneath the typewritten body of the will the gray lines of handwriting which had been erased. It was shown that the paper originally had been a note from the deceased man to an employe, instructing the latter to dispose of some cattle. The forger, leaving the bona fide signature intact, erased the text of the note, and wrote in a new will, but the original ink had passed through the glazing on the paper and penetrated the fiber, where the microscope could not see it, but where the camera could.

Today, however, the violet ray reveals forgery of this kind immediately, without the need of photography. When a document is placed over a violet ray tube, the ray, passing through, brings out any previous writing, tracing, or other pressure of any kind which may have been made on the paper.

The mainstay of the investigator of crime's trade-marks, however, is the comparison of hair, bullets, blood, teeth, spittle, perspiration, finger and toe prints—in short, of every possible personal clue the perpetrator of the crime may leave. To eliminate the factor of human error in these comparisons, instruments have been built which say as plainly as if in words: "This is the bullet that killed this man." "This is the blood of the victim on the suspect's knife." "This moisture on a cigarette found at the scene of the robbery came from the lips of such-and-such a suspect," and so on through every mark the criminal leaves behind.

Take, for example, the bullet comparator. The bullet which killed a man is placed on one of the spindles of the instrument; a bullet fired from the gun of the suspect is placed on the other spindle. The former is rotated slowly; the latter remains stationary. The operator focuses the miscroscopes until the image of the rotating bullet exactly covers that of the stationary bullet. Now, every bullet fired from the same gun bears identically the same marks, made by the grooves and minute flaws in the interior of the barrel. If the images of the two bullets coincide, it means that they were fired from the same weapon, because no two guns leave the same marks on projectiles fired from them.

Similarly, other comparisons are made. All the excretions from the body of an individual—perspiration, moisture from the lips and so on—belong to the same group, and are unlike those from any other individual. Moisture on a discarded cigarette butt, compared with perspiration from a suspect's hands, will prove, beyond any doubt, whether the cigarette was smoked by this particular individual.

Out of this science of comparison has grown the maintenance of standards of bullets and shells from all forms of firearms. Even when no gun is found at the scene of a murder, if the bullet is obtained, the criminal investigator can determine accurately the make of gun from which it was fired.

From a discovery made within the last year, it is possible to determine whether a person dead by shooting is a suicide or a murderer's victim. Whenever a gun of any kind is fired, the expanding gases blow back over the hand holding it, carrying with them microscopic particles of the decomposed products of the powder, which becomes embedded in the skin. If the hand which held the weapon be painted with warm paraffin to a depth of one-eighth of an inch or more, and this cast be removed while it is still plastic, the paraffin will carry with it these particles, invisible to the eye, or even to any but very powerful microscopes.

Treatment of the paraffin cast with certain acid compositions changes the color of these particles to a vivid blue, easily visible under an ordinary microscope. When treated with another solution, they slowly change to purple, and string out in long, easily-decipherable lines. When this reaction is obtained, the investigator establishes that the hand from which the cast was made fired the fatal shot. If the reaction is obtained from a cast made from the victim's hand, it indicates suicide. If not, murder is indicated.

Laboratory tests of all kinds play an increasingly important part in crime detection. In a series of automobile thefts, stretching from Chicago to the Pacific Coast, thence to New Orleans, and up the Mississippi Valley back to Chicago, each theft was accompanied by the report of a daylight residential robbery. Each burglary was committed in the same manner. Nothing but money and food was taken from the houses, and no car worth less than $2,500 was stolen. One by one, the cars were recovered, each about 200 miles from the town in which it had been taken. License plates were intact, and the thief apparently realized that by making a "short hop" in each stolen car, then picking up another, he could keep the authorities bewildered.

Among a number of men rounded up in Chicago on another matter was one in whose room was found an Illinois license plate bearing a number which was not listed in the license records. This plate was taken to a criminological laboratory. It was found that its first two numbers were genuine, but filled with enamel, carefully baked on. On the top coat, a third, faked number had been worked in.

Further investigation showed that this plate had been placed on each stolen car, over the correct plate, and used until the thief abandoned the car, when he transferred the fake plate to his next pick-up. In this way, he was able to pass safely through towns where the police had been warned to watch for the original license numbers. Confronted with the plate and the reconstruction of his "system," the thief confessed.

Thus does science, in many and various ways, aid the detective in reading a criminal's signature.

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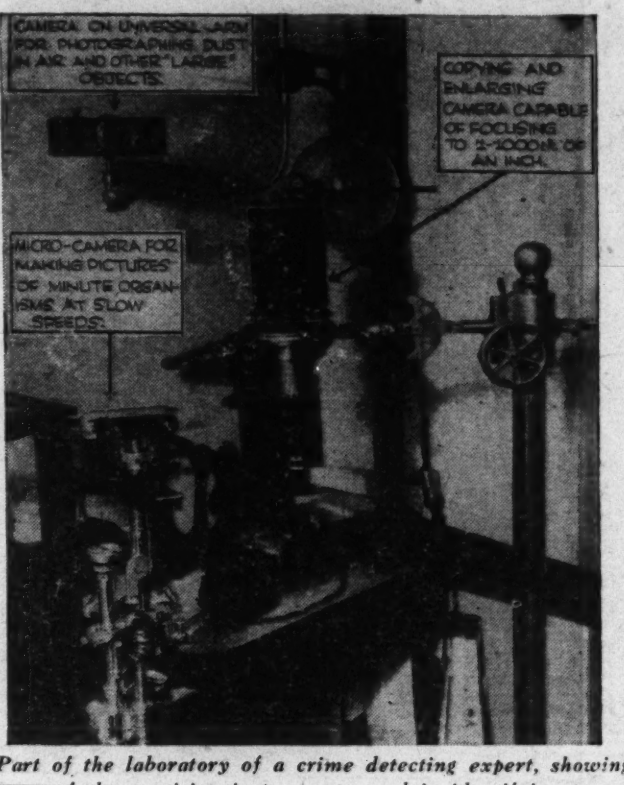
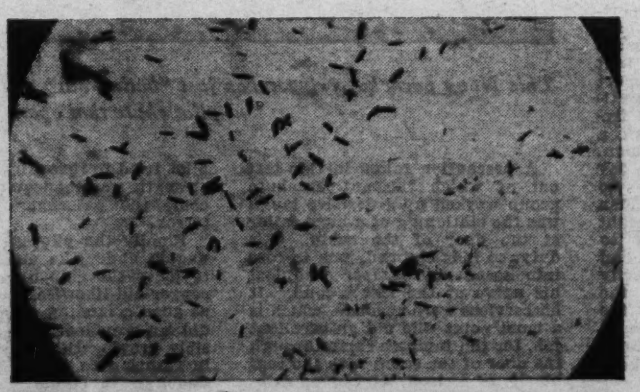


Part of the laboratory of a crime detecting expert, showing some of the precision instruments used in identifying traces left by the criminal.

Lieut. H. L. Barlow, of the Los Angeles police, pictured examining an auto steering wheel for fingerprints and perspiration.



Although the shirt on which the blood stains seen in this microphotograph had been laundered three times, and was two years old, it was enough to identify its wearer as a murderer.

MIXING DEVIL'S BREW

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of a little runway, you see a metal tank. And this tank contains a batch of nice, fresh nitroglycerin just being finished up—a batch, 3,300 pounds. Previously to this, you've been used to thinking about nitroglycerin in terms of ounces. But here, well, here's more than a ton and a half of it. M-m-m-m-m! Wonder how long we've got to stay in the nitrating house?

One man is tending this kettle of explosive broth. One is enough. Odd, but he looks entirely calm, even indifferent. A sign on the wall proclaims that only two men shall work in the nitrator at any time, and never more than four be there together. There's nothing like being economical of men. You cross your fingers and observe.

No matter how cold-blooded you are, it gives you rather an all-overish sensation to watch the stewing of enough nitroglycerin to blow New York and Philadelphia to atoms, and then some. You stand within 6 feet of the huge and terrible stew pot and try not to wonder about the hereafter.

"Just a chemical reaction, Brimijoin explains. "Nitroglycerin, you know, is simply a chemical compound, a yellow, oily liquid produced by the action of a mixture of strong nitric and sulphuric acids on glycerin. Only simple chemistry, that's all."

You feel comforted at that, as you look at the mixing pot, a huge tank with brine coils for keeping it cool. First to go into this broth pot, Brimijoin shows you, is 1,200 pounds of pure glycerin. To this is slowly added the mixture of about 7,000 pounds of strong nitric and sulphuric acids. Huge paddles mix the stuff, which process is called "nitrating," and takes about an hour and a half. Then the mixture is allowed to stand until the nitroglycerin rises to the top. Nothing much to that, eh?

"When the materials are pure, and no foreign particle gets in," says Darlington, "and when the temperature doesn't get up, it's reasonably safe."

You wonder whether the temperature often gets up, and query:

"Well, suppose it does; what then?"

"Oh, there's a tank of water to run the charge into. We call it 'drowning the charge.'"

If that doesn't work, the plant will be minus one nitrating house

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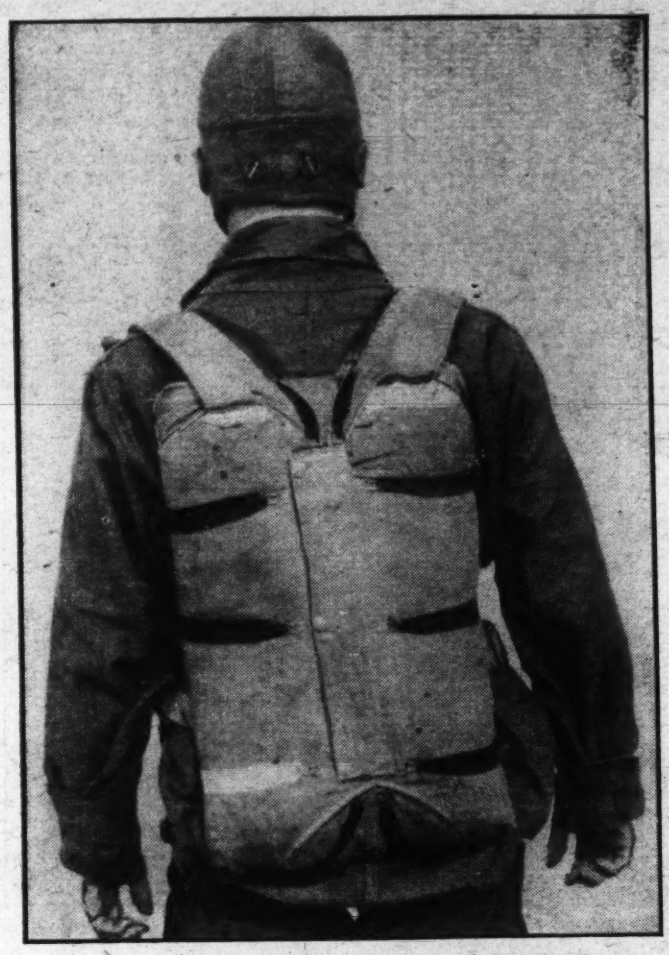

U. S. Army Air Corps.

Ready for use. This is the back pack type of parachute, so called because of the position in which it is worn.

A Skeleton I

Aviation Sharply Divided on Matter of Parachu
Rockne Died Finds Moot Question of Parachute
Near Showdown by Bill Before Congress—Both Si

By FRANK J. CARMODY

ON a dismal, squally afternoon just a year ago this month a disabled airplane diving at an angle of 45 degrees plunged earthward through the murky clouds that hung about 600 feet above the Kansas prairie. The dive continued unchecked until the plane crashed, killing the eight persons aboard.

Within an hour newspaper "extras" in all parts of the country had apprised the public that Knute Rockne, Notre Dame's idolized football coach, had been killed in what airmen believe to be aviation's most spectacular and ill-timed accident. There have been crashes that took a greater number of lives. Gradually they are forgotten, one by one. But the ghost of the Rockne plunge still haunts the waking and sleeping hours of those engaged in commercial aeronautics.

Today it is making a spectral appearance in the form of a bill in Congress which would require all scheduled passenger aircraft to carry a parachute for every passenger. The author of the bill is Representative Emanuel Celler, of Brooklyn. Mr. Celler, who has flown frequently as a passenger in both Army planes and those engaged in scheduled air transport, says that the parachute which he is forced to wear in the former is a safety device that would have saved those aboard the plane in which Rockne met his death.

Air line operators, to whom that tragedy is a continuing source of acute regret, do not agree. They are gravely concerned that consideration of Mr. Celler's bill will be too emotionally colored by the Rockne crash; that the whole issue of parachutes in schedued air transport will not be settled on a strictly factual basis.

In the life of the air line operator the parachute is the skeleton in the closet, the fly in the ointment and the hair shirt all rolled into one.

To the man in the street, it may seem that those who operate scheduled passenger planes are a callous lot in their opposition to what may seem a proper and logical safeguard for the innocent whom they would induce to patronize their service. Anyone who makes a sincere effort to get at the bottom of the highly inflammable issue, however, discovers it is not so simple as that.

An attempt to gather all of the facts, fancies and opinions on the subject reveals these fundamental truths:

The manufacturers of parachutes believe firmly in the virtue of their product and, although they profess a disinclination to precipitate a controversy, they are perfectly sincere in thinking the parachute has a place in scheduled passenger flying.

On the other hand, there are the operators of passenger aircraft who, while they believe the parachute fulfills a useful and vital role in some branches of aeronautics, are entirely sincere in their conviction that this does not include passenger craft operating on regular air lines.

The most powerful hope the parachute proponents have of carrying their point is Mr. Celler's bill, which puts the matter up to Congress.

The strongest argument that the airplane operators can muster is that the Aeronautics Branch of the Department of Commerce, which directly represents the public in commercial aviation matters, has not yet seen fit to suggest or compel them to provide parachutes. Air line operators attribute this to the fact that the department does not regard parachutes as essential to public safety. To a man, they do not believe it can be due to the department's kindness of heart. Frankly, the operators do not believe the Aeronautics Branch ever has been kind-hearted toward them where the public's interest is even mildly involved.

At the moment, officials of the Aeronautics Branch are silent on the issue. Fulfilling an administrative function that would be affected by the bill, the propriety of comment, until it is officially asked, keeps them noncommittal. Their attitude, however, can be deduced from the fact that of all the regulations they have proposed, none so far has related to the parachute for passenger craft. This in spite of the fact that the Government's whole program has been to develop safety aids which, operators maintain, make the parachute unnecessary.

Proponents of the parachute come right back with the retort that the Army, Navy and Postoffice Department all require parachutes in the aircraft which they operate. This is regarded as one of the strongest points which Mr. Celler advances in behalf of his bill.

"No one," he says, "can ride in an Army or Navy airplane unless he wears a parachute, but no one uses a parachute on commercial airplanes. The many deaths and casualties of passengers and pilots of the planes of commercial transportation companies must indeed give us pause and compel us to ask the question: Why is it not compulsory for airplane common carriers to provide parachutes?

"Apparently the transport operators have made a definite agreement among themselves not to go into the expense of providing parachutes and they are vigorously opposed to my bill forcing them to provide parachutes for every passenger and pilot."

Of the commercial flying mishaps he singles out as evidence that the parachutes would have been a life-saver, Mr. Celler naturally lights upon that in which Rockne was killed.

"Undoubtedly they would have been saved," he says.

But, where he has no doubts, those on the other side have many of them and have had ever since that fateful crash when speculation on the subject became universal. It is pointed out that the plane was only 500 or 600 feet from the ground when it burst through the clouds on its earthward plunge. There were eight aboard. The plane was traveling at 200 miles an hour. That is at a rate of 280 feet per second. Two seconds and one-half were more than enough time for the plane to crash after it appeared below the clouds. Clearly, insufficient for the passengers to "bail out."

No one, of course, will ever know how high up in the cloud bank the pilot might have become convinced the ship could not be flown to safety and, accordingly, have given the order to jump had the passengers been provided with parachutes. It is a fact, however, that he was sufficiently convinced of his ability to handle the ship in the rough weather to have taken off in spite of a storm. He fought it all the way to the ground. His passengers never would have had cleared the ship without his command, which he might never have given or which he might have given at a sufficient altitude for all to have leaped with safety. The answer to which course would have been followed died with the pilot. Speculation only remains.

Much of the total discussion on both sides represents pure conjecture.

One of the oldest and most theoretical of the arguments advanced against the use of parachutes in passenger planes is that their presence in the cabin would constitute a psychological hazard that would diminish patronage seriously; that it would represent a fatal admission on the part of operators that flying was dangerous. Parachute proponents, on the other hand, maintain that providing this protective device would give passengers a greater sense of security and thus increase patronage of air lines.

The strongest practical evidence on the subject of parachutes in commercial craft has not settled the point with anything like finality.

Twice the Naval Air Service has staged rather elaborate experiments with the parachute which was designed to approximate transport operation. The first multiple jump from a transport plane, a service craft, but identical with many in commercial flying, occurred in 1927. With a number of other newspapermen, the writer sat most of the day waiting for the test which was to determine how quickly eight men could clear the ship. The eight were familiar with jumping to some extent. Most of them had jumped before and a majority were parachute riggers. All the seats had been removed from the cabin and the jumpers were to be lined up along the wall, ready to leave by the door in the back of the fuselage at a given signal.

The day was bright and clear, but the jump was postponed from hour to hour because a high wind was blowing. The antiparachute crowd laughed long and heartily when the day ended without the test being made.

Waiting for good weather struck them as being a bit odd, considering the character of test.

Several days later the jump was made and the eight men cleared the ship in nine seconds. The proparachute wing of the audience laughed last and louder, but that did not deter the others from maintaining that the test proved nothing except that under absolutely ideal conditions, with seats removed from the cabin, which made it anything but a typical transport, eight men familiar with parachutes would jump from an absolutely stable plane.

The Navy repeated the test on Navy Day of 1930, with eleven men making the test jump. A smaller proportion of the testing group were experienced jumpers this time, but all were familiar with parachutes.

This Navy parachute rigger has just "bailed out" of the plane and h pilot chute that opens first and drags

A precaution taken in this test out of which the antiparachute group worked up a derisive laugh was the stationing of a huge sailor at the door of the cabin. His duty, so it is claimed, was to toss into space any jumper who lost his nerve at the last second. If his services were needed—which is a moot point—he did an excellent job, for the jumpers came through the door of the cabin with the regularity of a clock. All landed safely and only twelve seconds were needed to clear the ship.

It is argued that these and other "multiple-jumps" were made by professional airmen who, even if novices at jumping, were quite at home in the air, which gave them an entirely different mental attitude than that of the average passenger. Furthermore, the experiment was staged and nothing left to chance.

While not lacking, the evidence as to how the inexperienced air passenger would react under emergency conditions is inconclusive in the opinion of many in aviation.

One of aviation's classic stories deals with the passenger who refused to jump from an open cockpit mail and passenger plane when the pilot figured that was the only way to save himself and his fare. The disabled craft was flying over mountainous Western country. The crash seemed inevitable. The pilot ordered his passenger to jump. The latter refused, paralyzed with fright. The pilot tried to throw him out. His strength was inadequate to overcome the passenger's frenzy of terror.

Finally the pilot gave up and, unable under the unwritten code to leave the ship unless his passenger did likewise, tried to make as good a landing as possible. He did an excellent job of it—possibly proving the passenger right in refusing to jump—for neither was hurt in landing in the treetops. But the emotional strain proved too much for the airman, for the anecdote ends with him knocking the fare cold with the

The Closet

First Anniversary of Crash in Which Knute e on Scheduled Air Passenger Lines Brought Have Vigorous, But Inconclusive Arguments.

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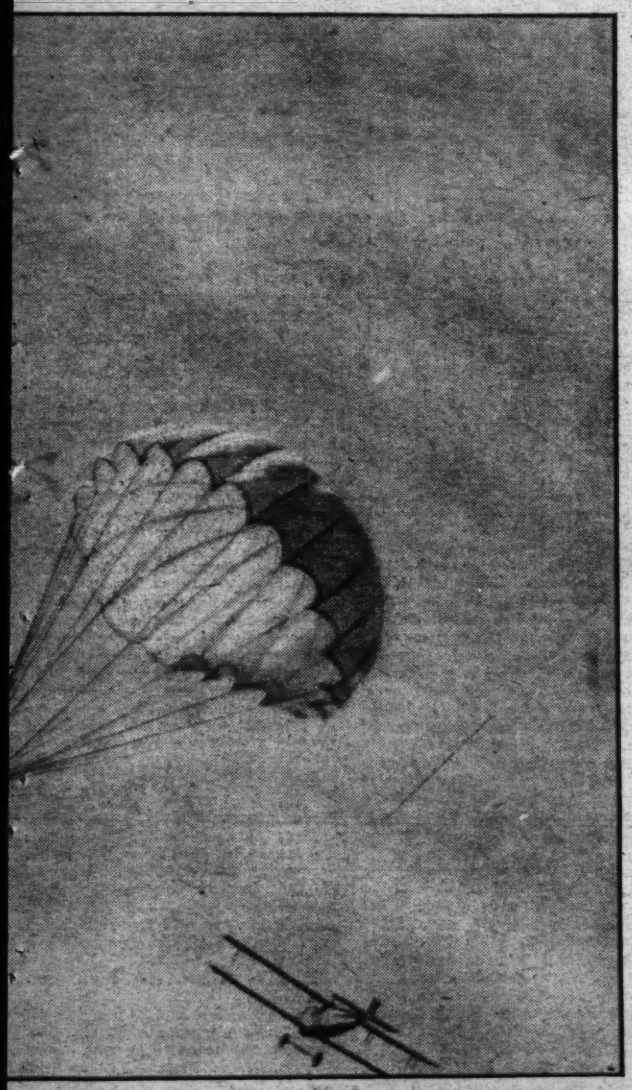

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chute is fully opened. The small "parasol" at the right is the e larger one out of the pack.

xico. A short time after this hap, according to the seeming- authoritative version of the y the writer has heard, a par- ularly imaginative passenger t berserk with terror while ng above that terrain.

His contemplation of the acci- t produced a sudden delirium terror which caused minutes of mendous and threatening ex- ement among other passengers l the plane's crew. Again the senger was quieted by the nt instrument process and the rney proceeded uneventfully to a happy landing.

Whether or not the deduction is valid, the incident is regarded by some authorities as indicating the possibility of a passenger stampeding himself and others into jumping needlessly were parachutes available. This theory, of course, is viewed with derision by the other side.

By the parachute proponent, it is argued that the question of jumping or not jumping would resolve itself into a matter of command from the pilot. He would have, as he now has, complete jurisdiction. In an emergency, they say, his procedure would be to inform the passengers quietly that they were to file calmly to the door and jump in their perfectly safe parachutes. His command is thus visualized:

"It is impossible to land this plane safely in this condition. However, there is no danger. All of us have parachutes. We will file to the door one by one and jump. Go head first and before jumping, put your hand on the ring. After you have jumped, count ten slowly to be sure you are clear of the ship. Then jerk the ring. Hundreds of people have jumped. All right now, one at a time."

Before he can convince the plane operators that this procedure is as simple and sure as it sounds, the parachute maker must develop a chute that is purely automatic in its opening; one that entirely removes the human element. Even then, it is doubtful that the air-line executive will agree.

An automatic opening chute is not an impossibility. As a matter of fact, various designs looking toward this end have been created. But the whole question of their perfection and feasibility is settled in the mind of the plane operator by the fact that the military services continue to use the manually operated opening device. That convinces him the automatic type needs further perfection.

How do those who would keep the parachute out of transport planes answer the point that the military and mail services require the protective device for all pilots and passengers?

Broadly, by declaring that these are entirely different fields of flying. Despite a brilliant safety record, military airmanship is recognized as fundamentally the most hazardous aeronautic sphere. Its very nature is such as to prevent undue emphasis upon safety. In the design of military equipment performance is a primary consideration. It can not be sacrificed to safety to anything like the same degree as in a commercial plane.

Furthermore, this equipment is flown altogether differently. Acrobatics are the daily fare of the military airman. They are forbidden by law to the commercial flyer. Close formation flying is a regular thing in the Army and Navy. Commercial craft are not allowed to fly closer together than 300 feet. These are typical of the dozens of distinctions between the two classes of airmanship.

The universal use of the parachute in Army and Navy planes is held to be based upon the unusual and peculiar differences of equipment and character of operation.

The same distinction applies to some extent to the mail pilot. One fundamental recognition of the hazard of his job is that he is the highest paid of all professional airmen. As an agent of the Postoffice Department he is bound by the motto which proclaims that not even the most tempestuous weather Nature can produce "can stop these brave couriers from their appointed rounds." It is not literally true, of course, but mail pilots do fly at night and under conditions much more hazardous than those which keep the passenger plane safely grounded.

It was while a mail pilot that Col. Charles A. Lindbergh made two of the four jumps which make him the most prominent member of the Caterpillar Club, composed of those who have made forced jumps in parachutes.

Both of Lindbergh's leaps as a mail pilot were "weather jumps," as are most of those by this class of pilots. The mail pilot is an absolute individualist among airmen. Very little reservation is made as to the risks he may assume and, left to his own devices, he dares as few men do.

Operators of both mail and passenger planes point out that they recognize this distinction between the two classes of flying by equipping the mail plane with parachutes, while keeping the safety devices out of passenger planes. Many of the larger passenger service operators also have contract mail routes.

With the best qualified pilots obtainable, men of the greatest skill and subject to the most rigorous of regulations; with planes subject to the most stringent requirements as to airworthiness of design and maintenance; with radio telephone to keep the pilot constantly informed of weather and other untoward conditions; with airways carefully marked and lighted and with radio beacons to keep the plane on its course at all times—well, commercial aeronautics is convinced it has taken all reasonable precautions for safety.

To the point that, in spite of these, there are accidents which the parachute might prevent from becoming fatal the reply is that such an assumption is not altogether above conjecture.

U. S. Army Air Corps.

A close-up of the seat pack type of parachute. The sturdiness of the harness is readily apparent.

The two worst accidents on the Pacific Coast, which took a toll together of twenty-two lives, both involve flying into the side of a mountain. The visibility in both cases was zero and the pilot patently was lost. But whether in either instance he had given up hope sufficiently to have ordered the passengers to jump had they worn parachutes is a question which can not be answered. In this respect, these and many other of flying's most tragic mishaps resemble the Rockne crash.

In another accident of several years ago at Newark, N. J., in which fifteen persons lost their lives when a passenger plane crashed into a railroad freight car immediately after taking off, parachutes would have been of small avail. The plane had insufficient altitude to permit escape of those in the cabin.

This, too, in spite of the fact that 150 feet has proved sufficient altitude in at least one recorded jump made in an emergency by a veteran Army pilot. This jump was made from an open cockpit plane.

A practical objection to installation of a parachute for every passenger which operators will continue to make until they are convinced parachutes are indispensable to aerial safety has to do with the effect upon pay load.

Three years ago the national advisory committee for aeronautics summed up the reason for the lack of profit in air passenger enterprises with an undeniable terseness and clarity. The accuracy of the summary still stands. It went to the effect that, at low fares, air lines could not carry sufficient pay load to make a profit, while at fares high enough to make the plane's load capacity yield a profit, sufficient patronage could not be attracted.

The addition of ten parachutes to a ten-passenger plane would displace one seat and one 160-pound passenger and thus nullify any gain that has been achieved in capacity during the past three years, designers and operators declare.

Beyond this effect upon profitable operation, the requirement of parachutes would increase overhead costs. Parachute prices are down. Devices of this kind now can be had for $150, about half the price asked when the subject first was agitated several years ago. Yet, even at $150 for what hardly could be the best type of parachute, it would cost an operator $1,500 to equip a ten-passenger plane. This, also, does not take into consideration that special personnel would be required to inspect and maintain the special safety equipment.

Plane operators admit readily enough that the validity of these practical objections can not stand up if it can be shown that the added expense is justified as a contribution to public safety in flying.

That is the point on which they must be shown, however.

The airplane parachute is a military development. Toward the end of the World War various types were used by the allied and German air forces, the latter developing the device to the highest point of perfection at the time. While parachute research was conducted by the Americans, the parachute was not issued as regular equipment to A. E. F. airmen during the war.

The official records of the Army Air Corps on the subject read:

"On October 20, 1922, the successful use of the parachute in case of airplane emergency was demonstrated for the first time in American aviation history by Lieut. Harold R. Harris, chief of McCook Field Flying Section, when he leaped from the cockpit of a Loening pursuit monoplane at an altitude of 2,500 feet. Lieut. Harris was flight testing some new experimental type balanced ailerons which had been installed on the plane and at the same time indulging in combat practice with Lieut. Muir Fairchild. * * *"

Then follows a description of a mid-air collision at a speed of 150 miles an hour in which the wings of Lieut. Harris' plane were torn apart internally. There was nothing to do but jump and the test pilot climbed up on the side of the cockpit and was thrown clear of the plane. His own description of the sensation of that first jump follows:

"As soon as the release cord was operated, I felt a snap throughout my entire body and looked toward my feet to find that I was looking toward the ground. During this time the speed of descent must have been quite high, but at no time did I have any sensation of falling and, even with the extremely high wind velocity, I had perfect control of my arms and could move them up and down my body at will."

It was on January 15, of the following year, that a general order was issued which made the parachute compulsory in all Army Air Corps planes. The Navy adopted a similar regulation in the following year.

As to when, and if, the fate of the parachutes will be settled so far as commercial aeronautics is concerned, it is an open and inflammable question.

In the meantime the parachute remains the skeleton in aviation's closet.

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ELEGANT JONES - By T. MORRIS LONGSTRETH

The Story of a Boy Who Wouldn't Fight.

The girl stood up. "Come tell me some more, little boy—when you grow up," she said. It was as pretty a throw-down as you could wish.

YES, THAT'S "Elegant" over there: the tall, dark-haired easy-standin' chap. He's around 18, I suppose. Yes, tennis is his game. And I mean tennis! The distinguished-looking little kid beside him? That's Lord Harry. No, he's an American. He's got a million in his own name and what of it? That's his attitude, not mine.

Well, to go back to the opening day of football practice last fall when I first clapped eyes on young Elegant — everybody else had crowded into some kind of football togs or other and they were standing around like dogs on leashes, but this new chap Jones, he was lolling back against a goal-post with his hands in tailor-made pockets, smiling to himself like that was going to be his campus activity. His black hair was groomed back and what with that air of endless ease, he looked like he'd been taught the arts of living by a South Sea Islander.

"Aren't you joining us, 'Elegant?" asked Two-in-one, our fat boy, and I knew one more good nickname had found its mark.

"I'm not that crazy yet," he said.

Even his voice showed signs it had never been hurried. I marked its owner down in my mind as a first-class lizard and forgot him in the rumpus of getting started.

The first day I always give the whole bunch one of my talks, the usual hokum, you know, about getting into the game and how nothing comes to a fellow unless he goes out for it, especially his letter. I guess I struck a hot stride by the time I reached the home stretch with how important it was for a chap to give all he had. Even the old-timers, Dalton and Vance and Bud Halsey, were glued to attention, and on happening to look at the goal post I saw that Elegant was too. I felt I must be some orator to warm that cool one up.

It took time to separate the gang into squads and I'd forgotten the South Sea Islander completely till I came across him behind the gym, standing on a box and addressing four or five youngsters. They were half way between goggle-eyed and giggling and do you guess why? That Elegant was takin' me off.

"Now fellers," he was shouting, "the season's beginning and I want you to jump into it. Get a toe-hold on yourselves, or you won't stack up at all. Wise up, sons, and get into the game. Make a noise this year. Make human tractors of yourselves. Get down—grovel—bite—push—growl—kick me, if you can't reach the ball."

I felt a hand on my shoulder. It was Dalton.

"Who's the Punch and Judy show, Verd?" he demanded.

It wasn't a bad take-off, I have to say, but Dalton had just been elected first-team captain and this new kid getting fresh with football got his goat. He busted up that pep lecture in a jiffy and would've handed Elegant something worse than an angry glance if I hadn't stepped in.

"What's the whole idea?" I asked the kid.

"Just an overflow meeting, sir," he said.

"Don't get fresh with me," I bellows. "It's hard enough licking a lot of smooth-faced, pert-mannered, mama-fondled home darlings like you into shape without a Bolshevik orator making a mimic of me behind my back. Don't you know enough to get into something besides those swell clothes and come out with the bunch?"

"I prefer tennis," he said.

"Tennis!" I rapped out. "So that's the kind you are. A campus lizard. Only the chumps with heart failure play tennis in the fall at this school."

"My heart's all right and I still prefer tennis," he said.

He didn't sound fresh, though I couldn't be sure what was in his eyes. I lowered my voice a peg.

"You're a new boy, Jones, and you'll want a good standing here, and the best way to get it is to be regular. Come out with the crowd and take your knocks. The chaps that are afraid of a few bumps usually get a whole lot."

"Did you think I was afraid?" he asked.

"It isn't a question of thinking, it's all in how it looks, and it's going to look that way," I said. "Everybody that is anybody plays football in the fall and no questions asked. Life isn't just a pa'm tree and a lot of nice warm sand," I said, remembering the South Seas. "You've got to take things seriously if you want to get on here and be spoken to by the fellows that count, like Capt. Dalton there."

"I'm glad he can count," said our friend, whom I put down as an ass then and there.

Well, I cautioned Elegant about thinking it over and didn't hear much more about him except from remarks let drop in the locker-room, always with a laugh. He had a great idea of being himself and not caring how it looked, and he might as well have left school for all the figure he cut.

And then came the affair with Marjorie Kitts. That was at the Halloween dance. Miss Edgar lets her senior girls come over and a good time is had by all. That's when Dalton and the big football men make their hit, and this year there was something to work for, I mean Miss Kitts.

Now there's a girl. She didn't need a referee to pronounce her a knockout. She had all the young bucks spiked.

And then, blamed if Elegant didn't put in for the same port. I might've known he'd be some dancer. He showed up handsome too, and Marjorie looked unusually contented to be steered away from the stags and listen to him talking, talking, talking.

At the finish he led her over to the quiet corner near where I was sitting, and drew the chairs close together.

"That's wonderful," she said to him. "I never tried looking at things that way."

"It's the only comfortable way."

"But is it? It sounds lonely to me."

"At first, perhaps. But you always have someone to depend on. Your own self, I mean. You aren't leaning on somebody else and then thrown off balance when they change their mind. You don't waste your time going out for something you don't really want, like all these solemn idiots."

"Who?" she said, looking around.

"Why, most of these boys, Marjorie. They're falling over themselves to get something they've been told to want. Do you suppose they've consulted themselves, or what they're good for? Not much. And they don't even let the other fellow do it. Why, they think I ought to be sacked because I prefer tennis to football, because football happens to be the thing."

"But you play football, of course," said Marjorie quickly.

"I do not."

"I—I thought all boys liked a fight," said Marjorie, a little farther away.

"Some do," conceded Elegant, "but a lot of others are scared into pretending they do. But that's not the point. There are lots of reasons for football, but if your talking of fighting, the same applies. Who picks out his own fights? It's supposed to be a blanket necessity. As for scrapping, the black and blue kind, I hate it. I'd walk a mile to avoid one."

"You mean you'd run?"

"If necessary."

"But—" said Marjorie, "it isn't done."

"Is there any reason why it should not be done?"

"The best in the world."

"It's sophomoric, Marjorie, to prefer custom to common sense."

"That's a big word," and she was a mile away now, "but I think I understand it. You're crawling under it to cover up. You are more than slightly damp if you think you can explain running away that way and laugh it off."

"You don't get me," he said. "I'm willing to compete, to struggle, to fight, if you like the word, for my central self, the thing that's me, and that includes everything I value, but I refuse to fight for other things simply because it's fashionable."

"Oh, it's instinctive," she broke in impatiently. "You can't talk it over. It's deeper. Haven't you ever been in a position where it was a matter of instinct to fight?"

Just then I saw Dalton walking over.

"You're coming around," said Elegant. "What do you call instinct?"

Dalton held out his hands and the girl stood up. "This is, little boy," she said. "Come tell me some more—when you grow up."

Well, he had it coming to him, as pretty a throw-down as you could wish him, and right in front of his chief enemy, too. If I'd been Elegant and had seen the smile on Dalton's face, I'd've done something that isn't in the rules. But he didn't. He half rose up and then sat down again, very abstract-like and pale, as if it hurt somewhere, but he wasn't going to tell where. And I hoped he'd take the lesson to heart, if he had one.

It was after Christmas that Lord Harry came into the story. He's the only son of Henry Donne, the pickle magnet, you know, and a good kid. He'd had some tough sledding himself before he kidnaped Dalton and Vance in his private car to save them from being canned, and he could sympathize with down-'n-outers. Anyway, he came to my office in the gym one afternoon and said:

"Verd, promise to keep a secret, if I tell you?"

"On ice," I said.

"It's this, Verd * * *" and then he stopped and looked at me. "How do you size up Jones, Verd? Elegant Jones?"

"As the almost perfect insult to mankind," I said. "That Elegant guy is just a bunch of flowers, yeller ones. He's a bag of wind tied with ribbons."

"I think he's one of the most individual fellows I've ever met," said the boy. "I've been talking to him."

"You mean listening to him talk, probably. Don't. If I ever listened to an empty horn, it's him. I like fellows with a little nerve and go, myself."

"He's got all kinds of both," said Lord Harry, seriously.

"Him? Elegant Jones? He hasn't got the nerve of a rabbit with the shivers."

"He reasons a thing out, Verd, and then he sticks to his conclusions, even if he's alone in them. I think that takes nerve."

"Don't get to sieving words, like him," I said. "I've heard him reach conclusions. Didn't I, hear him tell that Marjorie queen he'd run a mile from a fight? And would your new friend risk his pretty hide playing football? Not much. What's he do? Tell me one thing he does, except talk and make fun of better boys."

"That's why I came, Verd, to do just that. It's the secret, but I thought you ought to know that you're going to have a tennis champion on your hands some day. You want to know what he does? Well, Elegant works over at the club. He hasn't got much money, I've discovered——"

"He wouldn't have, if he pays the tailor bill," I cut in.

"That's another point," said Lord Harry. "It takes nerve to dress nicely on little money, Verd. Be fair. But that's not the point. He works with his hands, I mean, so that he can have an hour on the club court. Their pro'a got permission for him from the Despot. I saw him playing yesterday and he's there, Verd."

"You're mowin' me down, kid. Go on."

"You've seen him dance, Verd? Well, he's just as slick with his feet on the court, and you know how much of tennis lies in the feet."

"I suppose," I said, sarcastic, "that you'll tell me he learned to manage 'em while boxing."

Just then two voices struck up from the lockers.

"Lend me the money, Elegant, and I'll promise you get on a party with Marjorie." It was Two-in-one speaking.

"I haven't got the money."

"What about your new friend? He'd scoop it out of his pants for you and never miss it."

We couldn't hear Elegant's comeback, but it wasn't a slap in the face as it ought to be, and I thought I'd drive the point home.

"I don't like to knock," I said to Lord Harry, "but I'm afraid he's an empty sleeve."

"You wouldn't play a man on the first team from hearsay, would you, Verd?" said the kid.

"Elegant's a sort of hard chap to get to know," and he left me.

I strolled out into the locker room.

"You won't get within a mile of Marjorie, then," Two was saying to Elegant.

"That's my hard luck, and keep your mouth shut about it, please."

"Shut your own, you yellow lily."

Elegant started at that, but instead of knuckling into the fat slob he leaned over, cupped his hand behind his ear and said, "I don't hear you."

"What a lie!"

"Louder, please," and Elegant was a deaf man all right.

"Don't let me disturb your little fight," I says to them, "but take it out of the house."

"Oh, we don't fight," says Two-in-one with a sneer. "It's unintelligent."

"He's trying to be sarcastic," explains Elegant, smiling. "Of course if you really want to put out a fire you don't pour oil on it, which is what most fighting is."

"Some says it's instinct," I couldn't help reminding him.

Well, that got to him. That handsome map of his colored up like he was going to hit me and I'd been glad if he had.

"This is the darndest place to call a school," he broke out. "You have to act like a wharf rat to be thought intelligent, and maybe you have to commit murder to be called a gentleman." And then he turned his back on us.

I didn't see the high-hat after that until the big hook-up in Lord Harry's private car. It wasn't strictly his car, of course, but his dad let him use it while he was over in Europe and the Despot had given the kid permission to throw a dinner party for his crowd in it before the Mid-Year's dance. Miss Edgar's girls came over, and it's the custom for bunches to give little dinners, each with a master for a chaperon. Lord Harry asked me.

I was too busy with basket ball to worry much about parties until the night before this one, when I dropped into Lord Harry's room to ask if it was to be black ties, and he shoved a newspaper at me.

"Stick out your neck and look at that, Verd," says he, kind of low in the mouth.

Well, that write-up was a sketch, two columns long. There was nothing it didn't tell about the rich kid and his money and the stunning party he was throwing and the girls' jewels. We were supposed to go wading in pearls and diamonds ankle-deep. But what got my eye chiefly was the guests' names. Blamed if the kid hadn't invited Elegant Jones.

"That'll be some experiment, son," I told him. Like putting lemon and cream in your tea at once. I suppose you know how high Miss Kitt values Elegant's company, not to mention Vance and Dalton?"

I saw Lord Harry's chin going stubborn.

"Elegant is my friend, Verd. I like him, and I respect him, and my other friends will have to get used to it."

"Well, there's one comforting thing. If they happen to throw the knives in his direction, he won't throw 'em back. He's the best anything-for-peace boy in patent leathers."

The car was a beauty, all dark wood and silver, and the girls did wear a few shiners, being as Miss Edgar's is a sort of society training establishment. And the chow was the most edible, as Elegant remarked, that he had ever edded.

That boy, in an easy-going way, was the life of the party, to the surprise of more than one. You'd think it would've took more nerve than he had to be so cheerful where he knew, by the most, he wasn't pertickerlerly wanted. Of course he had Lord Harry behind him and everyone was naturally polite, but I noticed his wisecracks didn't get much from Dalton or Vance, and Marjorie, who was sitting by me with Dalton on the other side, was kind of cool.

The dinner swung along fine, though, and between a couple of courses Lord Harry asked Elegant to take off some of the masters, which he did to the last hair, especially Mr. Bellowes, the geometry man, who is hard of hearing and very pugnacious to erring pupils. He got that bird to a wrinkle, and when he cupped his ear, bent-over like with his shoulders contracted and that thin line for a mouth, even Marjorie laughed.

"Isn't he good!" she exclaimed. "He ought to be on the stage!"

"He'd be safe there," said Dalton, "at any rate."

"Now don't be ungrateful," said Marjorie. "He made you laugh."

It was while the waiters were clearing the rest of the car for a little preliminary dance before we went up to the big one, that the talk took an unfortunate turn. I don't know how it started, but I'll bet it was intentional with Dalton that it got on the subject of fighting, campus scraps and grudges. Anyway Vance called out in a loud tone to Elegant to tell them what was the biggest mix-up he'd ever had.

"I never had any," he said clearly. "I don't like fighting."

"There's some times when a chap has to fight," says Vance.

"I suppose so," replies Elegant. "If a tailor charges you too much, it's your duty to run him through with a needle."

"I don't mean that," says Vance. "That's just anger and should be conquered. But supposing you had a girl, Elegant, and somebody insulted her. What'd you do?"

Elegant said: "I'd have to hunt up another girl, Vance. I wouldn't want a girl who'd been insulted."

Maybe he thought he was being funny, but Vance didn't.

"Darn it, Elegant," he said, "can't you ever be serious?"

"Not at a party. Sorry," he said, and I had to hand it to him for standing by his fool notions when the girl he thought a lot of was listening in.

But Vance persisted. "I want to get this straight, Elegant," he said. "You have a girl, say Alice here, or Ede or Marjorie and I insult her—"

"How?" asked Dalton.

"Why, by calling her Elegant's girl," replied Vance.

Well, I saw it all in a flash. Those fellows had planned it out. They'd throw him such insults that Beautiful-but-Yellow'd have to offer his fist. A stiff trick, I'll say, at a private party, but necessary, and as chaperon I hated to butt in and spoil it. But of course I had to, and was just hunting the words when Lord Harry beat me to it.

"Look here, you fellows," he called out, "have you been drinking something I didn't get?"

I wondered if that'd stop Vance, when the big splash occurred. Get the picture: all of us down at one end of the car, the middle and other end all cleared of chairs by the waiters, who'd gone back to the kitchen, and suddenly a rough voice booms out.

"Don't move, boys and girls, and everybody stick up their hands. Right now . . stick . . em . . up."

Can you see it? Five of the prettiest girls you've ever seen, five boys and me, and all looking into a double-barreled shot-gun held steady by as tough a guy as chewed nails.

"H'ist 'em, sweethearts," he says, because nobody'd stirred. "My pal's coverin' the kitchen end, and I'm only after the coin and the sparklers. I see the newspaper didn't lie. But if youse so much as winks, I'll be takin' 'em off'n your corpses."

Nobody winked, though we were all joggin' our brains trying to flush out an idea. But there wasn't none in mine. I heard Marjorie draw in her breath quick, and saw she was looking at Elegant. He'd taken a step out from where he'd been, and a funny change had come over him. He wasn't stiff and pale any more, but bent over some like when he was taking off Mr. Bellowes, with his shoulders narrowed up and that thin line for a mouth. Only it wasn't funny, now.

"Stand back," the hold-up guy was shouting to him, "and raise your hands like the rest."

It was kind of difficult seeing through the raised arms, but I made out Elegant raising only one hand and cupping it behind his ear as he took another step toward the guy.

"Stand still there, you crazy fool," shouted that bandit, and he raised his gun a mite.

"I don't hear you," said Elegant, taking a couple more steps as ca'm as if he was picking cherries.

"Call him back, some one," cried the guy, "or I'll let go at him."

"Elegant!" It was Marjorie called, and her voice was a give-away, like she'd suddenly found more'n a friend.

But even that didn't stop him. "Louder, please," he said to the guy, whose hand was on the trigger now.

"Oh, stop him!" It was Marjorie. She grabbed my arm and that's why I didn't see too clear what happened.

Lord Harry said Elegant jumped at the gun and knocked it up at the ceiling. Dalton swears the boy tackled the man first, regardless. Vance had it that he shied the table in his face. Anyway, there's a terrible noise as the gun splinters up the roof, and I saw Elegant go into that slugger fighting, and getting one smash and then another, but not before he'd put one smacking flush on that guy's chin.

Of course, after he'd done the trick we got to him and came to our senses at the same time.

"Quick!" yells Lord Harry. "The other one," and we all skin out and cop him as he was steamin' off.

And by the time we'd got him tied, Elegant was coming to, with Marjorie and the girls helping him along. Just as the light was coming back into his eyes I heard him say:

"Where did we leave off, fellows?"

It was Vance who leaned over him, his hand out.

"That's over, and we're beginning new, Elegant, old kid," he says, his voice kind of mellow, "and when you get strength enough to shake I want to be the first."

"I've always wanted to," said Elegant, rousing enough to put out his hand.

But it was Marjorie who took it, after all, for she was kneeling by him.

"Dear boy," she said.

Elegant was sort of fading again, but that held him. He opened his eyes to smile at her, and his lips moved. . . .

Sorry, but what he said was just for her.

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Mixing Dynamite, the Devil's Brew

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and contents, including personnel. You hope, if it's got to happen, it will be some other day.

You observe now that the workman at the tank is preparing for action. The moment has arrived, says Brimijoin, when the separated charge of nitroglycerin at the top of the tank must be drawn off into a tank of water, where it will be washed free of any remaining acid.

"Don't touch anything," Brimijoin cautions. "Keep your hands off everything, or you may get a devil of a headache."

This gives you some measure of the virulence of the stuff. Even the fumes of it, on tools and railings, may soak through your skin and prostrate you.

The nitroglycerin looks scummy and bubbly; a witch's caldron. At the twist of the valve, you see something issue from the kettle, coming out into a leaden gutter, eight or ten feet long. It looks like a pale, greenish-yellow serpent, the most venomous thing you have ever beheld. Venomous, indeed, for——

It is a rivulet of pure, fresh, warm nitroglycerin, just leaping forth, new-born, into the world!

Fascinated, you watch. The serpent thickens to a stream, a swift current of potential death. It gathers speed and volume, then plunges from the end of the gutter into a tank of warm water, where suddenly it settles to the bottom. When it takes that leap, man! you hold to the rail, headache or no headache.

Being under water doesn't make the stuff harmless. Brimijoin tells you of some that lay under water in a drain for thirty years, and after all that time exploded with a devastating bang! But never mind—let's see what happens next.

Down there in the washing tank, which boils with compressed air being forced through, the nitroglycerin is cleansed.

"And then we wash it again with soda-ash solution, to remove the last traces of acid, and to neutralize and stabilize it," Darlington explains. "If any acid remains, the powder is liable to decompose and blow. Seen enough of this, have you?"

I restrained my eagerness to watch any longer, and we went on to the next place. Not, however, before Brimijoin showed me the lead pipe that some time ago had been melted by lightning into a charge of nitroglycerin. He showed me, too, a rubber-lined lead spout that carries the nitroglycerin some 300 feet to a house where it's drawn off into copper-lined, rubber-tired "buggies."

As a job, I don't especially hanker after pushing one of those buggies down the long, raised walkway that leads to the house where it is mixed with the "dope" to form dynamite. Nor do I yearn to operate a mixer, a vast wooden bowl, in which revolve two huge wooden wheels with hard-rubber or ebonite rims. To this bowl the "dope"—which we have already seen—is brought in copper-riveted fiber barrels. The nitroglycerin is poured into the bowl. The dope is shoveled in, and the circus starts. Round and round gyrate the wheels, driven by big overhead wooden pulleys. No metal allowed! Five minutes of this, and the nitroglycerin is thoroughly incorporated into the dope. And behold, dynamite!

"You never can tell just what makes the stuff let go," said Brimijoin, as we watched this ponderous mill of the gods. "Sometimes it just gets temperamental and blows. And sometimes, when it really ought to it doesn't. All plants have had explosions.

"Believe in hunches? I do. I remember once having a hunch that trouble was due. I walked on eggs, mister. Inspected the whole process. Nothing wrong. When I left the last house, an oil-buggy was just getting nitro. As the workman was finishing getting his load, I heard a shot. It sounded like a thirty-eight caliber gun. The men came flying out of the house.

"Know what had happened? A valve stem got pinched in the bonnet, and blew. Blew the valve head out, and cut one man's hand. If it had blown the other way, it would have set off a big charge, and not a man-jack of us would have been anything but sausage meat.

"And I remember seeing four hundred thousand pounds of T. N. T. burned, during the War. It melted and vaporized steel rails, but didn't explode. Another time, here in this mixer, something got to squeaking. The operator couldn't find out what it was. I had the mixer shut down, oiled and cleaned. When we started her up again, the squeak was still there. So we shut down a second time and looked through the powder. And what do you suppose?"

"Well, what?"

"Dogged if the workman hadn't laid a pair of brass pliers on a rest, and they'd fallen down into the hopper and were being stirred round and round in it. They'd cut a deep groove in a bronze plate at the bottom. Just by the grace of heaven, the heat had not shot the works. Fired the man, did I? Some!

"Funny what a man'll do in a pinch," he philosophized. "A man will act according to his first thought, even though that may be a mistake. We had a fire that ended in a blow, killing three men. A foreman was standing inside the house, with his back to the door. He could have turned around and jumped out. But instead, he saw a window on the other side of the house. That window was his first impression of getting to safety. He ran clear across the house and leaped through the window—was helped along by the explosion, and was picked up badly burned, with nothing on him but the window sash, which he was wearing as a necktie."

Pondering all this, you watch men with wooden shovels heaving dynamite out of the mixing bowl. They seem to treat it with cavalier indifference, even roughly. Away it goes on a mule-drawn car to another barricaded house, where conveyers and machinery take it speedily in hand and pack it into cartridge cases of paraffined paper.

If "gelatin dynamite" is being made, other machines similarly handle it. Gelatin dynamite is a water-resisting variety, made of nitrocotton with nitroglycerin and various dopes. It's quicker than the ordinary kind, and stays plastic—a kind of hard jelly. The process looks very much like making dough in a bakery. But what dough? If it happens to "rise"—good night!

Both kinds of cartridges—ordinary and gelatin—pass on conveyers to a house where singularly indifferent men sprinkle sawdust in wooden boxes lined with paraffined paper, pack the shells by weight, put in a leaflet of instructions and warnings, and finally nail the covers on by machinery.

Then, bang! into a waiting truck they go, and away to the magazines, which are unheated, barricaded storehouses on spur railroad tracks.

It gave me a genuine start to see those boxes heaved into that truck. Perhaps for a whole lot of money I might carry a box and carefully slide it in. But to stand eight or ten feet away and heave it like bricks—well!

And yet, after all, high explosives are not unduly dangerous. An old "powder-monkey," George L. Banks, is worth listening to. He has handled "powder" of all kinds, for more than forty years, in every sort of blasting job imaginable, and he still lives. Very much so.

Banks will tell you about being tipped over in a skidding auto loaded with dynamite, whereupon—nothing happened. He will give you the story about a freight car full of it being derailed and smashed all over a cornfield. No explosion. Also about a truck of it in a collision, scattering 1,000 pounds of high explosives over which other cars ran. The driver was knocked senseless by the accident. When he revived he beat all speed records getting away from there. But he needn't have. There was no sign of a "blow."

All of which helps to prove that high explosives are really about as safe as anything else in this world of curious mischances.

"Most of such trouble comes from plain darned carelessness," Brimijoin assured me. "People pry, tamp and hammer the stuff with metal tools, thaw it over fires, handle it while they're smoking, break frozen sticks of it, expose it to sparks from fires or electric currents, and shoot into it with firearms. It's a wonder the foolkiller isn't a lot busier than he is."

Explosives require the most painstaking supervision, for safety and results. Constant research and testing are always under way at laboratories and proving grounds. Not only the safety of the explosive is investigated, but also the swiftness with which it can strike. Blasting gelatin can be made that will explode 26,200 feet a second, or practically 5 miles. That is, if you had a cartridge of this gelatin stretching away 5 miles and back, and exploded one end of it, the other end would blow you up in two seconds!

People are so used to thinking of a bullet from a high-power rifle as the fastest thing on earth—excluding light and electricity—that it usually surprises them to learn that dynamite may work nine times faster.

The action of a high explosive is without any doubt this world's champion speedster. If I'm not wrong, you have got to show me.

But not all the tests in this industry deal with "Boom!" and "Bang!" A very slight change in the formula may give you many sorts of "nitrocellulose" articles that the layman never suspects of belonging to the nitro family, ranging from your comb and tooth brush to the unbreakable windshield on your car.

After my explorations through the powder plant I went back home rather perked up and overflowing with high explosives. I told my wife all about it, especially the scary parts relating to dangers and precautions—the prohibition of matches, the lead floors, the soft-sewed shoes.

"H-m-m-m-m!" she remarked. "If that's so, you might very easily have blown the whole works."

"Me—blow the works? How?"

"Well, just look at your shoes!"

I did. My half soles were simply bristling with nails which stuck out like quills upon the fretful porcupine.

"Good night!" I exclaimed.

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UNCLE SAM and the HOME-MAKER

NATIONAL elections hover in the background and in June the great conventions of the two major parties are to be held. One may wonder how these elections will affect the homemaker. In a very great measure they can affect the American home for good or for evil.

The political parties are formed in an effort to control the wheels of the Government. How the Government is run is a thing that should be very close to the American home.

Washington as a city is quite outside of government-making, because its citizens have no vote. Whether this is a good thing or not each citizen must decide for himself. But Washingtonians can still take a keen interest in politics, for the homes of the city will be touched by the results of the next elections, without a shadow of doubt.

National committees of both major parties are hard at work distributing literature to the people of the Nation and calling attention to the major policies of the two great parties.

In this era, when depression seems widespread, it is very important to have policies outlined which will mean the better protection and upbuilding of the American home. Lack of employment and financial stress tear down the home, and every homemaker has a right to the sense of security which comes from work being plentiful and suitably rewarded.

Study the political issues this week. Learn about your local and national governments, how they operate, how composed and whether or not they mean the best good for the American home. That is the big issue with every homemaker.

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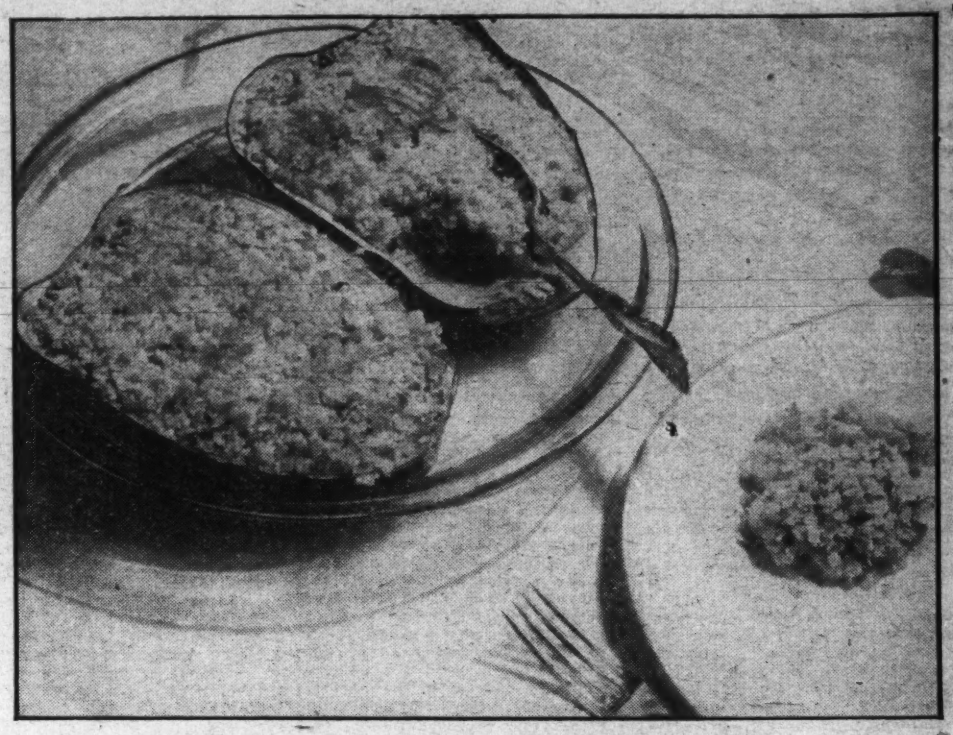

A palatable dish of stuffed eggplant attractively served.

Timely Tested Recipes from The Bureau of Home Economics

Department of Agriculture.

Cookies for Tea Time.

Whether you want a few cookies for afternoon tea, for passing with punch in the evening or for tucking in the school lunch boxes, you will find either of the following recipes from the Bureau of Home Economics of the United States Department of Agriculture useful on many occasions:

Scotch Wafers.

2 cups rolled oats
1 cup sifted flour
½ cup sugar
½ teaspoon salt
2 teaspoons baking powder
3 tablespoons fat
1-3 cup milk.

Mix the dry ingredients, add the fat, and mix together thoroughly. Add enough milk to make a dough sufficiently hard to roll (about one-third of a cup). Knead this dough well, roll very thin and cut with a biscuit cutter. Bake in a moderately hot oven (375 degrees F.) for 15 to 20 minutes. When cool the wafers should be very crisp.

Macaroons.

2 egg whites
⅛ teaspoon salt
1 cup sugar
1 cup shredded coconut
2 cups flaked toasted breakfast food
Almond flavoring

Beat the egg whites with the salt until stiff, add the sugar and beat thoroughly. Fold in the coconut and toasted flakes, which have been crushed in the hands. Add the flavoring. Drop by spoonfuls onto oiled paper and bake in a very moderate oven (300 to 325 degrees F.) for about 20 minutes, or until delicately browned and well set.

Roast Stuffed Cured Shoulder.

Have a cured pork shoulder skinned and boned. Wash the shoulder and soak it overnight in cold water to cover. On removing the piece from the water wipe it dry. Lay the shoulder fat side down, pile in some of the hot stuffing, begin to sew the edges of the shoulder together to form a pocket, and gradually work in the rest of the stuffing. The recipe for stuffing given below makes the right quantity for a 4 to 5 pound picnic shoulder; for a 9 to 10 pound long-cut shoulder, double these quantities. Lay the stuffed shoulder, fat side up, on a rack in an open roasting pan without water. Roast the meat at very moderate heat (325 degrees F.) until it is tender when pierced with a skewer or a fork. A 4 or 5 pound picnic shoulder will require about 3½ hours to cook at this oven temperature; a 9 to 10 pound long-cut shoulder will need from 4½ to 5 hours.

Raisin Stuffing.

2 tablespoons butter or other fat
1 tablespoon chopped onion
1 cup finely cut celery and tops
2 tablespoons chopped parsley
2½ cups fine dry bread crumbs
½ pound seeded chopped raisins
Grated rind of one-half lemon
½ teaspoon salt

Cook the onion, celery and parsley in the fat for a few minutes. Mix the raisins thoroughly with the bread crumbs, stir in the cooked vegetables, and add the lemon rind and salt.

Election Cake.

Sponge:
½ yeast cake
½ cup lukewarm water
½ cup flour
½ teaspoon sugar

½ cup butter or other fat
1 cup brown sugar
1 egg
½ cup milk
2 cups sifted flour
1 teaspoon cinnamon
¼ teaspoon cloves
¼ teaspoon nutmeg
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup chopped raisins
½ cup chopped figs or dates

To make the sponge, soften the yeast in the lukewarm water, add the flour and sugar, and beat well. Put aside in a warm place to lighten for about an hour. In the meantime mix the fat and sugar and add the beaten egg and the milk. Sift together the flour, spices and salt. Then combine all the ingredients including the sponge and mix well. Pour the batter into a well-greased tube pan. Cover and stand in a warm place to rise for 3 or 4 hours. Bake for 1 hour in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.).

Stuffed Peppers.

6 green peppers.
2 cups flaky cooked rice, or bread crumbs.
2 tablespoons butter or other fat.
2 cups ground cooked meat.
1 small onion, chopped fine.
½ teaspoon salt, or to taste.
¼ to ½ cup chili sauce, catsup or meat gravy.
1 cup buttered bread crumbs.

Cut off the stem ends of the peppers, remove the seeds, boil the pepper shells for 5 minutes in lightly salted water, and drain. Stuff the peppers with a mixture made from the other ingredients, cover with the buttered crumbs, and bake in a moderate oven for about 30 minutes, or until the peppers are tender and the crumbs are brown.

Potatoes in Tomato Sauce.

1 quart potatoes, sliced.
1 onion, sliced.
4 tablespoons butter or other fat.
3 cups strained tomato juice.
2 teaspoons salt.
Pepper.

Cook the potatoes and onion in the fat for 20 minutes, add the tomato juice, salt and pepper, cover, and simmer for 30 minutes, or until the potatoes are tender. The potato thickens the tomato juice so that no other thickening is necessary.

Smoked, Boneless Shoulder Butt.

Wash the smoked shoulder butt, put it on a rack in a kettle, cover with water, and simmer for about 2 hours, or until tender. Let the meat cool in the broth.

Stuffed Eggplant.

(U. S. Department of Agriculture.)

Those who like the characteristic flavor of eggplant somewhat modified will enjoy stuffing this vegetable and serving it on its own half-shells with the main course of a dinner or luncheon. Any left-over cooked vegetable that combines well with the onion, breadcrumbs and eggplant, may be used. A small amount of tomato adds greatly to any stuffing. A few pieces of mushroom give flavor, too, but are not essential. The recipe below is from the United States Department of Agriculture.

Stuffed Eggplant.

1 large eggplant
4 tablespoons melted butter or other fat
1½ cups bread crumbs
1 small onion, finely chopped
1 cup cooked string beans, peas or other left-over vegetable
Pepper

Wash and cut the eggplant in half lengthwise. Remove as much of the white portion as possible without breaking the shell, cut the pulp into small pieces, cook in a small quantity of hot water for 10 minutes, or until tender, and drain. To the melted fat add the bread crumbs, stir until well mixed, and reserve half of the crumbs for the top. To the remaining crumbs add the other ingredients and the eggplant pulp, mix thoroughly, pile lightly into the eggplant shells, sprinkle the top with crumbs, place in a shallow baking dish, pour a few tablespoons of hot water around the shells to keep them from sticking, and bake in a moderate oven for 30 minutes. Serve in the baking dish.

Potatoes au Gratin.

1½ cups milk.
2 tablespoons flour.
2 tablespoons butter or other fat.
1 teaspoon salt.
¼ pound cheese, grated.
4 cups cooked diced potatoes.
1 cup buttered bread crumbs.

Prepare a sauce with the milk, flour, fat and salt. Add the cheese and stir until melted. In a shallow greased baking dish place the potatoes, pour the cheese sauce over them, and cover the top with the buttered bread crumbs. Bake in a moderate oven for 20 to 30 minutes, or until the crumbs are golden brown and the potatoes are thoroughly heated. Serve from the baking dish.

Baked Potatoes.

Select good baking potatoes of uniform size and shape, scrub thoroughly and bake in a moderately hot oven (375 degrees F.) for 45 to 60 minutes, or until soft when pressed. Take the potatoes from the oven at once, work gently with the fingers to loosen the skin, make a short gash to allow the steam to escape, season with buter, salt and a dash of paprika, and serve at once.

Right Food for Children If Food Money Is Reduced.

(Children's Bureau, Dept. of Agriculture.)

It is the children in the family who suffer most if they do not get the right foods in times of food and money scarcity. The Bureau of Home Economics of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, and the Children's Bureau of the U. S. Department of Labor, have joined forces to work out an emergency guide for feeding children under this winter's hard conditions. If you have children, send for the special suggestions for mothers. Meantime, here are some of the very important points:

For every child, every day, at least 1 pint of milk (he should have 1½ to 2 pints), two teaspoonfuls of cod liver oil if he is less than 2 years old (he should have 3 to 4 teaspoonfuls), one vegetable or fruit (he should have three or four), and also plenty of bread, cereals and other energy and body-building foods.

The milk, the cod liver oil and the vegetables or fruits are "protective foods." They safeguard the child against such diseases as rickets, scurvy or pellagra, which are known as deficiency diseases because they result from lack of certain essential foods. Whole unskimmed milk, which should be the foundation of every diet, is imperative in the diet of children throughout the whole period of growth and of pregnant and nursing mothers.

There is economy in using milk, because it does more for the body than any other food and does it more cheaply. What if the family can not afford whole milk at 8 to 15 cents a quart? In that case, buy evaporated milk (not sweetened condensed) which costs 6 1-4 to 8 1-3 cents a tall can and is a good alternative. A tall can of evaporated milk, when diluted with an equal amount of water, is the equivalent of a quart of fresh milk.

Child specialists insist that cod-liver oil is an indispensable food for children. It not only prevents rickets but also protects the child in other important respects. It is of the greatest importance that the oil should be of a good grade as shown by tests for vitamins A and D. If the children have 3 or 4 teaspoonfuls daily (which will cost 15 to 25 cents a week per child), they can get along with skim milk, either fresh or dry.

Broiled Ham.

Trim the rind and the lean edge from a slice of ham and cut the edges in several places to prevent curling. To broil by direct heat lay the ham on a rack and place over live coals, or under an electric girll, or the flame of a gas oven. Turn frequently and cook at moderate heat. Allow about 10 minutes for a very thin slice of ham, 20 minutes for ham cut one-half to three-fourths inch thick, and 30 minutes for a slice 1 inch thick.

Beans Are Economical.

(U. S. Department of Agriculture.)

When times are hard and the housewife must cut food costs, dried beans and peas are a great help in stretching the table allowance. Beans of different kinds, peas, lentils and other dried legumes are all relatively cheap, easy to store, and similar in food value. All beans contain much protein, iron and some fat. They have some of the food value of potatoes—starch, minerals and vitamin B—and so reinforce the limited diet with these food essentials.

Before they are cooked, beans and practically all dried legumes should be soaked for several hours or overnight. Even then they require a long time to cook. Beans in particular swell very much when they are soaked and again when they are cooked, so it is necessary to use a large enough utensil and plenty of water.

Because of the long, slow cooking, it saves fuel to prepare enough beans for two or three meals at one time, suggests the Bureau of Home Economics of the United States Department of Agriculture. You can then serve them in different ways during the same week, but you must take pains to keep them cold until they are all used. If any are left after the second using, reheat them to the boiling point to prevent their spoiling, and cool again.

Suppose you start by cooking three times the quantity of beans for one meal. Boil them in soft water, if possible, with a ham bone or salt pork. For the first dinner serve plain boiled beans in their liquor; which will be well flavored with the pork. Next, serve part of the remainder baked, seasoned with a little molasses, mustard and onion. The third time they may appear as bean soup or bean salad.

Some other suggestions for varying the way of serving beans include "Hopping John," chile con carne, beans cooked with tomato sauce, and bean sandwishes.

Cider and Raisin Sauce.

¼ cup sugar
1 tablespoon corn starch.
⅛ teaspoon salt
1 cup cider
¼ cup seedless raisins
4 small pieces stick cinnamon
8 whole cloves

Mix the sugar, corn starch and salt and add the cider and the raisins. Put in the spices tied up in a piece of cheesecloth. Boil the mixture for about 10 minutes and take out the spices. Serve the sauce hot with ham.

Broiled Canned Peaches.

Drain the sirup from halves of large canned peaches. Place the halves in a shallow baking dish, pit side up, pour over them a small quantity of melted butter, or other fat, and add a little salt. Broil under a flame or bake in an oven until the peaches are hot through and lightly browned. Serve hot with ham.

The Married Life of Helen and Warren

By MABEL HERBERT URNER

Creator of the "Helen and Warren" Characters

A Boat-Deck Mystery Prompts Warren's Midnight Sleuthing

THE LONG B-deck corridor deserted. Already the nightly fringe of shoes.

A furtive, over-her-shoulder glance, and Helen turned in at 42. The lights flashed on, with nervous haste she locked the door.

The cheerful snugness of their stateroom. The familiar steamer atmosphere of comfort, luxury. Why should she have all this when——

But no time now to philosophize. Hurry — before Warren came down from the smoking room.

Flinging off her velvet wrap as she opened the mirrored wardrobe. Her heavy steamer coat snatched out. Quickly buttoned over her filmy evening gown.

Then darting to the washstand. From the water carafe, filling their traveling flask. A flat pint, easily slipped into her deep coat pocket.

Now at the ribboned bon-voyage baskets. Conspicuously depleted, and only the third night out!

Still a few rolls of chocolate. Tucking one in the other pocket. That box of figs and the salted nuts——

Carefully fitted in — no betraying bulge.

An orange thrust in with the flask. No, too bulbous there.

Those sandwiches in her brocade bag. Transferring them to her pocket, and the orange to the bag.

That cluster of long red grapes. Warren's favorite, but so nourishing. Yes, take them.

No paper? Tearing an "ad" page from a magazine when the doorknob rattled.

"Here, let me in!" an irate growl from the corridor.

"Just a second, dear."

The grapes wrapped and pocketed in panicky haste.

"What's the idea?" bursting in when she slid the bolt. "Why always lock that door?"

"Oh, I — I didn't think," hands in her pockets to cover the bulges.

"Huh, locked out every time I come down here. Why so secretive this trip?"

"Wait, there's a grape on the floor — you'll step on it!"

"Darned good grapes," the rescued one tossed in an ash-tray. "Dig me out a bunch."

"Why — oh, I'm sorry, there aren't any more. I just took the last."

"Fine! You're cultivating a real appetite, Kitten," rummaging in a half-emptied basket. "Even gone in for candy — not much left here. And the way those sandwiches went in the smoking room——"

Turning to hide her betraying flush. Did he suspect? Had he seen her slip them into her lap? The fumbling moment getting them into that envelope.

"Yes, I know, I — I seem to be awfully hungry," straining for a convincing casualness. "It must be the sea air."

"Glad something's pepping up your appetite! Can't bawl me out for eating between meals — now you've gone in for it. But you don't seem to fatten up any."

Conscious of her stuffed pockets, she shrank from his grinning appraisal.

"Why the heavy coat? Not going on deck at this hour?"

"Oh, I left my book. It won't take a minute."

"The steward's cleared everything away," munching a plum. "He'll put it in your chair tomorrow."

"No, no, up on the boat deck," an eager-to-escape hand on the doorknob.

"Huh, way you keep running up there—— Got a date with an officer? Well, make it snappy — almost twelve. And lose forty minutes tonight," setting his watch ahead. "Time to turn in."

At last in the corridor, safe from discovery. His unflattering lack of curiosity usually resented, but welcome now. If he should find out!

Up the broad stairway, alertly eluding an approaching acquaintance.

Festive strains from the salon. All those carefree dancers——

Another flight. Glancing anxiously about as she stepped out on the windswept boat-deck.

The moon veiled in the cloud-clotted sky. A fine spray from the turbulent waves far below.

Something eerie in the midnight desertion. The canvas-covered lifeboats spectral in the misted obscurity.

At a deeper lurch, Helen clung to the railed wall. Darting to a sheltered nook between two boats.

"Oh, Mrs. Curtis!" a muffled phantom from the shadows. "It's so good of you to come! I was afraid you couldn't."

"I can only stay a moment," hastily emptying her pockets. "Here're sandwiches and some more fruit."

"And water! Oh, thank you!" eagerly opening the flask. "What I've wanted most."

"I know, thirst must be awful. Can't you get any in the washrooms?"

"I'm afraid to since I saw a stewardess watching me in the mirror. There was no glass — I was drinking out of my hand."

"You don't think she——"

"No, but she looked so amazed that a first-class passenger should drink like that! I haven't dared try it again."

"If there was only some way. But only three more days. Here's another orange—— Oh, quick, someone's coming!"

The girl frantically crammed the food into her large hand-bag.

But too late. The tall figure looming out of the darkness.

"Well, did you find your book?"

Warren! He had followed!

His ominous scowl at the flask, still clutched in the girl's rigid hands.

"Oh, I — I must have left it in the lounge." Then nervously, "Dear, I don't think you've met Mrs. Fenton."

"No, and I doubt if any one else has! So that's what you've been up to?" he exploded. "Conniving with a stowaway, eh? I knew darned well you weren't eating all that grub!"

"Sh-sh, dear, not so loud!" tensely. "Someone might hear you."

"What if they do? This young woman's got to report to the captain! And the sooner the better."

The girl, speechless, shrinking back. Her wind-blown hair whipping her white face.

"No, no, she's gone through so much—— Oh, you must help her!"

"Nothing doing! This is a ticklish business. And you're an accessory—smuggling her food."

"Oh, Mrs. Curtis won't get into trouble?" sobbing now.

"Possibly. But nothing to the trouble you're in for!" grimly. "They're coming down harder on stowaways. Shipped back and sent up for a few months."

"Not—not to prison?" quivered Helen. "You can't mean that?"

"Well, that's what they're doing! Too many featherbrained youngsters think it's a great lark. Got to discourage them somehow."

The girl terrified, a pathetic huddle against the rail.

"How'd she rope you in on this, anyway?"

"Why, I came up alone one night," starting at a sudden blast from the foghorn. "For a book I left here."

"And I was desperate!" hysterically. "Two days without food. I'd planned to get something on deck when they served bouillon and tea — I'd read you could. But I hadn't the nerve! Then I saw Mrs. Curtis. She looked so kind——"

"Too blamed kind!" ruthlessly. "Should've turned you right over. Bound to get caught eventually. Only prolonging the agony."

"Dear, it's not an ordinary case! She's not out for adventure or just to beat her way. Tell him why you did it — what you told me!"

Her story brief. No appeal for sympathy, but the bare facts convincing.

Her husband a musician — long out of work. A chance for a small part in a company going to England.

Now he was ill in Liverpool. Seriously ill. She had to go to him! But the third-class minimum eighty-five dollars — and sixty all she could raise.

Desperate, she had come on board as if to see a friend off — and had stayed! Sleeping in one of the canvas-covered lifeboats, wrapped in her coat. Venturing out only at night.

"And how did you expect to get off," brusqued Warren, "without a passport or landing card?"

"I have a passport. My husband had hoped to send for me before he fell sick. But I've never crossed before — I never heard of a landing card."

"You will, when you try to land without one! So you thought you could just walk off? Not a chance!"

"Dear, don't be so hard," pleadingly, clinging to him. "Can't we help her somehow? She's a violinist too — and this has been a cruel year for all musicians."

"Yes, pretty tough," less sternly. "Let's see — third-class fare's eighty-five and you've got sixty. Well, if the Captain'll give you a ticket, I'll make up what you need."

"Oh, can you do that?" thrilled Helen. "Pay the passage afterwards?"

"Not ordinarily. They're not making it easy for stowaways. But this Captain's mighty decent. Think he'll let you off if we keep it quite. You've been sick in your cabin since we sailed — understand?"

"I'll do anything you say, Mr. Curtis. I can never thank you enough! And I'll pay it back just as soon as I can. I'll never forget this, never!"

"That's all right," always embarrassed by emotional effusions. "I'll tackle the Captain. He'll be sore as the devil. A stowaway makes 'em all see red."

"But if her passage is paid — he couldn't keep her from landing?"

"Could if he wanted to. But guess I can talk him around," his tossed-out cigar a comet through the blackness. "If you'd told me in the first place — —"

"Oh, if I only had! But dear, I didn't dare — you're so law-abiding."

"Huh, can't accuse you of that," grinning down at her. "Lawless as they make 'em! You never did have any respect for the law. And a born conspirator — way you snitched that grub!"

"I thought you hadn't noticed! And now I'm so glad you did. It's going to be all right," joyous confidence in his diplomacy.

"Well, come on, we'll fix you up for tonight," he turned to the radiant stowaway. "And straighten this out in the morning. Afraid you're in for a stiff session with the Captain. But at least you'll have a berth and real food. Not have to park in a lifeboat and live on smuggled snacks!"

Next week—A dentrificed dress shirt.

THE BLOW-OFF—By COURTNEY RYLEY COOPER

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There's a box of papers there I want."

Joe Denison straightened. "You'd better get your own papers, Shifty!"

"Nix nix! You needn't get so hostile. Ain't I played fair and square by you? Ain't I let you run the circus the way you wanted to? I ain't been so blind to what you've been doin', kid. You ain't fooled me—I got friends around this outfit. You've sold stuff that ain't belonged to you——".

"I realized it." Joe Denison's face had paled. "We'll fight that out if you want to."

"Now nix, nix, I tell you! I ain't arguin' with you. I'm just tellin' you. I ain't raised no squawk, have I? I want to see Sister Emma get what's comin' to her. Can't I mention it without you foldin' up on me? Now, listen, duck down there and get me that box. I can't go myself. John Law's hangin' around the car—I got a tip. Bring it back to me and I'll beat it, see. I'll wait here for you."

"Not here," said Denison. "They'll be taking this wagon away."

"Then I'll meet you at a certain time. That's the racket, see? Say 7 o'clock. Where'll you be?"

"How do I know where I'll be? I've got to get this show off the lot tonight."

"Then I'll find you, see, at 7. You'll be with Barney, won't you?"

"I suppose so."

"I can locate him, playin' that harp like he does."

Joe Denison pounded a fist into an open palm, anxious to be away. "Fullhouse will be with him if I'm not. He'll know where I am."

"All right, then, beat it. I got to have them papers. And listen," he added as Joe Denison started grudgingly away, "don't try no funny stuff."

"How?"

"You know how!" The sneer was in his voice, covering a threat. "Tippin' anybody. I don't want no John Law showin' up here. Get me? I'll jam everything if I'm tipped—you or nobody else won't get off this lot."

Heated blood flared to Joe Denison's brain. He departed wordlessly, as wordlessly he turned Barney over to Fullhouse and went on toward the train. Hatred subdued in the necessity of self-preservation had flamed to sudden ascendancy with that threat by Shifty Willie. He'd jam everything! Nobody'd get off the lot—Joe Denison knew what it meant. Countercharges, involving innocent persons, delays while accusations were thrashed out. It seared Denison's brain, and it did something more; it brought the realization that he had been put in the position of an accessory after the fact. Shifty Willie would leave forever tonight. This was an assist to escape——

All the way to the cars he fought it out. Block after block he dissected it, at last to halt, almost aghast. So Shifty was trying a new game, that of putting him in a position as alien to the law as himself! If he kept silent tonight, then he was guilty also—and Shifty could use that! He stalked to the car rather than walked, and halted carefully to look about him. "I thought the sheriff was here," he said to the car porter.

"He was, boss, until a half hour ago."

"Go find him. Tell him I want to see him right away!"

A half hour passed. Forty-five minutes and fifty. The car porter returned, "I done called up his office an' they said they'd git him," he reported.

Joe Denison moved for the steps of the car. "When he comes," he commanded, "send him out to the lot."

Out at the circus grounds, a stricken giant still struggled with the glaze which bound it. More fires gleamed; outside the menagerie tent the working crews slouched, waiting, impotent. While within, two figures in the vast emptiness, Fullhouse and an elephant stood for a moment unmoving. Above, the icy expanse of roaring canvas bellowed with the noise of a thousand shotguns as the gusts struck it. Poles creaked; ropes protested; the side walls flapped eerily—they were too tightly frozen to be removed, and must fall with the tent. The man patted the old elephant on his trunk and straightened the big harp in the pachyderm's grasp. Old Barney, frightened but still faithful, waited motionless, save for the filling of his cheeks with the blowing of heavy chords. From his neckband ran four ropes, each fastened to a knife-edged ring, and each of these rings taut against a fall-guy, which held the canvas aloft to the poles.

Carefully, Fullhouse examined each lead-line, taking up a little here, loosening a little there, that each might exert its cutting strain simultaneously. Then, with a blank laugh, he patted old Barney and prepared to leave. "Attaboy," he said. "Blow that bazoo o' yours. You're goin' to need it. An' you stay here till I call you. Stay there!" he commanded, giving the proper signal as he turned and ran for the outdoors.

Barney obeyed, playing in frightened enthusiasm upon the heavy harp. Then at one side, the icy side wall rose and fell. A voice sounded faintly in the reverberation of the tent, a wheezy voice, asking directions. A form came closer—closer—

"Barney! Barney! Mule up there!" It was the call of Fullhouse from without, and the faithful elephant leaped forward in answer. A swishing sound came from the center-pole fall-guys, only to be drowned in a booming as of cannon as the canvas began to drop, joined by the crackling of the center-poles and their splintering as they fell about him, tossed like matches by the weight of descending tons. The elephant scrambled madly, his harp forgotten; trunk lifted, mouth wide open, he bellowed his terror. A broken section of center-pole struck him, knocking him far to one side; reeling, he straightened, only to realize that a great, smothering weight had settled upon him from above. Wildly he thrashed against it, blasting and trumpeting; again he crashed into wood and evaded it, then for the briefest part of an instant he struck something soft and yielding, something which shrieked and screamed against the cacophony of sound that was all about. Again he struck it and crushed it beneath his tremendous hoofs as he rushed onward.

At last he was in the open air, with Fullhouse dangling at the end of a bull-hook as he caught the terrorized beast and strove to bring him to a halt. Then another hook, and a beloved voice, that of Joe Denison; puffing and blowing, old Barney hesitated in his headlong gait.

"Everybody all right?" It was the boss canvasman as he halted a running progress toward them. "I thought I heard somebody yell in there when the tent went down."

Joe Denison whirled sharply, staring for an instant at the fallen menagerie top. Then suddenly he ran to the nearest fire and with numbed hands jerked forth his watch. "Guess you were right, Bill," he said queerly.

It was six minutes past seven.

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OFF THE SHELF OF NEWEST BOOKS

JOHN ERSKINE'S BOOK REVIEW

Portraits of Three Healers—A Stimulating Book by Zweig on Mesmer, Mrs. Eddy and Freud.

By Elisabeth E. Poe.

THERE was a day when the average reader, then a smaller and perhaps more select public than now, mostly read the books which appealed to his interests. He would browse about a bookshop, run across a book that attracted him and say: "Oh, I am interested in that." Nowadays, the average reader goes into a bookshop—or a drug store—and asks, "Got an interesting book?" By that he means "human interest" played up to the nth degree. What effect this attitude eventually will have on literature is worth a close study.

One thing is certain, all are interested in personal lights on people. Stories about them never lack in appeal, a perfectly natural result because what could more appeal to us than our fellow beings? As Pope said long ago: "The proper study of mankind is man." This was not original, of course, even with Pope—he had borrowed it from ancient Lycurgus.

Yet, when all is said and done, human nature is the greatest study humanity can have, whether its bearing be recent or modern. That accounts, in large measure, for the advance of so many biographies and autobiographies into the ranks of best sellers.

Sir Edmund Gosse, the eminent English critic, once wrote: "I ask that literature should give me pleasure! I do not dictate to writers by what route they shall approach me." That, after all, is the criterion by which contemporary literature may be judged. For it must be remembered that literature is a house with many mansions. Turning its key of exquisite workmanship one may enter its Paradise by many doors.

It is interesting to watch how the World War characters are developing under the pens of contemporary writers. Even the late Czar Nicolas, who was not a great man, illustrates this fact.

As time goes on the historical figures in the World War will assume their true size and status in history.

Latest Books Tersely Reviewed

THE WISDOM OF THE BODY. By Walter B. Cannon. (W. W. Norton & Co., Inc., New York.)

To begin with, Dr. Cannon asks a question which gets us all puzzled and then very kindly proceeds to explain it all to us. "How do we stay normal?" Dr. Cannon declares that although our bodies are composed of extremely unstable material they exhibit throughout life a remarkable stability.

Dr. Cannon writes with the sure authority of knowledge, for, for some years, he and his collaborators have been engaged in researches on the stabilizing devices by means of which our bodily organization is kept normal, in spite of powerful disturbing forces.

PLAYBOY. By Elizabeth Jordan. (The Century Co., New York.)

Here we are introduced to two rather unusual characters, a pretty successful business girl, who falls in love with a man whom she prevents from suicide in her boarding house one Christmas eve. The girl is modeled after the thousands of girls who run the businesses of America as secretaries of important men, with a little overdrawing to make her fit in with the decidedly overdrawn character of the hero or near hero.

They all adjust themselves at last with the playboy as a real farmer and the business woman wife commuting to the business in which she now has an interest. Of course the author does not tell us whether they lived happily forever after.

MENTAL HEALERS. By Stefan Zweig. Translated by Eden and Cedar Paul. (Viking Press, New York.)

IN this engrossing volume Stefan Zweig continues his essays in creative portraiture. In 1919 he published "Drei Meister," an appreciation of Balzac, Dickens and Dostoievsky; in 1925 "Der Kampf mit dem Damon," a study of Holderlin, Kleist and Nietzsche, and in 1928, "Drei Dichter ihres Lebens," a study of Casanova, Stendhal and Tolstoi. In the present volume he studies Franz Anton Mesmer, Mary Baker Eddy and Sigmund Freud.

In each of these volumes, and especially in the latest, he is interested in the mental processes of men and women who have made outstanding contributions to the thought, the faith or the emotion of their time. All artists are egotists, all strong personalities are to some extent self-centered, and this egotism, especially when the artist is unconscious of it, presents a complex of comedy and tragedy which fascinates Stefan Zweig.

He gives not simply the keen analysis and synthesis which we have enjoyed in Lytton Strachey, in Gamaliel Bradford, or in other practitioners of modern biography. Since Zweig is himself a philosopher, his instinct is always to relate the individual whom for the moment he has under the microscope to large and impersonal influences or principles.

It will be noticed that each of his books has dealt with three portraits, and the three in each volume are related by some kinship of purpose or success. It is in defining this kinship that Zweig is most illuminating, though the details of portraiture are so well done that the books have the dramatic appeal of fine novels.

The importance of Mesmer, of Mrs. Eddy and of Freud, he indicates at once by reminding us that there always have been two kinds of healing—the use of drugs and the exercise of the mind or spirit. In primitive societies the two kinds of healing go happily hand in hand, but there the knowledge of drugs is inadequate, and the faith in the mind is great. For primitive man, healing is closely related with religion; it is the presence of the god which drives out disease.

Human Nature.

When the study and practice of medicine became scientific, the religious, the spiritual and the mental aspects of healing were thrown overboard. The trained doctor thought they were thrown overboard forever, but apparently the trained doctor knew more about the body than about human nature. In the work of Mesmer, of Mrs. Eddy and of Dr. Freud the discarded aspect of healing has come once more to the fore. This fact alone is enough to give these three names their niche in history.

Stefan Zweig knows, what the average man and woman are reluctant to admit, that it is unfair to ask of genius a harmony between its life and its accomplishments. From the moral and social point of view, such a harmony is desirable, but in fact it does not always occur, and it is not so essential as we wish it were.

The man who writes a poem which we love, ought to be the kind of man whom we should admire, but sometimes he is not, and the philosopher who announces an idea which rocks the world ought to be strong, but often he is feeble. The simplest way to deal with this puzzle is to deny its existence—to say that if the private life of the artist is disappointing, his work can not be so good as it seems.

Solving Paradox.

A sounder way to solve the paradox is to search in the moment and in the environment of the artist or philosopher for the conditions which gave his work value, conditions of which he perhaps was not aware, and which had no connection with his private faults.

This is Stefan Zweig's method. He points out that Mesmer won the attention of the world during the Enlightenment, during the most rational trend of human thought which Europe until then had seen. Mysticism had departed from the world, religion was political and cynical, science was in the youthful pride of materialism. A bad hour, one might have thought, for preaching the cure of disease by the magnetism of personality.

Not at all a bad hour, contradicts Zweig; the best possible hour. The world's soul was starved for the kind of doctrine which Mesmer announced, or was thought to announce.

His late success was as hard on him as his early failure. He failed to secure the attention of his fellow scientists to regions of human nature which he had rediscovered; but those who believed in him were so headlong in their adherence that they accepted, or invented for themselves, versions of his doctrine to which he could not subscribe.

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There is no reason to be astonished at the success of Mrs. Eddy. Her doctrine was extremely simple, and it supplemented the exaggerated tendencies of the time and the country in which it was produced. America was practical, hard-headed, in some respects unimaginative, but the wise student of human nature would see in those very facts a promising career for a doctrine which, though scientifically and philosophically meager, was charged with immense emotional and dramatic resources.

Freud's Success.

The determined smugness of the nineteenth century toward the problems of adolescence, of sex and of perversions, the unwillingness to study these problems so that they could be intelligently and sanely controlled, made Dr. Freud's career at first a difficult one, but it also was the condition of his success.

If we have need of help, and society for a long enough time tries to keep this help from us, the explosive moment will at last arrive when any one who comes to our aid will be our savior, or will seem to be so.

These general ideas of Stefan Zweig's we can readily appreciate. It is not so easy to pass judgment on the biographical aspects of the book. He reports the lives of these three great mental healers in a vivid and imaginative narrative, but whether the tone is just, whether the facts are correctly interpreted, there will be difference of opinion.

The part of the book devoted to Mrs. Eddy is brilliant writing. Zweig has made the most out of materials which from the literary point of view are rich. There is an official life of Mrs. Eddy indorsed by her followers, and there are other accounts which differ from the official one.

This clash of interpretations provides highly debatable material, and debatable material is almost always more interesting than settled fact. It would be surprising if any Christian Scientist thought Zweig's account just or even approximately adequate, but no Christian Scientist, nor any one else, would be likely to stop reading the account once he had begun.

An American reader must be amazed at the accuracy in general with which he describes conditions in our country. He gives the impression of knowing well not only our landscape and our geographical distribution, but also the peculiarities of our character.

Yet his estimate of Mesmer and of Dr. Freud as persons is so much more sympathetic than his account of Mrs. Eddy that we must ask whether he was not aided in his approach to the two men by the fact that they did their work in a land with which he is really familiar.

Told From Outside.

Whether Mrs. Eddy was so willful a person, so egocentric, so pathological as Zweig intimates, it is evident that he tells her story from the outside, whereas in the case of Mesmer and Freud he is able to interpret with an imaginative sympathy with their motives. And this objectivity in dealing with Mrs. Eddy comes, one must think, as much from the fact that she was American as from the fact that she founded Christian Science.

Zweig seems to feel that her environment was at almost every point poor in culture and in intelligence. Whether or not he is correct, his method of scoring his point is not convincing. He mentions an occupation or trade as though it were a sure guide to the intellectual and spiritual state of those who pursue it. "Eddy," he says, "was a man of no particular account. Born on a farm, he followed various vocations, among them that of a sewing-machine agent." Richard Kennedy, he tells us, was "a worker in a box factory."

Label Not Precise.

This kind of label may be fairly precise in Germany or Austria, but it is less precise in America today, and it was not at all precise in the America of Mrs. Eddy's youth. We might say with literal truth that Henry Thoreau was a pencil maker, or that Bronson Alcott was a peddler. If that was all we said of these two men, perhaps Stefan Zweig would not know the sort of men they were.

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This is not to deny a very real cultural difference between the origins of Christian Science and of the other two kinds of mental healing here studied. Mesmer was a trained scholar and a true scientist, as is Dr. Freud. Mesmer was an old-world gentleman of culture who entertained in his house Hayden and Mozart, and who was born to a society of gentle minds.

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ON GERMAN'S PSEUDO-MUSSOLINI, HITLER.

IN "Hitlerism, the Iron Fist in Germany," by Nordicus (the Mohawk Press, New York City) an amazing glimpse is given of a world figure, Adolf Hitler, of Germany, whose career is being watched throughout the world.

The present author has studied the question of "Hitlerism" not only from the possible effect its rise may have on Germany but to civilization and the rest of the world. He has striven not to write any prejudice or prejudgment into his story but has maintained his attitude of impartial political observer throughout the book.

Americans who have been hearing of Hitler now for some months will be particularly interested in having this authentic picture of him. Accustomed as we are in this country to the sudden rise out of practical obscurity of outstanding figures, there is nothing strange about Hitler's sudden advance into the international limelight.

Nor is there much to marvel at that Hitler, seizing the weapon of depression—offering an economic and racial heaven—relief from the heel of France, has drawn millions of voters into the National Socialist camp.

From his cellar of a public house, preaching his doctrines to the first open meeting of his new party, to the Barlow palace in Munich, the present headquarters of the National Socialists, may seen a far step in ten years. But this dapper leader has made it and he will go farther, depend upon that. Men like Hitler are not stopped by untoward circumstances, criticism or any other means than their own mistakes.

Another attraction of this book is the way it surveys the entire situation in Germany, giving a most timely and enlightening contribution to our understanding of recent trends in European politics. No student of international affairs can afford to be without it.

What is ahead of Germany he sums up as follows: "With a most astonishing spirit of patience and fatalism, the German nation is watching the approach of civil war and revolution. There is little more German statesmen can do to save the Fatherland from economic collapse or a shattering disaster."

His opinion of Hitler also is epitomized in the last paragraph of the book: "Shouting phrases about liberty and freedom and God, the Nazi host, with an adventurer at its head, marches proudly on, not knowing where it is going. The Fatherland, facing chaos, civil war, destruction, calls for help and a dapper quack doctor nominates himself for the role of savior. 'Deutschland erwache!'"

E. E. P.

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McGOOFEY'S FIRST READER

By H. I. PHILLIPS

Whom have we here?

We have Emil.

Who is Emil?

Emil is a garage hand. He repairs automobiles.

Does Emil overhaul engines?

Yes, Emil overhauls engines.

What else does Emil do?

Emil tightens brakes, lubricates the differential, removes carbon and tightens up loose parts.

Is Emil a good mechanic?

He is as good as they come.

What does Emil do when he finishes overhauling a car?

Emil wipes the grease off his hands and feet.

Where does Emil wipe the grease?

On the upholstery of the car.

Why does Emil wipe the grease on the upholstery?

It is evidently an old service station custom.

THE STORY OF SYLVESTER.

1. Sylvester came of a family of artists.

2. His father and grandfather before him were distinguished painters.

3. At an early age it was apparent that Sylvester had inherited the family talent and instinct.

4. He got "A" in drawing in school and his work was always exhibited by teacher to show up the other scholars.

5. His father spent much time "grounding" the boy in the fundamentals.

6. Sylvester displayed such aptitude that he was sent to the best native art schools where it was discovered that he had very original ideas.

7. Nobody seemed to get what he was driving at, but everybody agreed he was unorthodox. The professors said he was expressing himself through new forms.

8. He went to Paris to complete his training and was hailed as an exponent of a new and revolutionary school of art. His compositions were very quaint. Insects and animals predominated in them.

9. The motiff was a bit nutty, but the experts called it bizarre.

10. All the critics were so completely puzzled that they decided his work must be significant. They wrote columns about the new artist who was pointing the way to a revolution in art.

11. When he returned home his father was very proud of him, but he wasn't quite sure whether his stuff made sense.

12. Sylvester got lots of press notices, but no money.

13. After a few years he followed Greeley's advice about going West and when the folks next heard of him he was making $250,000 a year under a 10-year contract.

14. He had created a new movie animated cartoon like Mickey Mouse.

Moral—It's a cockeyed world.

STRANGE FACTS.

The natives of Ceylon do not use finger bowls.

Eighty-seven per cent of the water that goes over Niagara Falls never comes back.

Napoleon Bonaparte shaved with an old-fashioned razor and did not care for banana fritters.

Some of the world's greatest efficiency experts can not remove cinders from their own eyes without help.

The first name of Jolson, the blackface comedian, is Al.

When it is half-past six in Buffalo, N. Y., it is 72 above zero in Key West, Fla.

No Borneo chieftain has ever made good as a radio crooner.

More than 2,000,000 toothpicks with colored paper twisted around them were used for decorating restaurant lamb chops in the last fiscal year.

The arinopolis or bifflefish holds out its fin when about to turn a corner.

A trout can lay 5,000,000 eggs at a sitting but can not cackle.

Coarse sandpaper will take the stains off a dress shirt.

Seventeen members of the House of Representatives dunk their crullers in their coffee.

Fleas may be exterminated by placing them on a metal slab and hitting them with a smooth flat stone.

A Christmas tree is practically unmarketable after February 1.

The Mississippi River is located in the United States.

Grant's Tomb contains the body of a well-known Civil War general from Ohio.

LITTLE STUDIES IN NATURAL HISTORY—THE HYENA.

1. The hyena is found in Africa, but not with any enthusiasm.

2. It is the Lon Chaney of the animal kingdom.

3. It has practically no love life.

4. The hyena has no charm and doesn't seem to give a damn.

5. It looks terrible in the jungle and even worse in the circus menagerie, where it gets full of moths and behaves as if it had the jitters.

6. It will eat anybody, regardless of social standing, condition, color or type.

7. Attempts to make friends with it are foolish, and very few people are trying it these days.

8. It lives to a ripe old age.

9. Which seems highly unnecessary.

PSALMS OF LIFE.

Early to bed and early to rise
Makes a man healthy, wealthy and wise.
But a lot of old boys who think late hours swell
Look okay, seem quite smart and have money as well.

—ARISTOTLE.

INTELLIGENCE TEST.

Mark with a cross the words which properly complete these sentences:

1. Sebastopol is:.....a wrestler....a grand opera....a swimming tank....a city....a Greek banker.

2. Nitrates are found in:.... kitchen sinks....telegraph offices ....Egypt....soft boiled eggs ....Chile.

3. A thesaurus is:.....a prehistoric animal....an Egyptian potentate....a place where flowers are raised....a big auditorium....a book of words and phrases.

4. A synopsis is:....a kind of temple used by the Greeks....a nasal affliction....a kind of musical instrument....the words for a musical composition....an outline of a play.

5. Chiropody is:....a city in India....a form of optimism.... the name of a character in mythology....an outfielder of the Brooklyn Baseball Club....the treatment of human feet.

WHAT'S WRONG WITH THESE STATEMENTS?

1. The popular song writer refused to submit a lyric in which there appeared the words "love" "above" "eyes" or "skies."

2. Premier Mussolini, when told his picture was wanted for a newsreel, became indignant and had the photographers driven out of Rome.

3. The movie magnate called in his writers and directors and insisted that they turn out pictures that made sense.

4. When the interurban motor bus came to the dangerous crossing it slowed down and gave the flivver crossing the street the right of way.

5. "The trouble with these new high speed tickers," said the stock broker, "is that they are not fast enough to record these three-million-share days."

6. "Darling," said the husband, "can't I take the dog out for a nice long walk and save you the trouble?"

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How a Tailspin Averted Tragedy

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riage jutted into the fuselage. Then the entire ship swung around and flew backward for about 25 feet. The tail skid, the rear of the fuselage, the rear controls broke away. There was an angry snarling of ship and motor parts, as though in its last moments the old boat was giving vent to an ungovernable rage. It was still. All was over.

Elmer Dyer rushed to the side of the cockpit. His eyes were bright as he looked at me seriously and said, "Thanks, Dick, for saving my life."

"Pretty close," I countered.

"You bet, but wait until you see the shot I got!" he exclaimed, a faint smile breaking over his tanned face.

And I believed him. As close as he was, he ought to have caught a nice thrill.

That was the first time in my career as a plane crasher that I had tasted the bitterness of defeat. I had missed. The 100 per cent record which I had held until this time had taken wings. No longer could it be said in all truthfulness that I had exactly hit the spot or had done all of the things required of me by the contract.

One hundred feet from me, back of the ropes, were excited spectators. People who, though they did not know it, had escaped a [illegible] assemblage, or in any but the cameras, the nearest—with the exception of Elmer Dyer's—almost 25 yards away. Dyer's camera was about ten yards away.

The company had lost an airplane. True, they had three good shots of the accident, but they would never be used; for the script demanded that the plane end on its back.

How fickle is a reputation built on the skill and judgment of a flyer! Before this thirty-second crash everyone expected the impossible. All of Hollywood took my work as a matter of course. After visual proof of my ability to perform the apparently impossible to the satisfaction of the different studios, it reasoned that I must have literally a magician's bag of tricks; that I was so safeguarded and protected that nothing depended upon me but to get into the ship and to plunge in.

There is nothing about these crashes that is faked. Leaving the ground and while in the air an airplane must attain and retain speed. In few ships is this less than 60 miles per hour. Most of my crashes have been made at a speed of from 85 to 110, and in one I was speeding along at approximately 135.

To follow a specific course there must be a pilot at the controls; therefore my presence. If I were to jump in a parachute the ship might land miles away, or in the midst of an [illegible] stances the effect would be undesirable.

Personal precautions are few. Instead of ducking, I must watch the ground speeding under me. I have to see the spot approaching. Sometimes I am forced to sideslip and at other times to skid and fish-tail so that this is possible. Until I hit, my head must be out of the side of the ship which first crashes. My unprotected eyes are subjected to the full propeller blast, but I know from the several times my head has been dashed into the pit or instrument board that my eyes would have been destroyed had I used goggles. Moreover, any sort of optical protection creates a certain amount of distortion and also limits the angle of sight. Since a continually changing picture is being flashed to my brain during those moments, I must have the best possible vision.

All of my work up to this crash had been exactly to specifications. But this thirty-second was not close enough to the cameras. And the ship failed to go over. The troupe did not know what I realized. I am not excusing myself when I say that in the last few seconds I hoped I would not get too close. A ship in a spin is out of control. It takes at least 200 feet for it to recover. I am perfectly satisfied with that crash. As far as I am concerned it ended where I wanted it to end, regardless of cameras. I'm knocking on wood when I say it, but I have [illegible]

So when I walked from that wreck I had a feeling of justification.

This time there were no hurrahs, no exclamations of praise from the troupe, no hand-shaking. I felt like crawling away in a hole. To them I had failed. It was as though I were disgraced.

Lunch, which had been delayed, was served, but I could not eat. A homely mongrel came and squatted near me and he ate my sandwiches and drank my milk. I think that poor lonely cur and I had a little in common; otherwise he would not have picked me out. Everyone talked in subdued voices. There seemed to be a little iciness in the air.

Ribs which I had broken in a previous crash were paining and I knew that I had injured them again. It was a good excuse for me to leave. I got into Priscilla Dean's automobile and proceeded to my doctor for a physical examination. The long muscle at the front of the ribs was ripped away and three short bones were broken. Again it was all in a day's work, except that this time I had sacrificed some of the confidence people had in me. In reality I can still laugh. Had I done differently I would never again have been able to fly.

That has been the only crash in pictures for which I have not collected. If I don't hit the spot and if I don't do the exact maneuvers which the director commands, I [illegible] using my own judgment cost me $1,000 that day, but I'm earning interest on it every minute. I have a clear conscience.

That evening it rained. For three days it rained. I stayed in my hotel—stiff, sore, and unable to get up or to lie down without doing a barrel roll to the edge of the bed. Christmas holidays! But what holidays for me—tortured in mind by what others considered a failure; bothered in body by bruises and aches and those short ribs in my back.

The telephone rang. It was the business manager at the studio. They had found another ship which I was to inspect and approve. It would be ready to test on the morrow; that is, if they could install in it an engine which had been used in one of my previous crack-ups. I rolled back to bed, happy to know that I was to purge the world in general and the flying public in particular of another second-hand ship and a much battered motor.

Upon calling the port I found that the mechanics couldn't get the power plant to function. They said it would be necessary to install another engine. The enthusiasm which I felt on hearing this could not have been disguised, even over the phone. With a good motor and a strong rudder I wouldn't care if the ship had rubber wings.

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Next Week—The Last Flight of [illegible]

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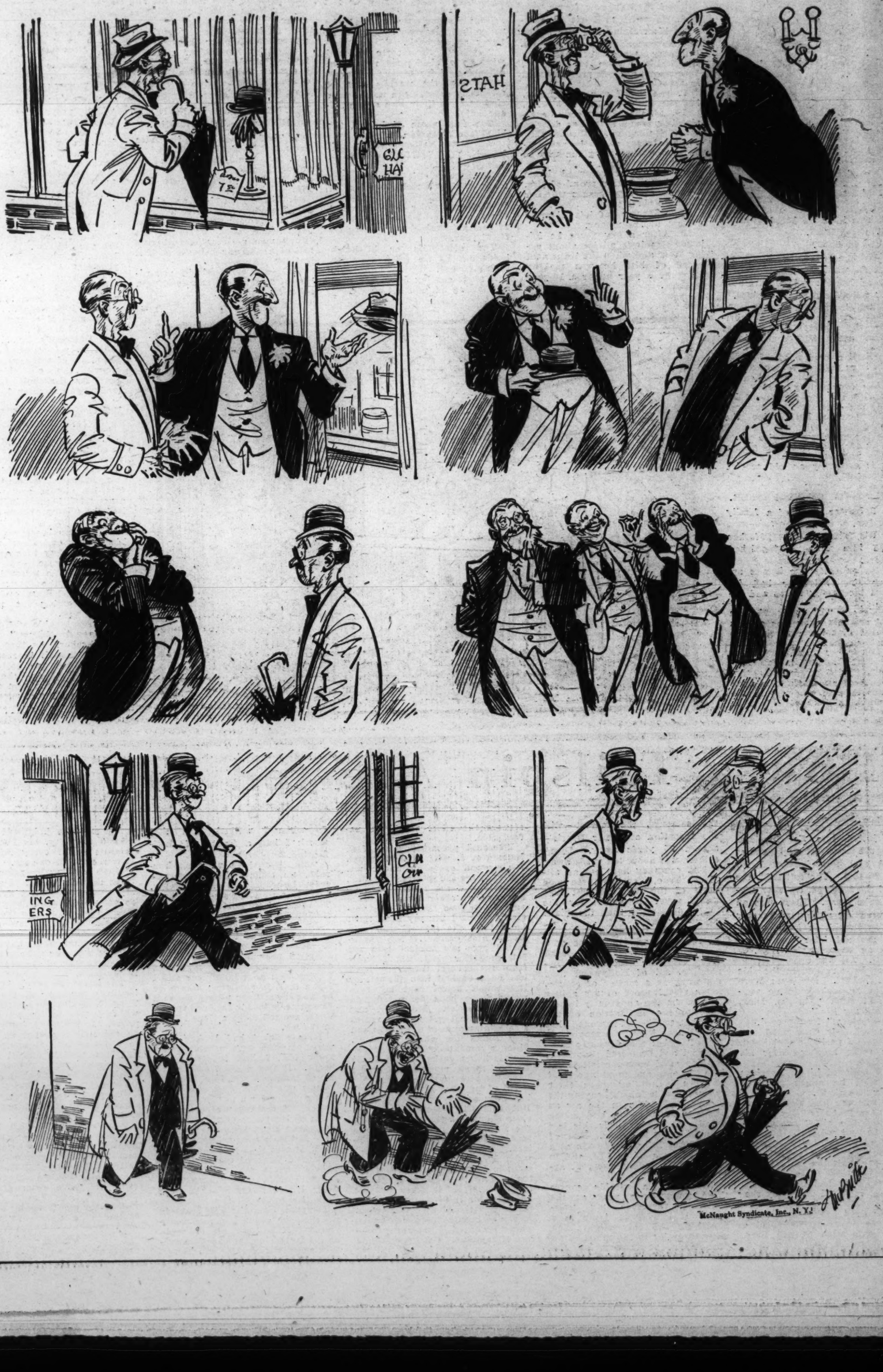

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CASH PRIZES MAY BE WON IN POST'S ESSAY CONTEST

With Bicentennial Issue Gone, Why Not Compete for Big Award?

Dear Post Boys and Girls: Three cheers for The Bicentennial Junior Post!

On all sides we have been showered with praise for the good showing made by our contributors for that special number of the best little paper in the United States.

The Junior Post leads all other juvenile papers because of the fine work done by the boys and girls who weekly send in contributions to it.

Did you like your prize pins, winners of The Bicentennial Junior Post?

Not only did we have enough to give to each winner last week, but there are some left over which we will distribute from time to time for special stories, poems and drawings on some feature of the Bicentennial.

Of course, you realize that the Bicentennial is not over. It will last until Thanksgiving Day. A long time, this, some of you may say, to remember one man.

But his virtues were so great and so surpassing that we can not pay him too much honor in our day and generation for the saving of our country in its hour of need. The day when America can forget George Washington and what he did for us in the early days of the Republic will mark a step downward in national progress.

Less than a month remains until the big Washington Post George Washington Essay Contest closes. Just think of it, $1,000 in cash prizes will be distributed among the boys and girls so fortunate as to win one of the 108 prizes.

The Junior Post Editor will be very proud if some of The Junior Post writers are found among the winners.

Only those Junior Post boys and girls who live in Washington or nearby Virginia and Maryland, Montgomery and Prince Georges Counties, in Maryland, and Arlington and Fairfax Counties and the City of Alexandria, in Virginia, are eligible to compete for these prizes. That gives a wide area, however. If you live in that territory and go to a public, private or parochial school and have not reached your 19th birthday, get busy and send in a 500-word essay on some phase of George Washington's life before midnight of March 14.

All essays submitted must be addressed to The Washington Post Essay Editor and be signed with full names, addresses, ages and schools and countersigned by parents, teachers or guardians.

The work must be your own and not copied from any book of reference or from any other source.

Get busy, Junior Post writers, and win some of the big prizes.

EDITOR JUNIOR POST.

The First Inauguration.

(Awarded a Washington Pin.)

It was April 30, 1789, the day of the first inauguration. Religious services were held in all the churches and prayers offered up for the blessing of heaven on the new government. At noon the city troops paraded before Washington's door. A little later the committees of Congress and heads of departments came in their carriages. At half-past 12 the procession started, preceded by troops the committees and heads of departments in their carriages; then Washington in a coach of state, his aide-de-camp, Col. Humphreys and his secretary, Mr. Lear, in his own carriage. The foreign ministers and a long line of citizens followed.

Washington alighted from his carriage about two-hundred yards from the hall and passed through the troops who were drawn, up on each side, into the hall and Senate chamber where the Vice President, Senate and House of Representatives assembled. The Vice President arose and conducted him to a chair. A solemn silence prevailed.

The oath was to be administered by the chancellor of the State of New York in a balcony in front of the Senate chamber, in full view of the crowds in the streets, in the windows and on the roofs of nearby houses. In the center was a table with a covering of crimson velvet and a crimson velvet cushion upon which lay a Bible.

When Washington made his appearance on the balcony he was dressed in a full suit of dark brown cloth, with a steel-hilted dress sword, white silk stockings and silver shoe buckles. His hair was dressed and powdered in the fashion of the day. He was deeply moved by the public demonstration of affection. Going to the front of the balcony he placed his hand upon his heart, bowed several times and became seated in a nearby chair. The people seemed to understand that the scene had overcome him and at once became silent.

After a few moments Washington rose and again came forward. The oath, was read slowly and distinctly. When it was concluded, he replied solemnly, "I swear—so help me God!" He then bowed and kissed the Bible.

The chancellor then stepped forward and exclaimed, "Long live George Washington, the President of the United States." All the bells in the city rang out a joyful peal.

Washington again bowed to the people and returned to the Senate chamber where he delivered to both houses of Congress, his inaugural address. After this he and the whole assemblage went on foot to Saint Paul's Church, where prayers suited to the occasion were read by Dr. Prevost, one of the chaplains of Congress. Thus ended the ceremonies of the first inauguration.

EDITH HESSLER (Age 14).
215 S street northeast.

Washington.

W stands for Washington, a man of great worth.
A stands for ability, which he inherited at birth,
S stands for sagacious, he was far-sighted,
H stands for honesty, for which his character is lighted,
I stands for immaculate, for which he is noted,
N stands for nationalism, for which he was devoted,
G stands for George, which is his first name,
T stands for trees we are planting for his fame,
O stands for outgeneral, it was til him to win,
N stands for our Nation, for which we are indebted to him.

THELMA PETTITT (Age 15).
12 Military road, Cherrydale, Va.

February.

February is a month of many notable dates—
A month which every one celebrates.
There is Lincoln, first on the list,
A birthday which I hope will never be missed.
There was never a man so thoughtful and brave—
Who was always so peaceful and grave.

George Washington's is the last of all dates,
And the one which every one celebrates.
This year is the two-hundredth anniversary of his birth
And of a man who gave much to this earth.

SYLVIA G. GOLDBERG (age 14).
1407 Varnum street northwest.

DIRECTIONS FOR GEORGE WASHINGTON CUT-OUTS

DIRECTIONS: Use a small scissors and cut away all the white part outside the head first, then cut away the smaller parts such as the eyes, &c. In all cases keep the scissors steady, and turn the paper instead of the scissors. Eliminate every white speck in the picture. Project a shadow of the picture on the wall by means of a lamp, flashlight or other suitable light. The result will be a very lifelike picture.

By trying to draw these pictures from memory after several have been cut out, you will be amazed at the impression it makes on your "photosense."

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GEORGE WASHINGTON CUT-OUTS

FAMOUS HOUDON BUST—OFFICIAL PICTURE OF THE BICENTENNIAL

By A. BLUSTEIN

The Houdon bust of George Washington at Mount Vernon has been chosen by the United States George Washington Bicentennial Commission as the official Washington portrait. It is being distributed throughout the country during the Nation's celebration of the 200th anniversary of Washington's birth.

The portrait is the work of a great Frenchman—Jean Antoine Houdon, who lived from 1741 to 1828. Houdon, although the son of a domestic, rose like Moliere to be an outstanding figure of the eighteenth century. In making known his famous portrait to the American people, the United States will thus contribute toward payment of the debt which Washington owed to Lafayette and the French for their aid during the struggle for independence.

While Houdon is also known for imaginative sculpture, his name is famous in the world of art for a series of 200 busts. Besides his bust of Washington, he also made likenesses of Benjamin Franklin, John Marshall, Rousseau, Moliere and Voltaire.

The selection of Houdon to execute the likeness of Washington was made by the Legislature of Virginia in 1784—the year after the successful close of the Revolution. After much consultation, in which Thomas Jefferson and Benjamin Franklin took part, Houdon was chosen as incomparably the most reliable and proficient artist to make a statue of Gen. Washington "of the finest marble and best workmanship."

Washington himself has left a record in his diaries of Houdon's stay at Mount Vernon for the purpose of modeling this bust, the original of which was presented by Houdon to Washington, and has been seen by every visitor to Mount Vernon. One especially interesting circumstance accounts for the life which Houdon imparted to Washington's head. During the artist's visit to Mount Vernon, Washington had occasion to decline with some indignation a shady bargain offered him by a horse dealer. The passing mood impressed Houdon as so characteristic of the man that he immortalized it in his bust.

The Houdon bust, therefore, was selected as the unanimous choice of a committee of historians and artists to be the official picture for the United States George Washington Bicentennial Celebration. It will be made familiar in photographic form all over the country during the celebration of the anniversary of Washington's birth—beginning February 22 and lasting until Thanksgiving Day, 1932.

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In the Editor's Letter Box

Dear Editor: I have written a poem for The Junior Post. This is my first attempt at poetry, but I hope it will be published. I have drawn for The Junior Post for three years.

The bells of time softly chime,
The Stars and Stripes unfurl;
The entire Nation bows in respect
To a man who served his flag.

How dear he becomes, as one by one,
We recall the deeds he has done.
With self-esteem, he guided the Ship
of State,
Keeping silent vigil with the ways of
fate.

We honor a name dear to our heart,
One who piloted us through the dark.
The Ship's fearful trip was done,
Washington came in with a victory
won.

Again I am wishing you success with the paper.

Sincerely yours,
LOUISE HENINGER.
1017 Maryland avenue northeast.

Dear Editor: I was born February 22, and will be 12 years old my next birthday. I live at 427 Lafayette avenue, Roanoke, Va., and attend St. Andrew's School. I read your Junior Post every Sunday and enjoy it very much.

CATHERINE STRAND.
427 Lafayette avenue, Roanoke, Va.

Dear Editor: I am inclosing the biography of George Washington's life. I hope it is well written and I also hope that you will publish it in The Junior Post.

A constant reader of The Junior Post.

MARGARET WEIL (age 12).
1501 King street, Alexandria, Va.

Dear Editor: I am sending two of my drawings. I enjoy drawing, but most of my work is not worth sending away. One of these two I hope will be published. On these I have tried my best. I read and enjoy The Junior Post each Sunday. Yours truly, SARA RUTH MAHUNDRO.
418 Warren avenue, Aurora Hills, Alexandria, Va.

Dear Editor: I am sending in my contribution for this week, which I hope will be published. It is a drawing entitled "Happy School Days Are Here Again." I shall endeavor to send in a contribution for every week. Respectfully yours,
PHILOMINE HOLDER (age 13).
4257 Dix street northeast.

Dear Editor: Thanks very much for awarding my essay a dollar. My sister-in-law's father called up just before I went to Sunday school to congratulate me. You see, this shows that grown-up people read The Junior Post.

I am inclosing my application for a membership pin.

I don't know what I will send in this week. I'll have to get some ideas.

Yours truly,
PHYLLIS MOORE (age 13).
88 Lee highway, Cherrydale, Va.

Dear Editor: I am inclosing a poem entitled "The Sea." I read The Junior Post every Sunday and find it very interesting. Sincerely,
MARY VIRGINIA HASSEL (age 12).
5228 Chevy Chase Parkway.

Dear Editor: I sincerely hope your George Washington number will be a great success. Maybe some day we will be celebrating the bicentennial of The Junior Post. Let us hope so. I am sending in my contribution for the Bicentennial paper.

Giving you my best wishes I remain,

Your faithful reader,
NORA O'CONNOR.
2303 First street northwest.

The Life of George Washington.

(Awarded a Washington Pin.)

Mildred was helping her mother bake pies. She sat on a high stool in the kitchen with a long checked apron around her waist. She was peeling apples in a big blue bowl. Suddenly she looked up from a red juicy apple in her hand. "Mother," she said, "will you help me with something?"

Her mother turned from the big stove. There was a smear of flour across her cheek. She smiled. "Of course, dear, if you think I can. What is it?"

"Well," answered Mildred, "our teacher is offering a prize for the best composition on the life of George Washington, and she said we might ask our mothers to help us."

Then mother began: "Mildred, there is much more to know about as great a man as George Washington than just when and where he was born and what important things he accomplished in his life. We must try to understand his greater qualities, his own perfect understanding, his unfailing loyalty to his country, and his never dying respect for his fellow countrymen. He was honest, sincere, true in every act of life. His clear head and intelligent thinking were a blessing in many complicated situations, where he thought only of the welfare of his country and the good of his people."

Mother stopped and peeped into the oven. The first two pies were browning around the edges, and a delicious odor came from the oven. She shut the oven door again and continued.

"You most likely have studied of how George Washington's great-grandfather came from England in 1658, and how this great-grandfather's grandson married the lovely and beautiful Mary Ball, who became the mother of George Washington on February 22, 1732, at Bridges Creek in Virginia.

"While little George was going to school at the parish church, his father died, while George was only 11 years old. Lawrence, an older brother, cared for George and acted as his guardian and counselor.

"At 14 George was given a chance to go to sea on a tobacco ship, but after talking it over with his mother and brother it was decided that he should have two more years of education. During this time George studied hard and spent much time fishing, hunting and reading, all of which he was very fond.

"When George was 16 his brother introduced him to a wealthy landowner, Lord Thomas Fairfax, who was much impressed by the young man's appearance and refined manners. Lord Fairfax offered George a chance as surveyor. At this job George worked hard, faithfully and never forgetting for one instant that he was a true American citizen and a free countryman.

"His work so pleased all who knew him that he made many steadfast friends, among whom were the country's most prominent statesmen.

"At the age of 21 George Washington was made major of the Virginia militia. During this time the colonies were preparing for war with France. He was sent with an important message to a French post some 600 miles away, and he suffered many hardships and was nearly killed a number of times. This journey took place during the year 1753-54.

"For years Washington served in his position of commander in chief of the Virginia troops and led his men successfully through many hardships.

"At the death of his brother George Washington inherited a large area of land, which was located along the Potomac River, and a beautiful home, Mount Vernon. Soon after he married a wealthy widow, Martha Custis.

"In 1774 Washington was chosen as delegate to the First Continental Congress, and the appointment as commander in chief of the Continental forces was offered him.

"Washington was the hero of the retreat across New Jersey, and his attack against the enemy at Trenton and Princeton is famous in history, as is the equally famous winter at Valley Forge, where in spite of the bitter cold, hardships and many sufferings, Washington led his men in perfect order and held them faithfully to the task.

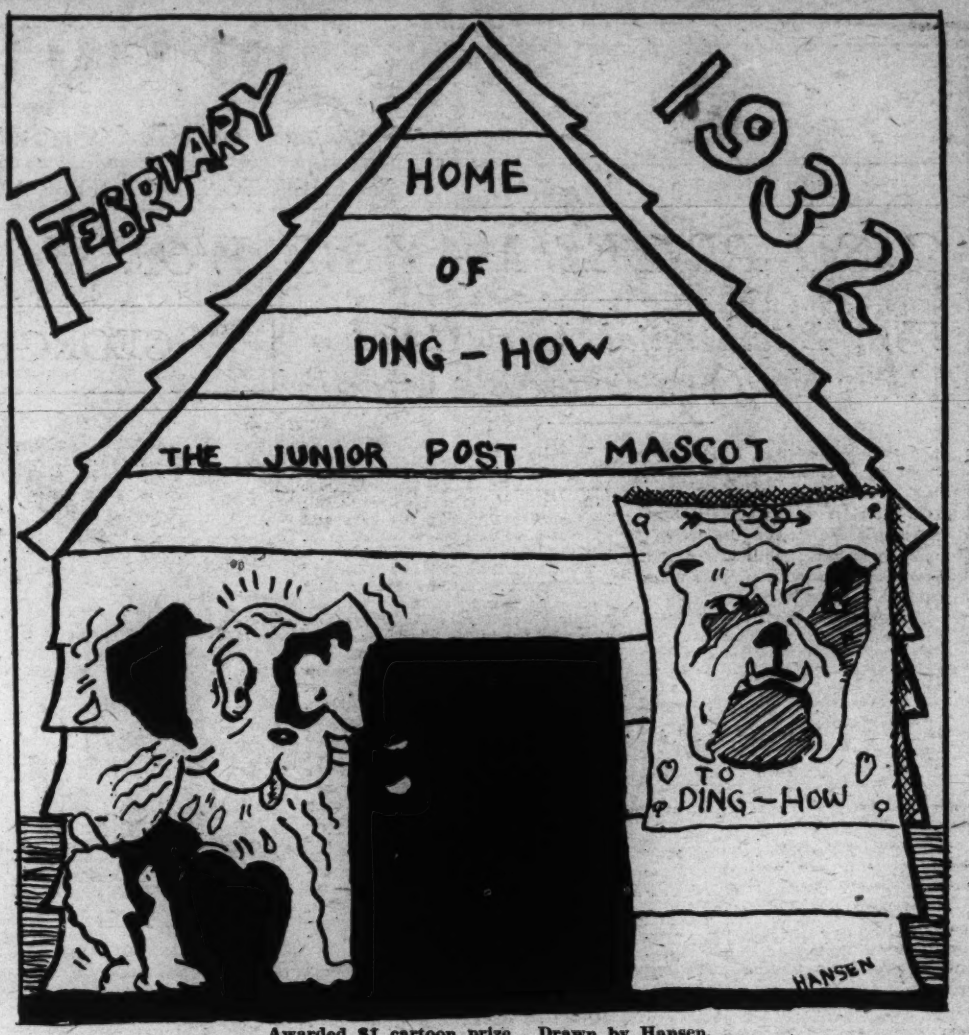
In 1789 he was elected President, and in 1792 was reelected for the office. During these years he gave the best that was in him in service to the people of the United States. His entire term lasted from 1789 to 1797.

"In 1796 Washington delivered his farewell address, and in 1799 the Nation was struck with his sudden illness which resulted from a horseback ride in the snow on December 12. Two days later he died, having contracted acute laryngitis. All the Nation grieved his death, for he was truly a wonderful man, and dearly loved."

Mildred was delighted. "Oh, mother, I'm just sure I can write all that so nice, and maybe I can win the prize. Anyway, I do thank you so much for helping me."

Mother smiled, accepted the thanks very gracefully, and shooed Mildred from the kitchen while she set the table for lunch.

EMILY FRANKLYN.
Monroe, Va.



Awarded $1 cartoon prize. Drawn by Hansen.

Washington.

W is for Washington, our President brave.
A is for all his country to save.
S is for sincerity, a virtue true.
H is for hate, a thing he never knew.
I is for the ideal he always will be.
N is for noble, as surely was he.
G is for his greatness, which never will die.
T is for truth, he held so high.
O is for his obedience, of which we have read.
N is for the nimbus that hangs over his head.

EDITH HESSLER (age 14).
218 S street northeast.

Good-by Winter.

Good-bye old winter,
Spring is near.
Good-bye winter, now be on your way
For spring is nearly here.

MARGARET WADLEY (age 7).
Silver Spring, Md.

WASHINGTON AS A SURVEYOR. Drawn by Helene McCarty.

Awarded $1 strip prize. Drawn by M. N. Spinks, Kensington, Md.

The Pets' Corner

Edited by Ding-How of Hydegree (Mascot of The Junior Post.)

Bow, wow, wow, wow, wow! Well, I helped celebrate George Washington's Birthday with a George Washington's Birthday cake and little chocolate hatchets and cherry ice cream with real cherries in it. I guess George Washington would be glad I had such a nice dinner on his birthday.

Mr. Man who makes up The Junior Post down in the composing room, where the great big presses go whirr whirr—ziz buzz, put all the prize winners of the George Washington essay and drawing contest for The Junior Post in my corner last Sunday. He is a wise man and wears eyeglasses just like I do because he knows that everybody reads the Pets' Corner and would see the winners there. I felt so proud of the Pets' Corner with all those prize winners in it last Sunday.

Bobby Doggie Moore has written me another letter and I think he is one of the best contributors we have to this Corner, outside of the editor. He says he wrote the letter by hand because Phyllis did not get out the typewriter. I think he will have to keep his typewriter where he can get at it all the time if he becomes one of the reporters on The Junior Post.

Of course, he does not wear eyeglasses and I do not know whether or not he can really write on the typewriter, but he can't be an editor, anyway.

Hop Toy Pekinese says he is going to another wedding. Well, who cares, we had chicken and ice cream at our house on Sunday and the bride in our office is going to make a cake soon. I think I will take my piece home. So, if it is too much like a bride's cake I can give it away.

Mrs. Black Cat says she is going to teach her children to do the new cat walk dance so that they can make a lot of money as teachers. Just now all Purr and Paw seem to think about is meow, meow, meow, and drinking milk and going for a walk along the wall. They do not seem to have as much intelligence as an editor.

Johnny Bulldog has been at Atlantic City and he says he just told Mr. and Mrs. Waves and all the little Waves if they did not stop roaring at him day and night he would show them. He thought the nice crests of white foam they wear on their heads were ice cream soda and took a drink but he says that the soda counter people down at Atlantic City always put too much salt in their ice cream soda.

Mr. Tweet is getting a lot of new clothes for Easter, bright yellow and a thrush brownish gold. Of course, Mr. Tweet Canary is very good looking when he dresses up, but he really never goes anywhere outside of his golden bungalow, although people do stop by as he sings his latest songs right out of the windows of his golden bungalow in the window.

I think I will keep to my most becoming color for my Easter clothes, a nice, warm biscuit color just the color of the nicest part of the biscuit when it comes out of the oven. Of course, I will carry my cane and wear my high silk hat and my eyeglasses on a nice black silk cord. I will leave my typewriter at home, for it is rather heavy to carry, but I guess I will have a nice white silk Easter necktie.

Dear Ding-How: I was very glad to see my story in The Junior Post and I was thrilled to see that I had won one of the pictures of Ding-How. Please write me and tell me how I can get the picture of Ding-How.

Dear Ding-How: Woof, woof. I can't shake paws with you. I don't know how yet. You haven't heard from me before, have you? I'm a little Scotch dog. Tam Glen is my name. Bobbie Burns wrote a poem about me a long time ago. I'm only 10 months old, but I've grown so much since I was a little girl-puppy only three months old. My mistress has been away all summer, and I spent my vacation at the Ruffcote Kennels with President Hoover's dogs and Mr. John Hays Hammond's Sealyhams. But you don't know what I look like. I'm all black, with a white patch on my chest. I have a very nice figure, so mistress tells me. My ears are very nice. My tail is lovely. I'm what is called a dark brindle, but I don't bother myself about technical terms, like that. My father was a champion and my grandfather was, too. Of course, I'm very proud of that, but not stuck-up. Come see me some day, Ding-How, and we'll have a game of ball. Sh-sh, maybe mistress will give us each a bone! Don't tell anyone. Good-by, or rather, woof-woof. You'll hear from me again. I've just the place for a picture of you. Ding-How. Do send me one.

Barkingly yours,
TAM GLEN.

Edited by Lucrece Godwin Bradford (age 17), 2308 Ashmead place.

George Washington.

When Washington was but a boy
He was his mother's pride and joy,
Although he could not tell a lie
He did things wrong like you and I.

His father had a cherry tree,
And of it very proud was he,
For he himself did plant it there
And tended it, so it would bear.

Now, George had been so very good,
Had helped bring water in and wood,
His father gave an ax to him
To satisfy his childish whim.

George chopped at everything he saw,
The fence post and the old barn door,
'Til nothing else to chop did see
Except his father's cherry tree.

He chopped at this with might and main,
He stopped to rest, then chopped again
Until it lay upon the ground,
Where it that night his father found.

His father very angry got and said:
"This vandal must be caught.
He shall suffer, you shall see,
For chopping down my cherry tree."

Then George said: "Father, it was I.
'Twould never do to tell a lie.
I'll tell the truth, here are the facts,
I did it with my little ax."

His father lost his anger then
And said: "I am most blest of men.
I'd rather lose my last fruit tree
Than have you tell a lie to me."

So George grew up and got to be
First President of his country.
And all because he told the truth
And was brought up right in his youth.

So, children, never tell a lie.
What you have done do not deny.
The best part of success is won
If you do like George Washington.

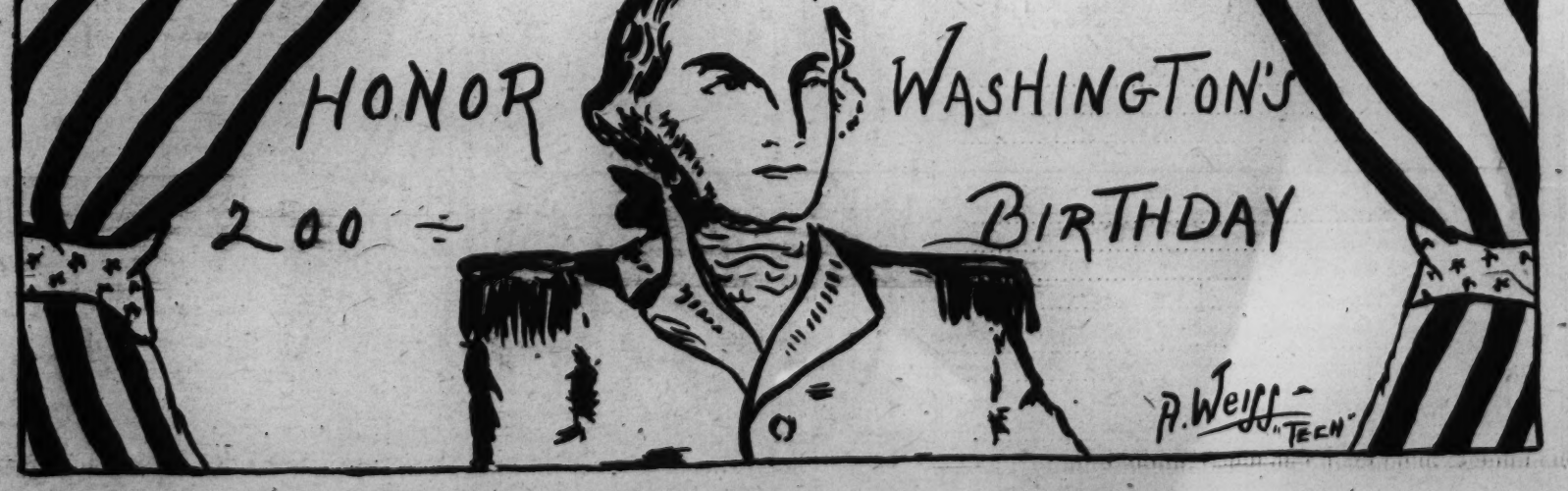
ANNE HANCOCK (age 10).

The Rainbow.

After the rain is over
I always go out to see
The beautiful rainbow in the sky
And wonder where the end might be.

The colors in the rainbow
Are beautiful to behold,
And at the rainbow's end
There's a pot of gold, I'm told.

ELOIS EARDLEY (age 12).
Cherrydale, Va.



Knight Can Form Own Circle With Five Members

THE JUNIOR POST AIRSHIP

"I had a time finding a place to park," said the pilot as he hurried up to the airship, where the editor was waiting to start on the weekly tour of inspection of the world. "There are so many strangers in Washington that, even at the air field, the parking places for machines are all taken. I guess we will have to use airplanes to get about the streets of Washington if so many people keep coming from out of town."

"We are so glad to have them, though," said the editor, "especially the boys and girls who have come to help us celebrate the Bicentennial of George Washington's birth from all over the country."

"I think it is nice to have so many visitors to see our beautiful city, too," said the pilot. "I told my sister's children that they are more or less hosts to these children from other cities and that we all must do our very best to make their visit in Washington as pleasant as can be."

"Lots more will come this spring, I am told," said the editor. "Most of the national conventions are to meet here this spring, and the parents will bring the children and besides lots of high schools and colleges are coming here as part of their graduating happenings."

"There are lots of tourists standing about the entrance to the White House waiting for a chance to see President and Mrs. Hoover come out," said the pilot as they flew over the White House. "There they come down in the big White House car. They seem to be very busy these days, with all those meetings of the National Education Association which Mrs. Hoover likes to attend and the celebrations in honor of the founders of the Republic the President attends with Mrs. Hoover."

On they flew over Philadelphia, where they saw many people going in to see the Liberty Bell and Independence Hall. Then they flew over Lakehurst, N. J., where they saw the giant airship of the United States Navy, the Akron, being repaired because of a rip in her side on account of the gale.

"Too bad that happened on George Washington's Birthday," said the pilot. "The Navy was taking a committee from the House of Representatives on a flight. But, of course, they will have it repaired in no time and the representatives can have their flight yet. The Navy officials are proud of that ship and boast of her airworthiness."

They went on to New York, where they saw many meetings being held in honor of the Bicentennial at the historic places which marked the early years of this Nation and the days when George Washington was the first President of the United States and the capital was in New York and President and Mrs. Washington lived there.

Over the ocean they flew and in London and in France the pilot and the editor were so delighted to discover many George Washington celebrations being conducted by Americans abroad and the officials of foreign nations eager to pay tribute to the great Washington of the United States of America.

In London they zoomed down to see Dr. Alexander Alekhine, famous chess player, engaging 25 players in a tournament at the Empire Chess Club.

"It takes real brains to play chess," said the pilot. "I always wanted to learn."

In Germany they saw many of the boys and girls and young men and women of the colleges taking physical exercises in the school grounds and on the college campuses, for the German government believes that it is necessary to cultivate health and a zest for the out of doors in their young people as much as it is for them to study. Of course, the German children are great students, as the pilot and the editor could see as they peeked into the windows of the class rooms and lecture halls as they floated above Germany.

Just to be sure that they had covered all the world events, the airship soared over Shanghai, where they saw the activities of the Chinese and Japanese troops. They circled over the foreign colony where many Americans live and noted with surprise that many Americans were simply going about their daily business and enjoying the comforts of their pretty homes without giving much anxious thought to the war going on without their doors.

"Some of the Americans have left," said the pilot, "but most who live in Shanghai because their business is there do not like to give up their homes unless they have to. I guess Old Uncle Sam will see that they are looked after any way."

"Of course he will," said the editor. "That is the reason we have those businesslike looking American ships in Shanghai waters."

Doing One's Best Is Incumbent on All True Knights

Attention to Every Detail Necessary; Examples of Shortcomings.

Can you write on your reminder card tonight, "I have done my best today?"

The Junior Post editor is asking that question of members of the Knighthood of Youth because she has been looking over some of the entries today for the paper, many of which she had to discard because they had not arrived in proper shape. I am sorry to say, too, that some of them were from members of the Knighthood of Youth.

That is very unfortunate, isn't it, because the code of the Knighthood of Youth calls for one's very best effort in everything.

How foolish it is not to take real care in the preparation of your stories, poems and drawings for The Junior Post. It is a waste of your time as well as that of the editor. Besides all this, you lose your chance to win through your carelessness.

Will you remember this when you watch in vain for your story, poem or drawing to appear in The Junior Post? Remember that the best must be chosen for that little paper. There is a strange thing about doing your best. Somehow or other, it brings about victory. Not all of the time, of course, because there may be a boy or girl who has tried even harder than you have and he or she will carry off the prize you want so much.

In doing your very best, start in your home first thing in the morning. Be neat, punctual and kind. When you arrive at school you will have a new chance to do your very best. Go to the classroom quietly and when it comes your turn to recite do it quietly and put into it your best effort. Keep your mind on what you are saying and do not let your thoughts wander about like boys searching for a lost ball.

If you keep up this effort all day you can put a "Yes" after that question at night. It will make you happy and you will feel that the day has meant a great deal to you.

Hero and Heroine Past and Present May Supply Name

Post Will Supply Buttons and Reminder Cards Free of Charge.

Do you want to form a club of your own?

Get five of your young friends to help you organize a circle of the Knighthood of Youth.

You can name this circle for any knight of history, any hero or heroine and present-day leader you wish.

The Junior Post will give you, free of charge, the page buttons and reminder cards with which to start your circle and a book telling all about it.

Isn't this a fine offer? Take advantage of it today. Send in the names of five friends, boys or girls, between the ages of 6 and 12 years and say simply, "I want to start a circle of the Knighthood of Youth. Please send me the material without any cost to me." In a few days you can have your circle started and what jolly times your club will bring to you.

All over the country boys and girls are forming Knighthood of Youth circles. They report great interest in good habit building in these circles. You will see the map on your reminder cards which shows the way to the Castle of Knighthood. The finest educators in the land have indorsed the Knighthood of Youth movement. President Hoover is the honorary president of the National Child Welfare Association which sponsors it. Come on in, boys and girls, the Knighthood of Youth is waiting for you!

THE STORY BOOK LADY

"Well, I guess we will see lots of nice books today and learn a lot as we always do when we go on a pilgrimage to Story Book Land with the Story Book Lady," said Tom as he skated along with Jack and Ned to the meeting place of the Knighthood of Youth and The Junior Post Writers' Club for the weekly pilgrimage to Story Book Land.

"I think it is so nice the boys and girls like to come on these pilgrimages," said the Story Book Lady as she greeted her youthful companions. "I feel that we all learn to know good books and which new ones to add to our shelves. I think it encourages us to read and that means we will build up a habit which will make us happier all our lives."

"That is what I tell my grandsons, Blick, Flick and Little Mick," said Mr. Gnome as he flung wide open the gate of the Fairy Tale bridge that leads to Story Book Land. He took off his hat and made a deep bow and his grandsons did the same.

"The Queen has been making a list of the books for us to read in Story Book Land," said the Story Book Fairy as she arrived out of the Fairy Story Forest, and Merry and Jolly, all flying along in airplanes made of books with gilt pages.

"I wish I had a nice story book airplane to get around in," said Little Lillian.

"Well, come to Fairy Story Book Land and the Queen will let you ride in one," said the Story Book Fairy.

"Oh, I will," said Lillian.

"I feel so patriotic," said Anne, "after all the nice pageants and plays and parades and speeches of George Washington's birthday. "I guess girls did not have much chance to be patriots, though, in colonial days."

"Where did you get that idea?" said a little girl in colonial dress, standing at the head of a book street. "Come right in and see for yourself. I had my chance and I hope all the boys and girls of today will read about it."

"Oh, do tell us about it, dear Story Book Lady," said Anne, as they all eagerly hurried up to the street.

"Well, let me see," said the Story Book Lady, putting on her magic glasses, "This is Katherine Gordon and she is in such a nice book? 'Katherine Gordon, Patriot,' by Gertrude Crownfield (E. P. Dutton & Co., New York). And all the nice pictures have been drawn by Ruchard H. Rodgers. Katherine lived in colonial days, and an exciting time she had, too. You older girls especially will like this book."

"Who are those quaint children?" asked the Story Book Lady as she looked down a book street and saw a boy in colonial costume holding a smaller sister by the hand.

"Don't you know?" asked Jack, in return. "That is George Washington, of course, and his sister, Betty, right out of the pages of 'A Child's Life of George Washington,' by Louise Embrey (E. P. Dutton & Co., New York). It is the Bicentennial, you know, and many fathers and mothers will rejoice when they hear about this book because it will tell their children about George Washington in a most pleasing and truthful way."

"There they go!" exclaimed another of the children, "they do not seem to want to play with us."

"I guess they are rather shy," said the Story Book Lady. "You see, they had been taught that they must not speak until they were spoken to——"

"Ha, ha, ha," said Jack. "I wish some one would tell that to my brother Bill. He never gives any one a chance to talk."

The Story Book Lady shook her head rather sadly. She knew how true that was and she regretted the colonial days when children waited until they were addressed in front of their elders and parents before they engaged them in conversation.

"Anyway, it's a fine book, I can see that," Jack explained, a little bit sorry that he had spoken of his brother in that way. "I am going to ask Daddy to give it to us for Easter. The Bicentennial lasts until Thanksgiving, you know. So it will be just as good at Easter time as it would have been at Christmas if it had been published at that time."

Mink, Fisherman.

They don't use fishing poles or tackle, but they're the most expert fishermen in the world. Fishing is not sport with them, either. They fish to live, and they catch only as much fish as they need at the time.

These famous fishermen are Mr. and Mrs. Mink. Mr. Mink is a little brown fellow found in Manitoba, the north woods and Yellowstone Park. He is only about two feet long and his wife is still smaller. You've probably heard of them after they became coats, but that isn't all they're famous for. They're such skillful fishers that you should watch them if ever you are where you have a chance to hunt them out and see them at work.

The mink has a white chin, a long, bushy tail and short legs, and belongs to the weasel family. When he fishes he usually settles himself on a convenient rock in midstream and there awaits the coming of a fat trout or a nice plump salmon that's just right for eating.

Suddenly he will dive, so fast your eye can scarcely see him. When he comes up he always has a good-sized fish in his mouth. Sometimes his catch is half his own length and you wonder how he can handle it at all. When the fisherman gets back on his rock he lays it down and quickly stops its struggles by a sharp bite at the back of its head.

A Night on the Farm.

Every summer we visit our cousins on a farm for several weeks. Last year we had the time of our lives. The farm is very big and has everything to amuse the youngsters. My cousin, my sister and myself sleep in a large room upstairs. A window was at both sides and one at the foot of the bed.

That night we stayed awake, eating peanuts and candy that we had brought from town. When we were lying there in the dark we heard something and, calling mother, we were alarmed to find only a large black bug crawling on the floor. When we looked around, there were several more in all sizes.

We had a wash bowl and a pitcher, which are kept in every room. Somehow or other we got them under the pitcher so that they would smother to death. We were so frightened after that, we did not feel like eating our peanuts and candy any longer, so we hid them until morning.

That and many other adventures we witnessed on our visit to the country. We also got poison ivy down at the swimming hole, but our visit was a very joyful one.

You would say so, too, if you had a big, fat chicken in front of you for almost every meal.

SHIRLEY KEELE (age 11).
2111 Fourth street northeast.

My First Day at School.

On the first day of school I got up at about 7:30 and had breakfast. Then I went out in the front yard to wait for the bus. I waited and waited, but the bus did not come, and so my mother took me. When I first got there, every one in the schoolroom stared at me, and I was very bashful. Soon I saw two of my friends who were going to the same school with me.

I couldn't pronounce my teacher's name, but anyway she was very nice. The first lesson we had was arithmetic, and that was very easy, as we had had that kind in the fifth grade.

We also had English, which was easy, too. Then we had an eye test, and Henrietta, one of my friends, couldn't see the letters very good. We had an ear test, and at 1:30 we went home. So that ended my first day at school.

JULIE JONES (age 11).
Fort Custis, Va.

The Seasons.

Spring comes in with a basket
Of fruits and beautiful flowers,
Bringing a warm wind and sunshine
And many enjoyable hours.

Summer comes next and brings with her
Warmth and beauty and joy;
Vacations, with swimming and rowing,
Fun for man, woman, girl or boy.

Autumn makes its way here next,
Bringing brilliantly colored leaves,
Hikes to the colorful woodlands.
What spells Mother Nature weaves!

Grim old winter with long, white beard
Comes with his skating and skiing;
And Christmas, with its bubbling joys,
Makes glad the saddest being.

These are the four seasons of the year;
Each one we always enjoy;
Though when they're here we want the next,
As a small tot wants a new toy.

RENA GUREWITZ (age 14).

Recruiters' Blank

For Membership in the Knighthood of Youth.

Knighthood of Youth Editor, The Washington Post, Washington, D. C.:

Please enroll my friend.....
in the Knighthood of Youth. Inclosed find 5 cents for Page button and reminder card for my recruit:

Name .....

Address .....

Rank in Knighthood.....

To Be Filled Out by Applicant.

I pledge myself to be strictly honest in filling out my reminder card.

Name .....

Parents' Names .....

Age.....Date of birth.....

Address .....
Street. City. County. State

Grade in school.....Name of school.....

Date of filing application.....

I do (or do not) read The Junior Post each Sunday.

I earned the money for my membership by

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(Explain in detail just what work you did.)

Block print of Washington. Drawn by Pat Davis.

ROTOGRAVURE SECTION

The Washington Post.

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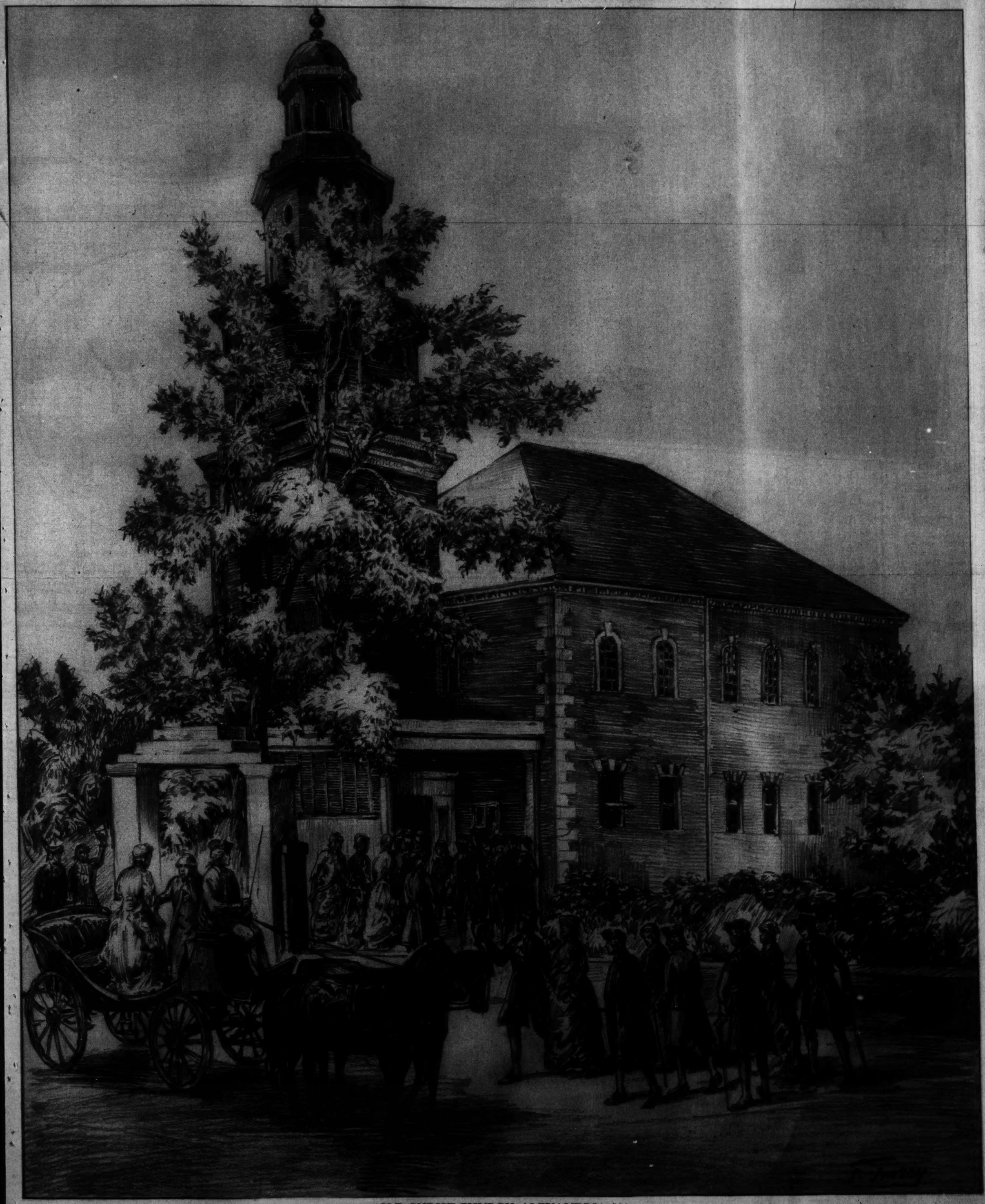
February 28, 1932

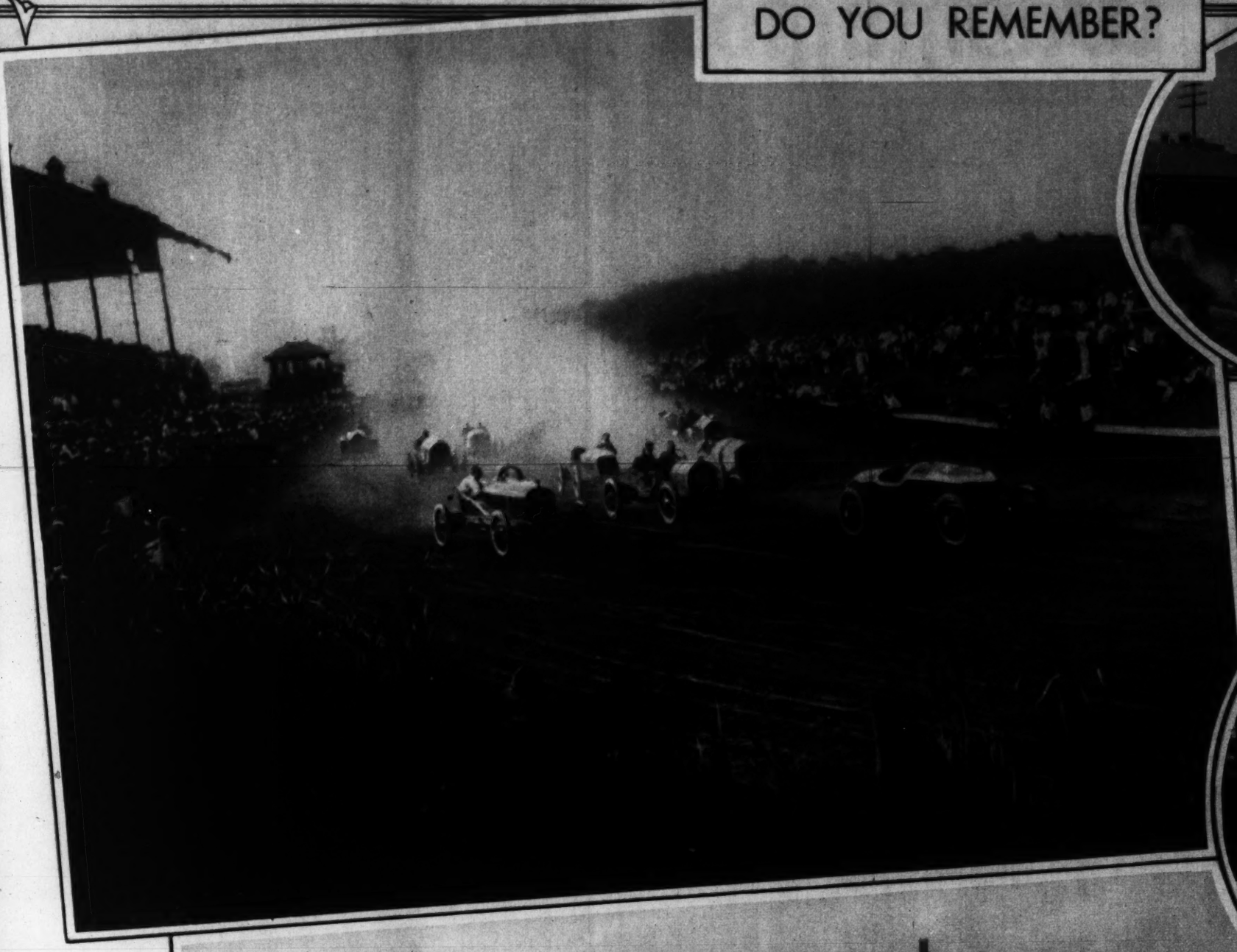


OLD CHRIST CHURCH, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

This celebrated place of worship, in which George Washington's pew is still preserved, was closely linked with the life of the First President, whose Bicentennial is now being observed.

Drawn exclusively for The Post by F. Imrey.

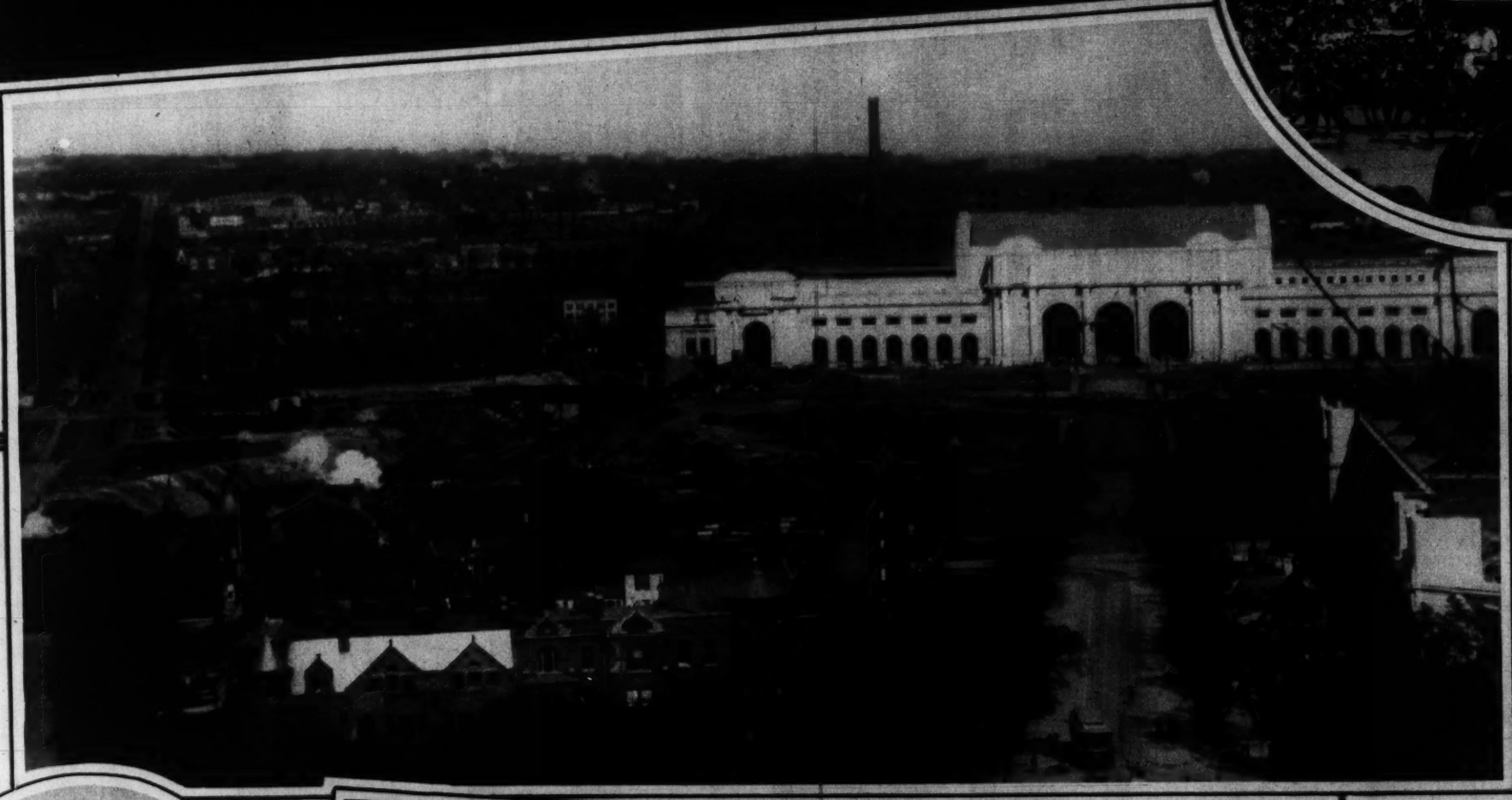
DO YOU REMEMBER?



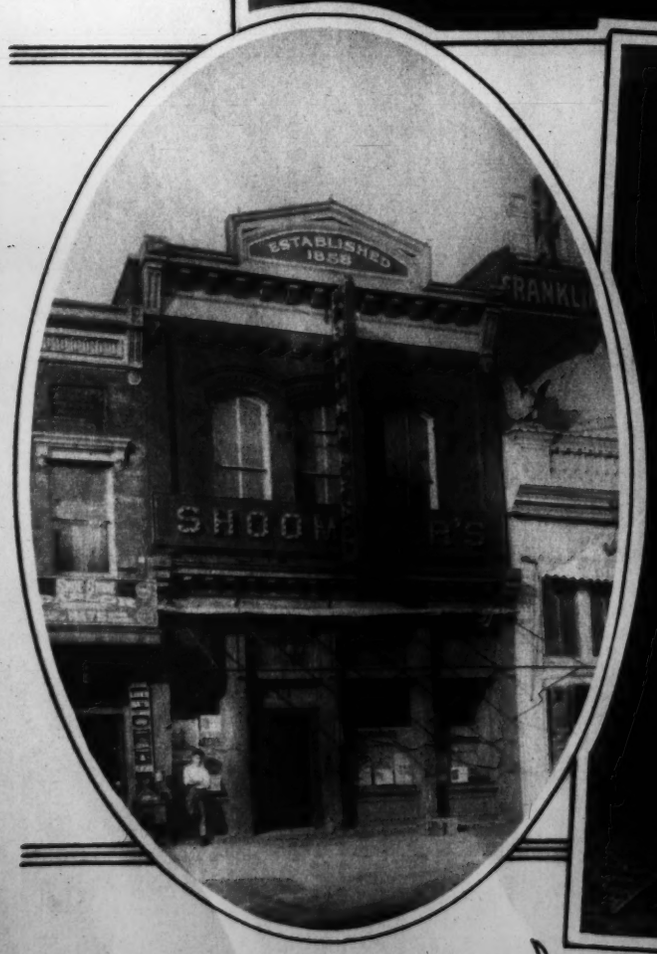
DO YOU REMEMBER, back in bygone years, when auto races used to be held on the old Benning track with such famous drivers as Barney Oldfield and Eddie Bald at the wheels?

BACK IN 1889 WHEN FLOODS DID GREAT DAMAGE, do you recall having seen the Potomac up in the Pennsylvania Railroad train shed like this?

HOW MANY CAN RECALL M'KINLEY'S INAUGURATION? This is the way the Avenue looked back in those gay 90's—and the President did not ride in a motor car!



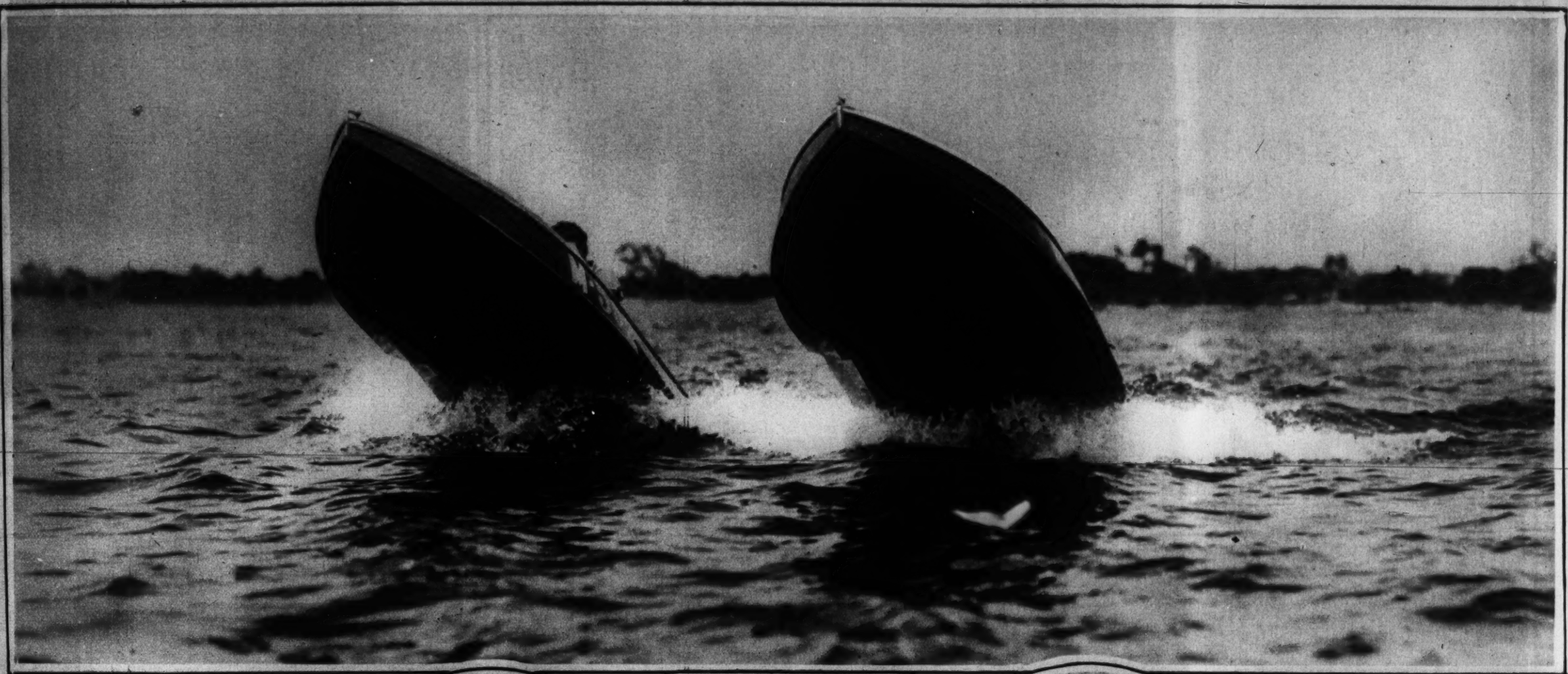
WHAT IS WRONG WITH THIS PICTURE? Even those who recall it now probably did not remember how the Union Station looked before the City Postoffice was erected on the adjoining corner.



THE GOOD OLD DAYS! Who can ever forget the cobwebs, the coon cheese, the crackers and pretzels and the famous er, ah, bar was it called? of this famous establishment?

AND DO YOU REMEMBER THESE DISTINGUISHED GENTLEMEN? Very well, then, name the members of the Cleveland Cabinet here pictured. The former President, of course, is seated second from the left.

WHEN LINCOLN GAZED FROM HIS HIGH SHAFT across the rooftops toward the Capitol from in front of the Courthouse.



THIS IS WHAT IS KNOWN AS "BOTTOMS UP!" Hub Myers and Malcolm Pope, famous outboard drivers, tune up their 55-miles-per-hour racing boats preparatory to the speed events at Miami Beach. A. P.

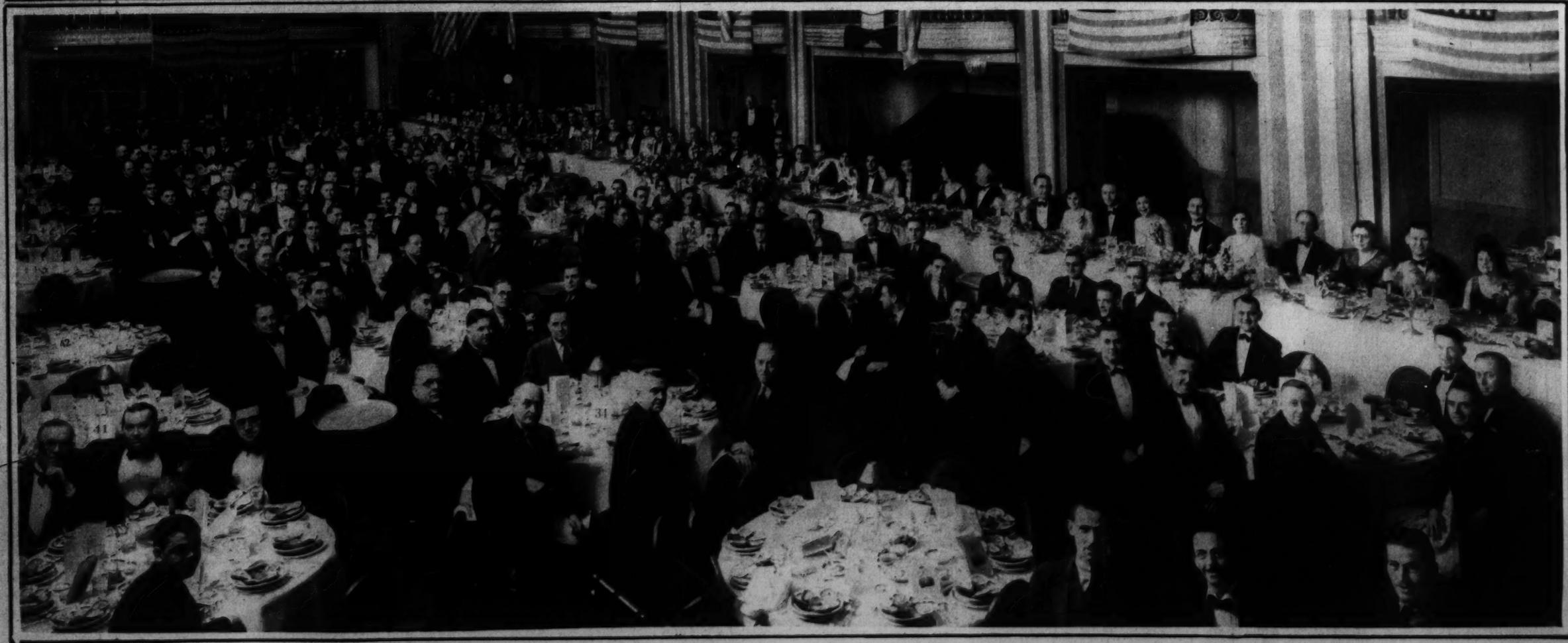
CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY. Frederick Delius, great British composer, observes his 70th anniversary, blind and paralyzed, with Mrs. Delius. A. P.

CUT YOURSELF A PIECE OF CAKE! Little Louis Johrden, jr., has himself a time on his second birthday. Louis Johrden, Post Staff.

FLAMES RANG DOWN THE CURTAIN. Scene backstage at the Palace Theater in New York after a blaze had destroyed the proscenium draperies. A. P.

TINY JACKETS IN VOGUE. This is a short, loose, red velvet detachable jacket created by Bonwit Teller, New York. Pagano Photo.

HIZZONER GOES PRANKISH! Just a jolly little game of "find the mayor" as James J. Walker enjoys the Winter Olympics at Lake Placid, N. Y. A. P.



FIRST ANNUAL GET-TOGETHER BANQUET OF DONOHOE-CHEVROLET, INC., RECENTLY HELD AT THE HOTEL MAYFLOWER. Schutz Photo.

UNIQUE METHOD OF BRIDGE LIGHTING IN AUSTRALIA. The new Sydney harbor bridge as it will appear when opened in March. It will be noted that there is no overhead lighting such as is usually employed on such structures in this country.

A. P.

ACQUIRING A SUNBACK while awaiting the Nation's comeback. Tamara, the Russian singer, is wintering at Miami Beach, Fla.

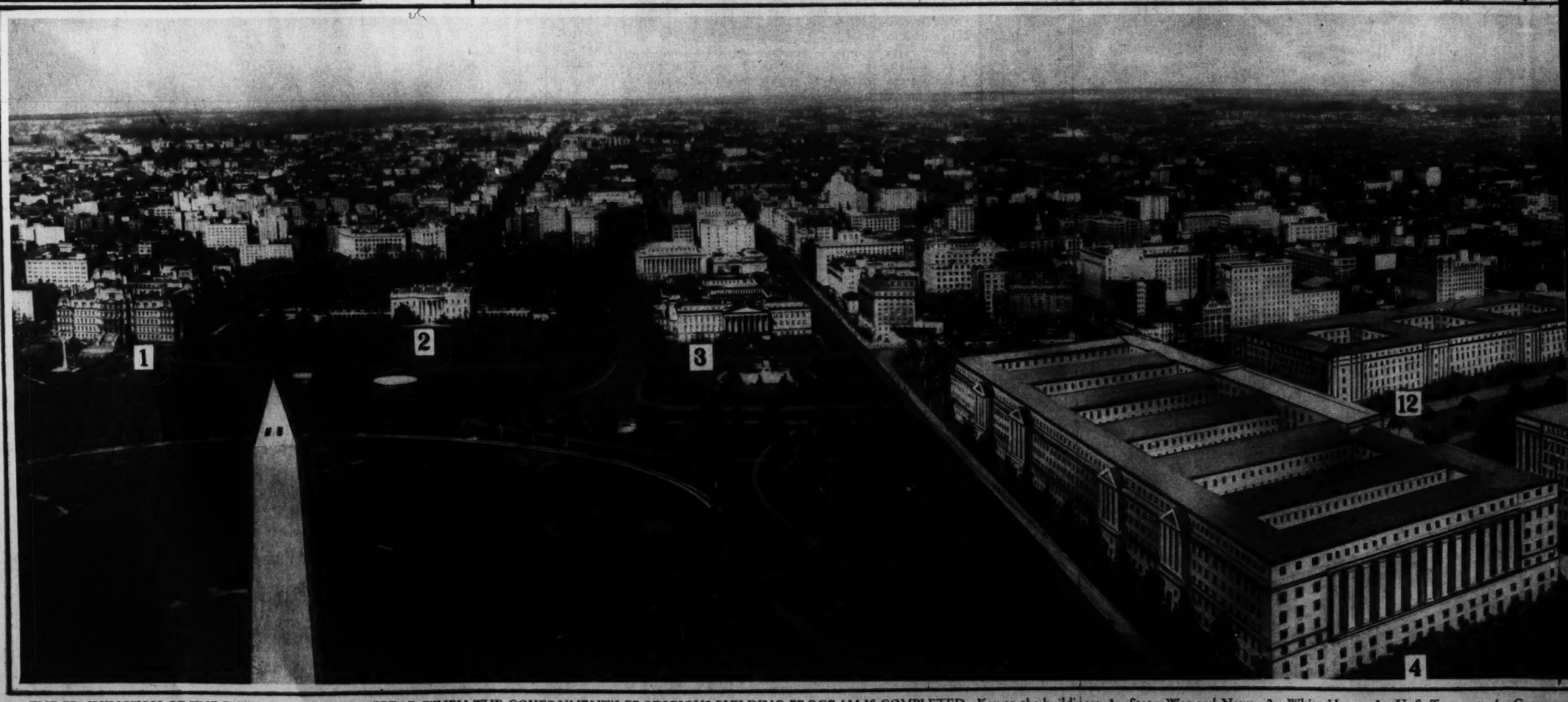
Miami Beach News Service.

THE LAST OF A FAMOUS FUN FACTORY. A general view of the spectacular fire that destroyed the Steeplechase Pier at Atlantic City, N. J., the night of February 14.

A. P.

A BURIAL UNIT OF A CHINESE RED CROSS DETACHMENT WHOM IT WOULD BE HARD TO CONVINCE THERE IS NO WAR. Various groups of this character have rendered unremitting service since hostilities have been under way around Shanghai and on the Chapei-Woosung front.

A. P.



THE WASHINGTON OF THE FUTURE AS IT WILL APPEAR WHEN THE GOVERNMENT'S PRODIGIOUS BUILDING PROGRAM IS COMPLETED. Key to the buildings: 1—State, War and Navy. 2—White House. 3—U. S. Treasury. 4—Commerce
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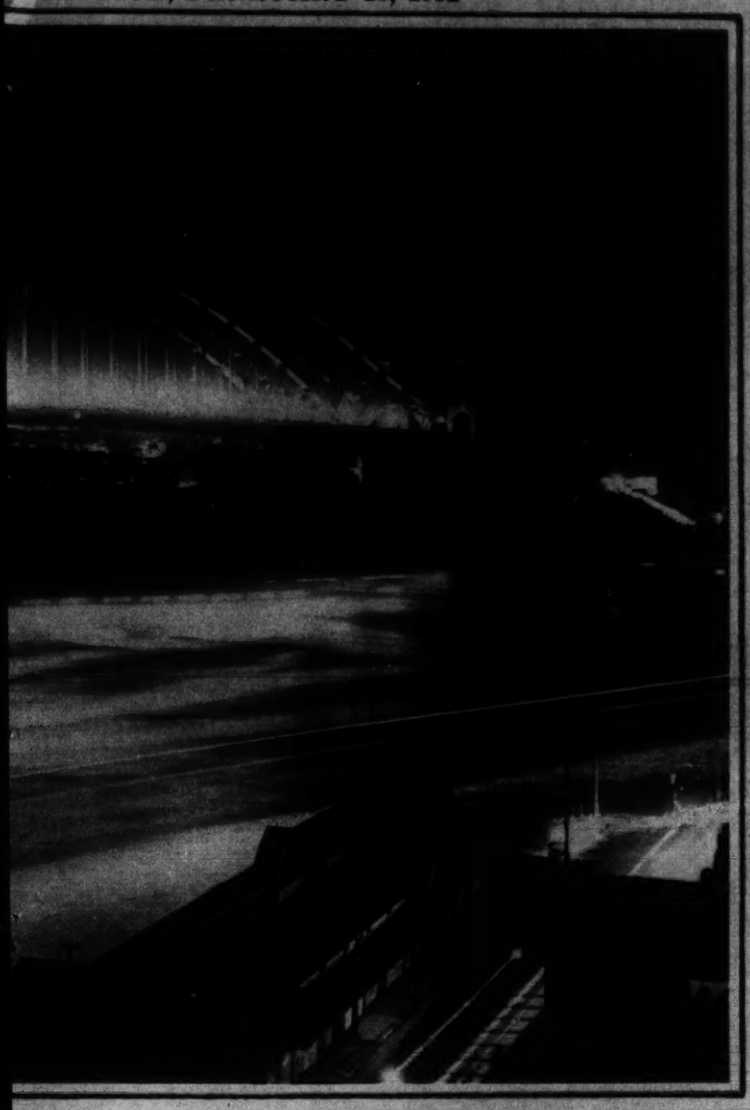

LEAGUE COMMISSION SAILS FOR FAR EAST. Left to right—Count Marescotti, Italy; Gen. Henri Claudel, France; Lord Lytton, Great Britain, head of the group; Dr. Schnee, Germany, and Gen. Frank McCoy, of Washington, D. C. A. P.

LE ORCHESTRA LEADER WAGES SOMETHING NEW IN THE WAY OF POLITICAL CAMPAIGNS. Vic Meyers, an orchestra conducgineering a fast campaign for mayor and includes some extraordinary planks in his platform, some of which are attracting considerable attention. The implication of this photograph is, at leatt, heartening. A. P.

KING AND QUEEN OF CARNIVAL. Jack Shea, skating speed champion, and Miss Lucille Hickey, of Port Henry, N. Y., reigned over the Olympic Winter Carnival at Lake Placid, N. Y. A. P.

partment. 5—Labor, Interstate Commerce and Government Auditor. 6—Internal Revenue. 7—Justice. 8—Archives. 9—Coast Guard. 10—Not assigned. 11—Postoffice. 12—Not assigned. 13—National Art Gallery. 14—National Museum. 15—20—Library of Congress. 21—House Office Building. 22, 23 and 24—Future Museum Buildings. 25—The Mall.

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"ALWAYS LEAVE 'EM LAUGHING—"

FAIR ANITA PAGE HAS GONE EXOTIC! Perhaps that is why she is smiling so knowingly—that and the fact that she is in demand.
M-G-M Photo.

FROM BABY STAR TO MATURITY. A new and interesting portrait study of Madge Evans, whose popularity is rapidly enhancing. No wonder she's happy!
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WHY SHOULDN'T HE LAUGH? Joe E. Brown certainly has equipment enough to do it with!
Warner Bros. Photo.

A NEW FEATURED PLAYER. Mary Carlyle, judging from the goggles, is destined to reach high places and she does not seem in the least distressed about it.
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WELL, ANYHOW, SHE IS AT A MOTION PICTURE THEATER! Maxine Doyle, mistress of ceremonies at the Earle, missed a movie career by an eyelash and went on the stage instead.
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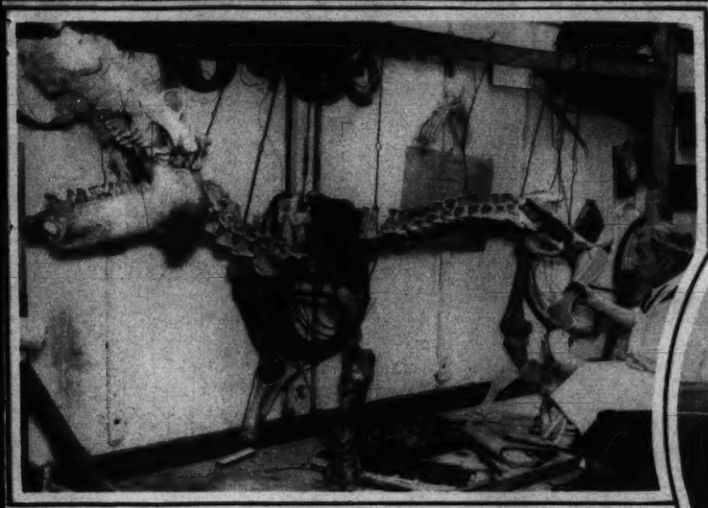
ENGLISH SPORT IN FRANCE. Led by Frederick H. Prince, of Boston, a group of sportsmen assembled at Andouins for the start of a fox hunt.
A. P.



TO BE MOUNTED FOR MUSEUM. These few bones are all that remains of the 6,000-pound bulk of Mombassa, for many years the pride and joy of the hippopotamus cage at the Washington zoo.
Underwood.

HOOVER WREATH AT LINCOLN TOMB. Lincoln's birthday was climaxed in Springfield, Ill., by the placing of a White House wreath. Govs. Pinchot and Emmerson, were present.
A. P.

FLIES TO NEW RECORD. Ruth Nichols, society aviatrix, who flew to a new unofficial high altitude of 21,300 feet at Floyd Bennett Field, N. Y., on February 14.
A. P.

HONOR THE FATHER OF HIS COUNTRY. Members of the Army Air Corps landed this blimp near the Washington Monument to place flowers at its base on February 22.
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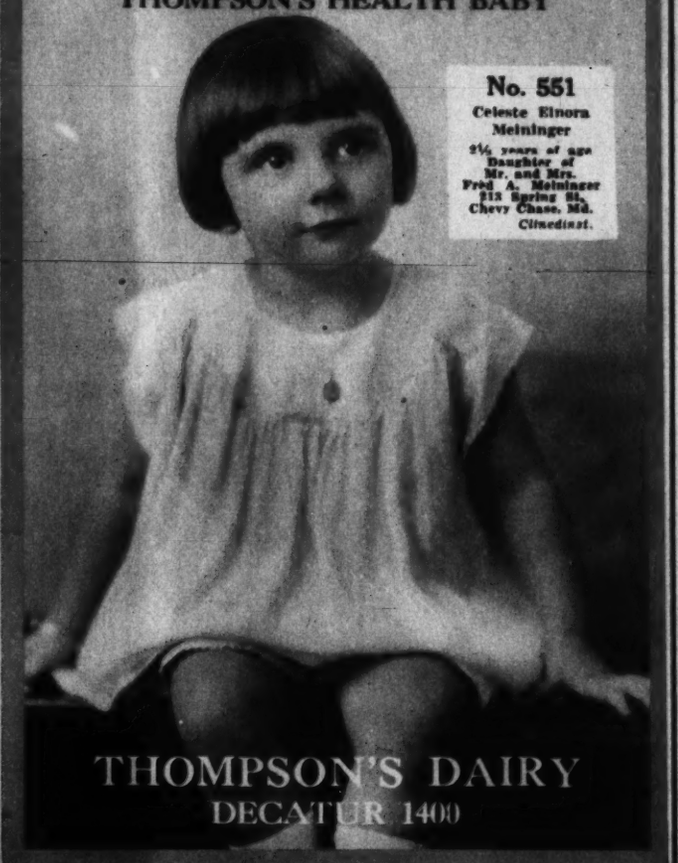
THOMPSON'S HEALTH BABY



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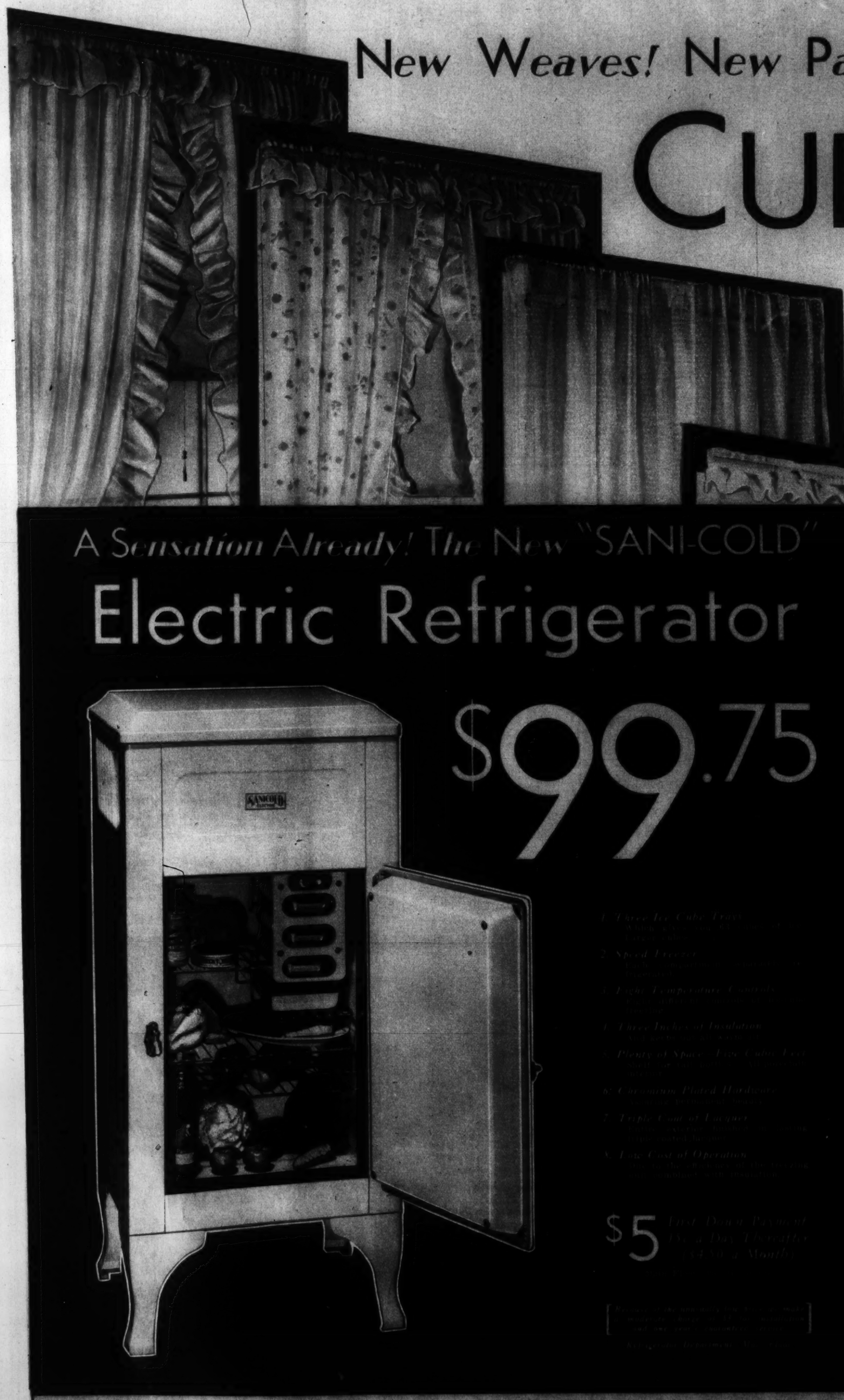

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Buck Rogers 25th CENTURY A.D.

IT WAS IN 2432 A.D. THAT I - **BUDDY DEERING**, OF EARTH - BEGAN MY **INTERPLANETARY ADVENTURES** WITH A TRIP TO **MARS**, WHERE I FOUND A KINDRED SPIRIT IN **ALURA**, A PRINCESS OF THE RED PLANET - TOGETHER WE EXPLORED THE UNIVERSE AND HAD MANY AMAZING ADVENTURES - AT LENGTH WE BECAME SUPREME MONARCHS OF THE PLANET VENUS, WHERE MEN RODE THE AIR ON GIANT EAGLES AND FLYING DRAGONS — **ONCE**, WHEN A RAIDING EXPEDITION OF **MERCURIANS** HAD DEVASTED OUR CAPITAL ON **VENUS**, WE RETALIATED WITH AN INVASION OF MERCURY, THAT STRANGE PLANET THAT KEEPS ONE FACE EVER TURNED TO THE SUN, AND HAS TWO HEMISPHERES, ONE OF BLAZING HEAT AND THE OTHER OF BITTER COLD, WITH ONLY A PERPETUAL TWILIGHT ZONE BETWEEN IN WHICH VEGETATION GROWS — LEAVING OUR FORTIFIED BASE, ALURA AND I WENT SCOUTING ALONE, BUT WERE TRAILED BY MERCURIANS

Buddy Deering

KNOCKED OUT BY SUN

SUDDENLY WE FOUND OURSELVES SURROUNDED, BUT, OUR CAPTORS WERE NO LESS AMAZED BY **OUR** APPEARANCE THAN WE WERE BY **THEIRS**.

THESE AREN'T THE SAME **KIND** OF MERCURIANS WHO INVADED VENUS - AND THEY DON'T LOOK ACCUSTOMED TO THIS **TERRIBLE HEAT** EITHER.

MAYBE THEY'RE **HOSTILE** - AND MAYBE **NOT** - BUT, SH!- THEY DON'T UNDERSTAND OUR **FLYING BELTS** - LET'S **HOP!**

OH BUDDY! **LOOK!** THERE'S A **BATTLE ON!**

THROUGH OUR **TELEBINOCULARS** WE SAW —

IT WAS CLEAR THAT THE FORT OF THE **BLUE** MERCURIANS WAS GETTING THE WORST OF IT.

WE TOOK THEM COMPLETELY BY SURPRISE - ROCKETING STRAIGHT UP.

THAT'S THE TIME WE CAUGHT THEM **FLAT-FOOTED!**

SO WE WENT INTO ACTION WITH OUR **ROCKET PISTOLS** - AND **SUPER-EXPLOSIVE SHELLS!**

HOORAY, THEN!- WE'LL **SLAP 'EM DOWN!**

THESE **BLUE BABIES** IN THE FORT **MAY** BE FRIENDLY - BUT WE **KNOW** THE **OTHERS ARENT.**

THE ENEMY COULD NOT FACE THE **ATOMIC DETONATIONS** OF OUR BULLETS - **HELICOPTERS FLED!**

WOW! COME **BACK** YOU COWARDS AND **FIGHT!!**

COME **ON** BUDDY! **AFTER THEM!**

BUT THE **TERRIFIC - BLAZING -** HEAT OF THE HUGE MERCURIAN SUN WAS **TOO MUCH FOR US!**

T-TURN! **G-QUICK!** HEAD BACK FOR THE **TWILIGHT!** WE'RE G-GOING TO **P-PASS OUT -**

TH-THIS **HEAT!** OH!-OH!

WE BARELY MADE THE TURN - THEN WE **DID** PASS OUT!

THE **BLUE** MEN SAVED US FROM GROUNDING ON OUR **FACES!!**

THEY COULDN'T STAND THE SUN **EITHER!** — I WONDER **WHO** THEY ARE? **WHERE** THEY CAME FROM? - GET THEM INTO THE PIPE-LINE CAR **AT ONCE!**

THEY RUSHED US TOWARD A **STRANGE VEHICLE!**

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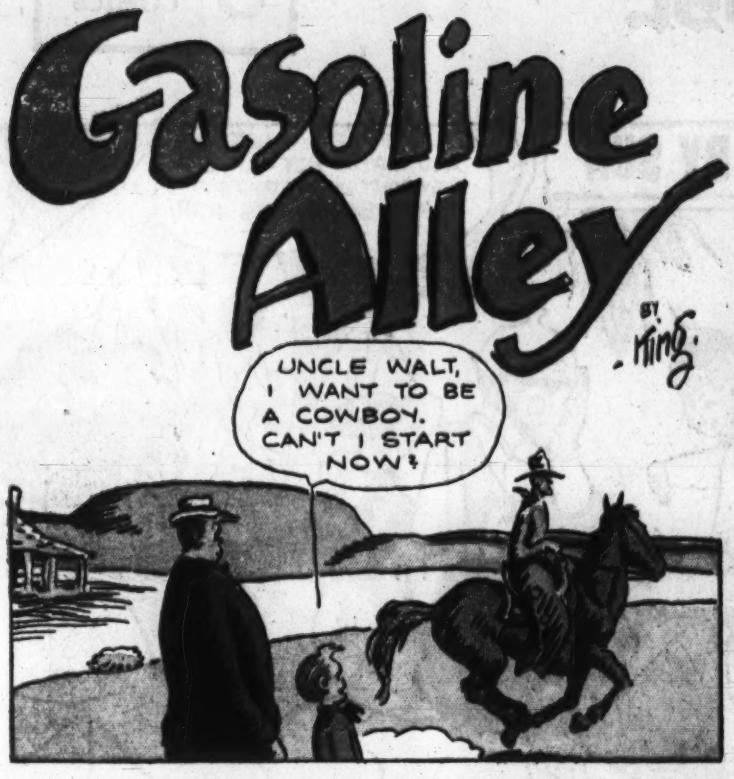

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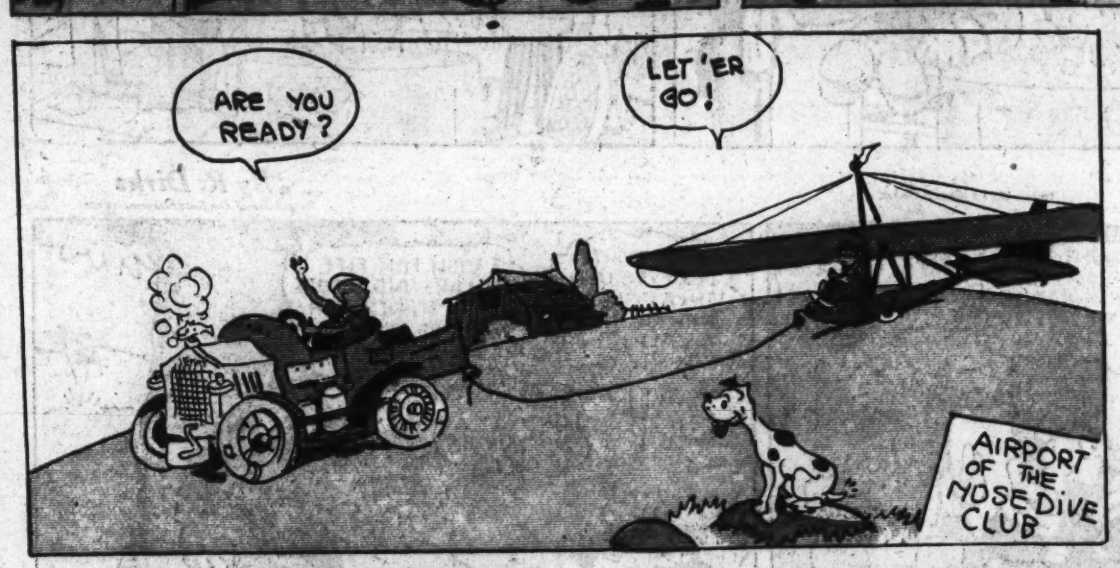

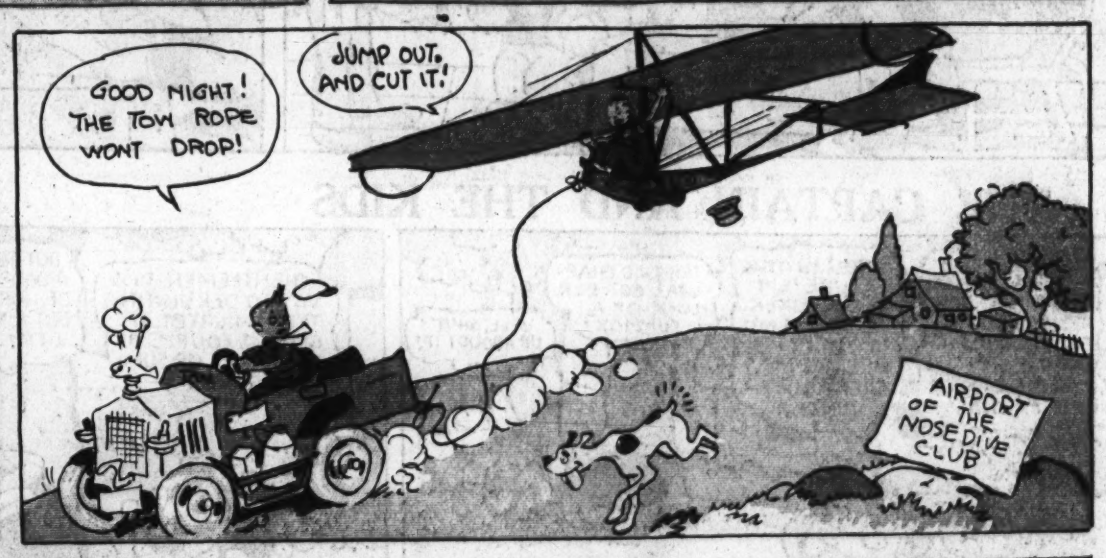

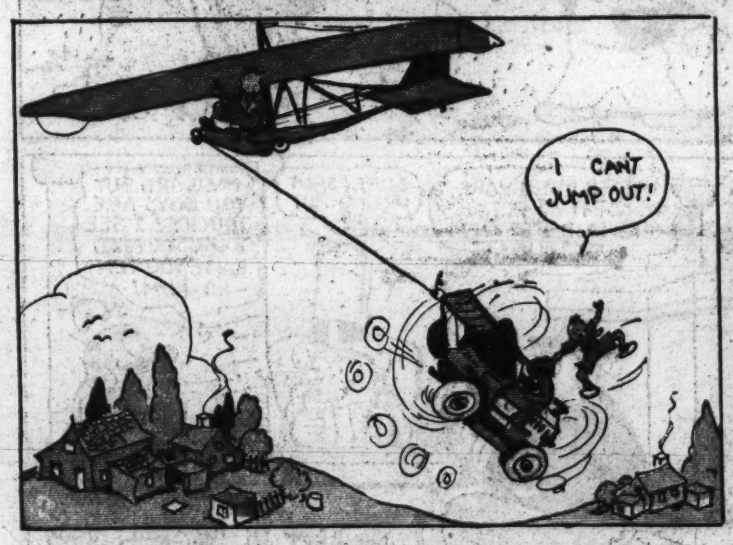

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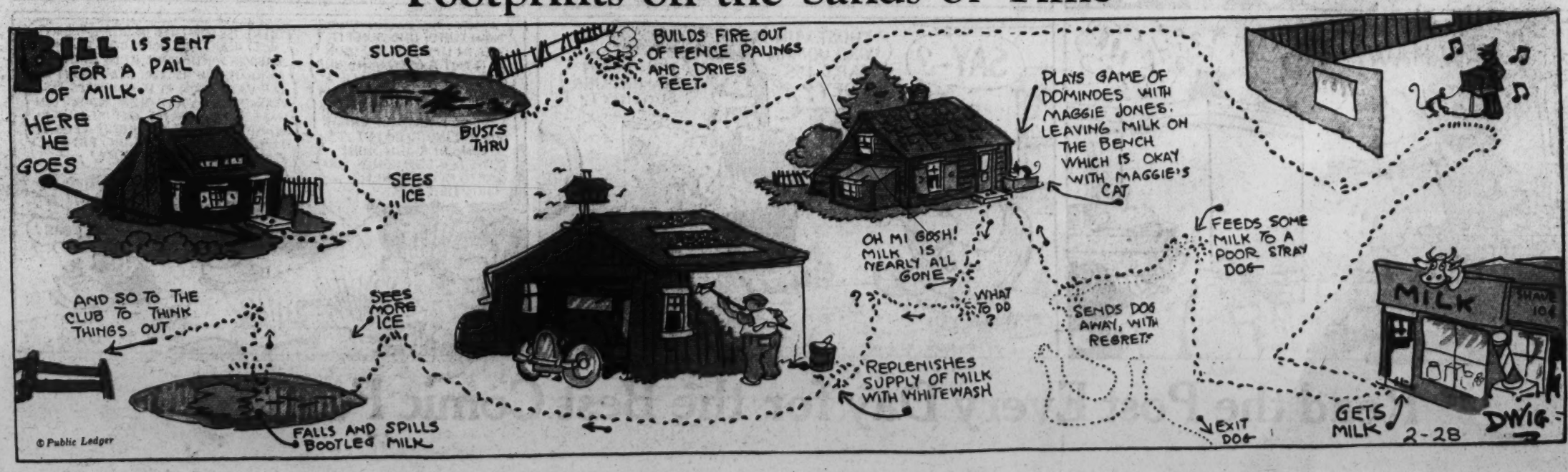

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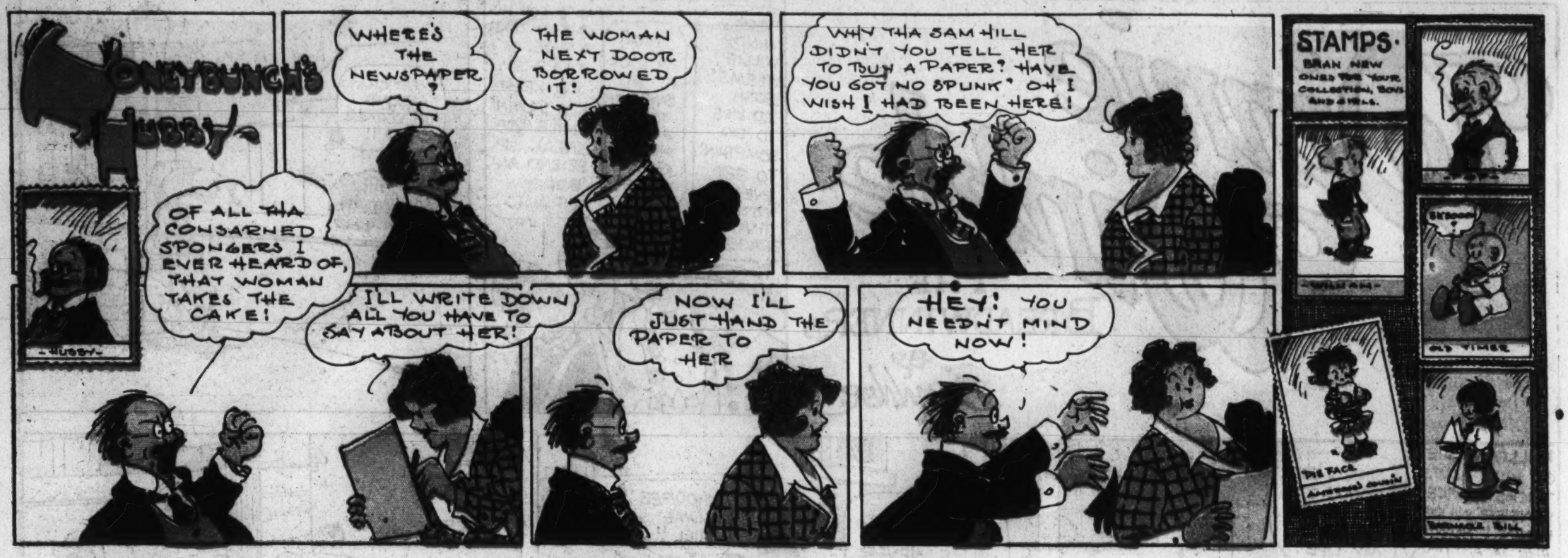

S'MATTER POP?

Ambrose Can't Keep Off That "Spot"

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Winnie Winkle

THE BREADWINNER

BY BRANNER

THERE'S WINDY WILLIE WEEMS! GOSH, I'D LIKE TO DO SOMETHIN' TO GET EVEN WITH THAT BRAGGER!

YEAH, AN' LOOK AT TH' SWELL TOY AUTO HE'S GOT THERE!

LET'S COP HIS CAR AN' TAKE A RIDE IN IT! PERRY, YOU KEEP HIM TALKIN' WHILE WE SNEAK UP BEHIND AN' BORROW HIS AUTO!

MEET'CHA AROUND TH' CORNER KID!!

HULLO, WILLIE OL' KID! HOW'S TRICKS? NICE WEATHER WE'RE HAVIN'! HOW ARE YA, ANYWAY? YE'RE LOOKIN' GOOD!!

SURE I LOOK GOOD! I NEVER FELT BETTER IN MY LIFE!

OH BOY! IT WAS A CINCH!! WILLIE NEVER EVEN ONCE GOT WISE!!

WHOOPEE!! SOME HILL!!

CRASH!

NOW WE'RE IN A FINE PICKLE!! WHAT ARE WE GONNA DO WITH THAT WRECK??

WE GOTTA GET IT FIXED, 'CAUSE TH' KIND OF A GUY WILLIE IS — HE'LL HAVE US ALL PINCHED FOR SWIPIN' HIS CAR!

LET'S SEE WHAT IT'LL COST TO GET IT FIXED!

H'M'M!! SOME WRECK!! GUESS I CAN FIX IT, BUT IT'LL COST YOU FIVE DOLLARS!!!

WHEW! FIVE BUCKS!! WHERE ARE WE GONNA GET THAT FROM??

WELL, WE'LL ALL HAFTA GET BUSY AN' DIG IT UP SOME PLACE!!!

WITH WHAT I HAVE IN MY BANK, ALL I GOT IS 65 CENTS!

I GOT 92 CENTS ALTOGETHER!

AN' ALL I OWN IN TH' WORLD IS $1.73

WELL, MY FOLKS WILL HAVE TO GIVE ME TH' DIFFERENCE! THEY WON'T WANT TO SEE ME GO TO JAIL!!

BICYCLE REPAIR

DARN THAT BIG BLOWER, WINDY WILLIE, ANYHOW!

YEAH, HE ALWAYS GETS TH' BREAKS!

WELL, WE HAD A TOUGH TIME RAISIN' TH' MONEY, BUT HERE'S YOUR $5. MISTER!!

AND I HAD A TOUGH TIME FIXING THIS CAR, BUT HERE IT IS — GOOD AS NEW!

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WE ONLY BORROWED YER CAR FOR FUN, WILLIE!

YEAH, WE ONLY WANTED A RIDE IN YOUR AUTO!

—AND WE HAD A ACCIDENT, BUT WE ALL CHIPPED IN AN' PAID TH' $5. TO HAVE IT FIXED!! SO HERE'S YOUR CAR, GOOD AS NEW, WILLIE!

?

MY CAR?? WHY THAT CAR DOESN'T BELONG TO ME!!

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LOOIE BLOOIE

WHERE WERE YOU ON TH' NIGHT OF THE TWENTIETH? DID YOU OR DID YOU NOT GO TO EUROPE?? ISN'T IT TRUE THAT YOU WERE SUSPECTED OF FORGERY 32 YEARS AGO? WHO WAS YOUR GRANDMOTHER'S AUNT? WAS YOUR GREAT UNCLE A PREACHER AND IF NOT — WHY??

NO YES YES NO NO YES YES NO NO YES NO YES NO YES NO -ER- -UH-

I'VE BEEN ANSWERING QUESTIONS FOR TWO HOURS — I'VE GOT TO HAVE A DRINK OF WATER!!

LOOIE, I THINK YOU MUST BE FINISHED WITH THIS WITNESS —

?

YOU'VE JUST ABOUT PUMPED HIM DRY!!

BRANNER

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SPUD 4 RINKEYDINK STAMP

STRANGE AS IT SEEMS

By JOHN HIX

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If the Pied Piper could visit the island of South Georgia, off the tip of South America, he would have his hands full.

This island, on the very brink of the Antarctic solitude, is the home of more rats than any equal area on the earth's surface. And stranger still, according to William A. Du Puy's "Wonders of the Animal World," the rodents that make up this densest of all rat colonies, are brown rats, which are native only to the heart of Asia, on the other side of the world.

All rats come from the Orient. Even at the beginning of the Eleventh Century, there was not to be found a rat in all of Europe. Before Columbus made his famous voyage, there was not a single rat in the Western Hemisphere. They would, no doubt, still be confined to the Orient, had it not been for ships. Rats were most likely the first stowaways, and they have hitch-hiked to practically every spot known to man.

The first rats to take advantage of free rides via ships, were the black rats of India. They spread over the European continent, and came over with the early settlers to America. Two hundred years after the black rat had dominated all of Europe and America, a newcomer, the brown rat, came upon the scene. This new traveler was twice the size of his predecessor. Two centuries ago, he crossed the Volga into Russia. Just as the black rat had spread over the continents, the brown rat followed, and as it did, it killed all the black rats.

South Georgia Island is a whaling station. Along its beaches are strewn numerous carcasses of whales. The whalers take the parts of their huge victims that are valuable and leave the rest lying on the beach. But they seldom lie there for long . . . for whale meat is the main food that is responsible for the great number of rats. Even if the rodents are unable to eat the great mammals in a short time, the frigid climate keeps the remains in cold storage until called for. Perhaps it was only two rats that first emerged from a whaling ship and ventured on the cold shores of South Georgia, but rats are among the most prolific of animals. • • •

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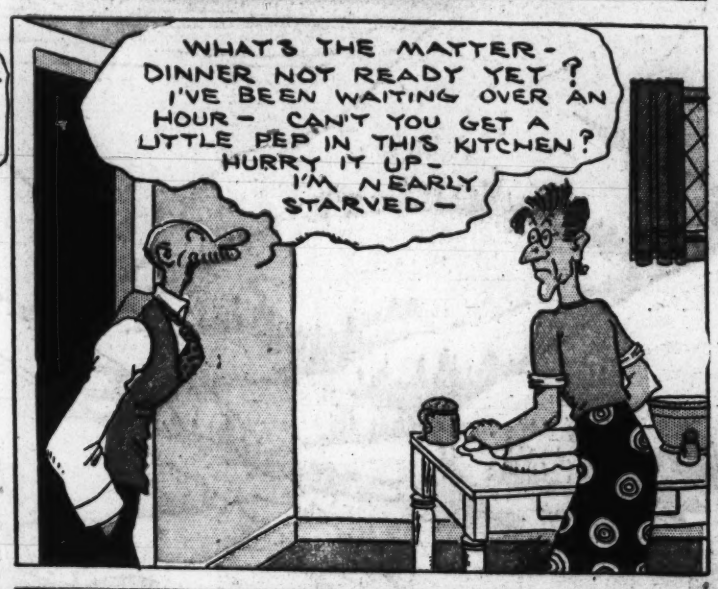

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